



PIE 820-ELITE

Multifunction Diagnostic Process Calibrator

Carry eight single function calibrators in the palm of your hand!

- **Lighten up your toolbox**

Compact calibrator replaces toolbox of single function devices
*Milliamp • Voltage • Frequency • pH • Resistance
Thermocouples • RTDs • Check Continuity • Pressure*

- **Technician friendly operation**

Intuitive *EZ-DIAL Double Click Menu* makes it easier to setup than other multifunction calibrators. Similar to the single function PIE Calibrators.

- **Use it as a milliamp and voltage calibrator**

Source 0 to 24.000 mA, 0 to 10.250 V dc, -20.000 to 99.999 mV and -500.00 to 999.99 mV

Read to 24.000 mA, 60.00 V dc ± 99.999 mV and ± 999.99 mV
Simulate 2-Wire Transmitters

Power up transmitters & loops with the built-in 24 V power supply.
Simplify HART hookups with built-in 250 Ohm resistor

- **Troubleshoot loop problems**

Quickly diagnose ground fault and current leakage with patented loop diagnostic technology (US Patent 7,248,058).

- **Calibrate directly in temperature to 0.1°C & 0.1°F**

Compatible with the instruments you use including all brands of smart transmitters and PLCs with 14 thermocouple & 9 RTD types.

- **Checkout flow and vibration systems**

Source & read frequency to 2000 CPM (Counts-Per-Minute), 999.99 Hz, 9999.9 Hz & to 20.000 kHz.

- **Troubleshoot loop & wiring problems**

'Beep' out connections with the built-in continuity checker.

- **Simulate pH probes into transmitters & analyzers**

Source from 0.000 to 14.000 pH @ 25°C (77°F) corresponding to -414.12 to +414.12 mV

- **Measure pressure with optional pressure modules**

32 modules for gauge, differential, compound and absolute pressure.

- **Easy to read** - Turn on the backlight & easily see the display in dark areas of the plant.

- **Quickly set any three outputs plus automatic stepping & ramping**

Easily set any value with the adjustable "DIAL" plus store any three output settings for instant recall with the *EZ-CHECK™* switch. 2, 3, 5 & 11 steps automatically increment output in 100%, 50%, 25% or 10% of span. Select RAMP to smoothly increase and decrease the output. Set step/ramp time to 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 & 60 seconds.

- **Measure temperature sensors, frequency pickups, loop currents, voltage levels & pressures**

Check the values of your process sensors. Instantly recall MAX and MIN values to see process variability.

- **Evolutionary design**

PIE Calibrators are designed and built by members of the same team that designed and built the calibrators manufactured by Fluke* under the Altek* label. The *820-ELITE* improves upon other brands by including a rubber boot, a backlit display with larger digits, higher accuracy and more ranges for greater flexibility.



Actual Size



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Milliamp Calibrator

- **Easy to use**

With the 820-ELITE you can check, calibrate and measure all your current signal instruments in a 4 to 20 milliamp DC loop. It can be used at any access point in your loop.



Source & Read 0.000 to 24.000 mA, Simulate a 2 Wire Transmitter or use the 820-ELITE to simultaneously power your 2 Wire Transmitter and measure its output.

- **Source milliamps**

Calibrate recorders, digital indicators, stroke valves or any instruments that get their input from a 4 to 20 mA loop. Easily set any value quickly to within 0.001 mA with the adjustable digital potentiometer "EZ-DIAL" or use preset **4.000 mA (0.00%)** and **20.000 mA (100.00%)** EZ-CHECK™ settings.

- **Calibrate using loop power**

Check loop wiring and receivers by using the 820-ELITE in place of a 2 Wire transmitter. Uses any loop power from 2 to 60 V DC.

- **Read loop current**

Check controller outputs or measure the milliamp signal anywhere in the loop. The 820-ELITE measures 0.000 to 24.000 mA (-25.00 to 125.00%) signals with greater accuracy than a typical multimeter.

- **Power & measure 2 wire transmitters**

The 820-ELITE can simultaneously output 24V DC to power any and all devices in a process loop using the internal batteries and internal switching power supply, while measuring the output of a 2 Wire Transmitter and any other loop devices. Powers HART™ transmitters with built-in 250 ohm resistor simplifying hookups with HART communicators.

Voltage Calibrator

- **Source three ranges of mV & V dc**

With the 820-ELITE you can check, calibrate and measure all your voltage, millivolt and pH signal instruments in your plant. Source 0.000 to 10.250 V dc, -500.00 to 999.99 mV and -20.000 to 99.999 mV.



- **Read DC volts**

The 820-ELITE can measure from 0.000 to 10.250 V, -999.99 to 999.99 mV, -99.999 to 99.999 mV and 0.00 to 60.0 VDC. Use it to check loop power supplies, I/V converters, 1 to 5 Volt signals, and other voltages.

Frequency Calibrator

- **Calibrate flow meters and frequency instruments**

Generate zero crossing square waves to check, calibrate and measure all the frequency signal instruments in your plant. Source and read frequencies from 1 to 2000 CPM (Counts-Per-Minute), 0.01 to 999.00 Hz, 0.1 to 9999.9 Hz and 0.001 to 20.000 kHz.



- **Checkout optical pickups**

The 820-ELITE has a green LED that flashes in sync with the output frequency. Select a frequency and hold the calibrator up to the optical sensor.

- **Measure frequency signals**

Check the values of your process frequency outputs. Instantly recall MAX and MIN values to see process variability.

Thermocouple Calibrator

- **Calibrate directly in temperature to 0.1°C & 0.1°F**

Stop carrying around a millivolt source and thermocouple tables. The 820-ELITE works with the thermocouples you use including types J, K, T, E, R, S, B, N, G, C, D, L (J-DIN), U (T-DIN) and P (Platinel II). Easily set any value quickly to within 0.1° with the adjustable digital potentiometer "EZ-DIAL" plus recall any three temperatures for instant recall with the EZ-CHECK™ switch.



- **Measure thermocouple sensors**

Trouble shoot sensor connections and find broken wires or corroded connections. Connect your thermocouple with a miniature thermocouple connector and the 820-ELITE measures the probe to 0.1 degree C or F.

RTD, Resistance Calibrator

- **Easy to use**

With the 820-ELITE you can check & calibrate all your RTD instruments and measure RTD Sensors.



- **Calibrate directly in temperature (°C & °F)**

Stop carrying around a decade box and RTD resistance tables. The 820-ELITE works with the RTDs you use including Platinum 100 (alpha = 3850, 3902, 3916, 3926) & 1000 (alpha = 3850) Ohm, Copper 10 & 50 Ohm, Nickel 100 and 120 Ohm. Easily set any value quickly to within 0.1° with the adjustable digital potentiometer “EZ-DIAL” plus store any three temperatures for instant recall with the EZ-CHECK™ switch. Or use like a decade box from 0.00 to 401.00 and from 0.0 to 4010.0 Ohms.

- **Compatible with ALL process instruments**

No competitor's calibrator is compatible with as many process instruments! Connect directly to the RTD inputs of smart transmitters, PLCs, DCS and multichannel recorders and verify their outputs or displays. Works with older instruments with fixed excitation currents and newer multichannel instruments that switch the excitation current between input channels.

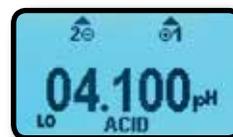
- **Measure RTD sensors**

Connect your two, three or four wire RTDs and the 820-ELITE measures the RTD to 0.1 degree C or F.

pH Simulator

- **Simulate pH probes into transmitters & analyzers**

Use the pH simulator to verify proper operation of pH devices before you place a probe into a calibrated buffer. Adjusting the pH transmitter or analyzer without a probe allows you to make sure the device is calibrated and doesn't require too much offset with the probe. If the probe requires more than the manufacturer's recommendations (typically 5%) it is time to replace the probe. The 820-ELITE simulates 0.000 to 14.000 pH @ 25°C corresponding to -414.12 to +414.12 mV.



Continuity Checker

- **Troubleshoot wiring and connection problems**

Use the built-in continuity checker to look at wiring and connections during installation or to locate shorts. Beeps from 0 to 100 Ohms.

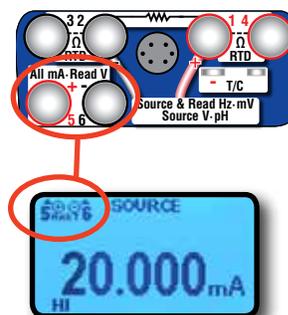


Connections

- **Simple connections labeled on LCD**

PIE 820-ELITE has banana jacks compatible with unshielded or retractable banana plugs. Included with your calibrator are a pair of test leads with alligator clips for mA, V, pH & Hz connections. Four test leads with spade lugs are also included for 2, 3 and 4 Wire RTD connections. Thermocouple connections are made through a miniature thermocouple socket and pressure modules plug into the pressure connector.

Thermocouple wire kits and pressure modules are optional accessories.



Measure Pressure

- **Easily measure pressure with a plug in pressure module**

Purchase any of our 32 modules to quickly measure gauge, differential, compound & absolute pressure. 32 selectable engineering units.

PSI;
inches, feet, mm, cm and meter of H₂O @ 4°C, 20°C & 60°F;
inches, meter, cm and mm of Hg @ 0°C;
torr • kg/cm² • kg/m² • Pa • hPa • kPa • MPa • Bar • mBar • ATM • oz/in² • lb/ft²



Troubleshoot Loop Problems

- **Find current leaks in loops before swapping instruments**

Automatic indication Loop Current and Leakage Current (US Patent #7,248,058). Measure ground current leakage from faulty wiring, flooded conduit and corrosion bridges to help you decide if there is a wiring problem in the loop (diagrams below).



820-ELITE detects uncontrolled current in the loop due to a flooded junction box.

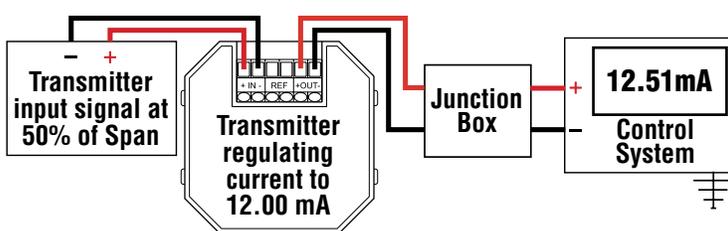
Typical problem found with Leak Detection

Have you ever replaced a “faulty” transmitter only to find the problem was somewhere else in the loop? And did you end up throwing the transmitter away after you fixed the other problem “just in case” the transmitter was faulty?

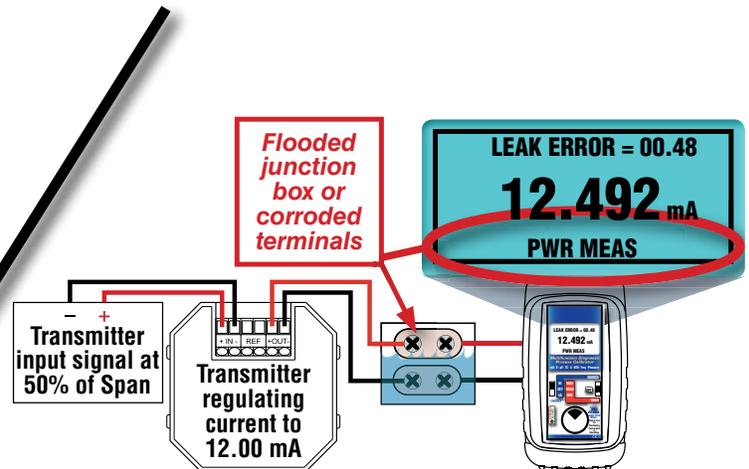
If you find a loop where the transmitter is calibrated correctly but all the readings elsewhere in the loop have a fixed offset this is due to a *Zero Shift*. This zero shift is typically caused by some current in the loop bypassing the transmitter. This might be caused by ground faults, moisture or corrosion.

If you have some loops that are erratic after it rains there may be moisture present in a junction box or where insulation has broken down. Turn on Ground Leak Detection and use the PIE 820-ELITE to power up the loop. Any current that isn't controlled by the transmitter or other current control element will be indicated as leakage on the PIE 820-ELITE display.

The PIE 820-ELITE powers up the 2-Wire transmitter or loop and indicates the total current and the uncontrolled current. This provides information useful in troubleshooting loop errors.



Here is a loop where a technician has just recalibrated the transmitter but the control room still sees a problem. The problem started just after a rainstorm.



Using the PIE 820-ELITE to power up the loop the technician detects a leakage of 0.48 mA - approximately the offset seen in the control room. He walks the loop and opens a junction box releasing a stream of water. The loop is again in control.

Why buy a PIE calibrator with loop diagnostics

Undiagnosed loop problems often cause calibration errors which can lead to dangerous operating conditions or catastrophic results. The PIE 820-ELITE is the *only single display multifunction calibrator* that can detect and indicate these problems due to the patented troubleshooting features.

- **Easy to use on the bench or in the field**

The rubber boot provides more than protection...flip out the tilt stand when you need to set it on your work bench. Free up BOTH hands when you work on the plant floor or in the field. Especially handy when you have to hang onto a ladder or railing while calibrating.



Flip out stand for bench use



Hang from your neck for hands free calibrating

Ordering Information

Description	Part No
PIE Model 820-ELITE Process Calibrator	PIE Model 820-ELITE

Included:

Four "AA" Alkaline batteries, Certificate of Calibration	
Blue Rubber Boot	020-0213
Evolution Hands Free Carrying Case	020-0211
Evolution mA/V Test Leads	020-0207
1 Red & 1 Black Lead with Banana Plugs & Alligator Clips	
Evolution RTD Wire Kit	020-0208
2 Red & 2 Black Leads with Banana Plugs & Spade Lugs	

Accessories

Optional

Three Year Repair/Replacement Warranty.....	RP-WAR-B
Ni-MH 1 Hour Charger with 4 Ni-MH AA Batteries	020-0103
(100-120 V AC input for North America Only)	
Evolution Hands Free Carrying Case with Pressure Module Pocket.....	020-0233*
*This case will be substituted for the Hands Free Case without the Module Pocket (020-0211) when the 820-ELITE is ordered with a pressure module	

Optional Hand Pumps, Tubing & Fitting Kits

APOV 0-300 PSI/20.7 bar Pneumatic Scissor Hand Pump	020-0224
HPOV 0-3000 PSI/206.9 bar Hydraulic Scissor Hand Pump.....	020-0225
DPPV 0-125 PSI/8.6 bar Pressure, 23"/584 mm Hg Vacuum hand pump	020-0226
1/8" male NPT x Male Quick-Test™ Fitting with Cap.....	020-0227
Adapter kit (1/8" MNPT&FNPT; 1/4" MNPT, FNPT & Tube Adapter)	020-0228
Quick-Test™ 6900 psi/475 bar hose, 3ft (1 m)	020-0229
PKIT1 (020-0224 Pneu Scissor Pump, 020-0229 Hose & 020-0227 fitting).....	020-0230
PKIT2 (020-0225 Hydr Scissor Pump, 020-0229 Hose & 020-0227 fitting)	020-0231
PKIT3 (020-0226 Press/Vac Pump, 020-0229 Hose & 020-0227 fitting).....	020-0232

Optional Pressure Modules

0-10"/24.9 mbar H2O Differential, Non Isolated.....	DN0010
0-28"/69.7 mbar H2O Differential, Non Isolated.....	DN0028
0-200"/498 mbar H2O Differential, Non Isolated.....	DN0200
0-415"/1 bar H2O Differential, Non Isolated.....	DN0415
0-2000"/5 bar H2O Differential, Non Isolated.....	DN2000
0-1 PSI/68.9 mbar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0001
0-5 PSI/344.7 mbar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0005
0-15 PSI/1 bar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0015
0-30 PSI/2 bar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0030
0-100 PSI/6.9 bar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0100
0-300 PSI/20.7 bar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0300
0-500 PSI/34.5 bar Differential, Isolated.....	DI0500
0 to 15 PSI/1 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0015
0 to 30 PSI/2 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0030
0 to 50 PSI/3.4 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0050
0 to 100 PSI/6.9 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0100
0 to 300 PSI/20.7 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0300
0 to 500 PSI/34.5 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI0500
0 to 1,000 PSI/69 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI1000
0 to 3,000 PSI/206.8 bar Gauge, Isolated.....	GI3000
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +15 PSIG/1 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0015
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +30 PSIG/2 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0030
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +50 PSIG/3.4 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0050
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +100 PSIG/6.9 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0100
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +300 PSIG/20.7 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0300
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +500 PSIG/34.5 bar Compound, Isolated	CI0500
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +1,000 PSIG/69 bar Compound, Isolated	CI1000
-14.7 PSIG/1 bar to +3,000 PSIG/ 206.8 bar Compound, Isolated	CI3000
0-17 PSIA/1.2 bar Absolute, Isolated.....	AI0017
0-38 PSIA/2.6 bar Absolute, Isolated.....	AI0038
0-100 PSIA/6.9 bar Absolute, Isolated.....	AI0100
0-1,000 PSIA/69 bar Absolute, Isolated.....	AI1000

Pressure Module Media Compatibility

Non-isolated DN sensors: clean, dry,
non-corrosive, non-condensing gases only

Isolated DI sensors: any media
compatible with 316L SS & Viton®

Isolated GI, CI & AI sensors: any media
compatible with 316L SS

Measure Pressure

- **Easily measure pressure with a plug in pressure module**

Purchase any of the pressure modules from the table below along with one of the three hand pumps and tubing kits for a complete pressure calibration system.

Sensor Code	Application	Ranges Available
DNxxxx	Differential, Non-isolated	0 to 0010*, 0028, 0200, 0415, 2000" H2O
DIxxxx	Differential, Isolated	0 to 0001, 0005, 0015, 0030, 0100, 0300, 0500 PSID
GIxxxx	Gauge, Isolated	0 to 0015, 0030, 0050, 0100, 0300, 0500, 1000, 3000 PSIG
CIxxxx	Compound, Isolated	-14.7 to +0015, 0030, 0050, 0100, 0300, 0500, 1000, 3000 PSIG
AIxxxx	Absolute, Isolated	0 to 0017, 0038, 0100, 1000 PSIA

Media Compatibility

Non-isolated DN sensors: clean, dry, non-corrosive, non-condensing gases only

Isolated DI sensors: any media compatible with 316L SS & Viton®

Isolated GI, CI & AI sensors: any media compatible with 316L SS

Accuracy

±0.025% of full scale including all effects of linearity, repeatability and hysteresis from -20° to +50°C (-4° to +122°F)

* The DN0010 sensor accuracy is ±0.050% of full scale

32 Engineering Units:

PSI • inches, feet, mm, cm and meter of H2O @ 4°C, 20°C & 60°F • inches, meter, cm and mm of Hg @ 0°C; torr • kg/cm2 • kg/m2 • Pa • hPa • kPa • MPa • Bar • mBar • ATM • oz/in2 • lb/ft2



PIE 820-ELITE with Pressure Module, Pressure/Vacuum Pump & Hose

Hand Pumps, Tubing & Fitting Kits

- **Generate pressure with a full set of hand pumps**

Choose from a selection hand pumps, tubing & fittings made in the USA by Ralston Instruments. All pumps have two pressure ports - one port & hose go the PIE pressure module and the other to the pressure input of your instrument.

Pneumatic Pressure/Vacuum Pump

0 to 125 psi & 0 to 23 inches vacuum



Pneumatic Scissor Hand Pump

0 to 300 psi



Hydraulic Scissor Hand Pump

0 to 3,000 psi



Quick-test™ Hoses

Microbore hoses provide a very quick, low volume, high pressure way of connecting any pressure instrumentation to the hand pump and pressure module.



Pressure Fitting Kit

Adapts from Quick-test™ hose to 1/4" male & female NPT, 1/8" male & female NPT and 1/4" tube fitting





Hands free carrying case with pockets for the PIE 820-ELITE and the Pressure Module. Back of case has zipped pocket for the manual, test leads, hoses & pressure fittings.



Hands free carrying case with pockets for the PIE 820-ELITE and the Pressure Module.

Designed to be worn around your neck so that you can safely use both hands to calibrate.

Thermocouple Ranges & Accuracies @ 23°C

T/C	Degrees C Range	°C	Degrees F Range	°F	T/C Material
J	-200.0 to -50.0	±0.5°	-328.0 to -58.0	±1.0°	+Iron -Constantan
	-50.0 to 300.0	±0.2°	-58.0 to 572.0	±0.4°	
	300.0 to 900.0	±0.3°	572.0 to 1652.0	±0.6°	
	900.0 to 1200.0	±0.4°	1652.0 to 2192.0	±0.8°	
K	-230.0 to -50.0	±1.2°	-382.0 to -58.0	±2.2°	+ Chromel® -Alumel®
	-50.0 to 550.0	±0.3°	-58.0 to 1022.0	±0.6°	
	550.0 to 1000.0	±0.5°	1022.0 to 1832.0	±0.8°	
	1000.0 to 1371.1	±0.6°	1832.0 to 2500.0	±1.1°	
T	-260.0 to -230.0	±2.9°	-436.0 to -382.0	±5.2°	+Copper -Constantan
	-230.0 to -210.0	±1.0°	-382.0 to -346.0	±1.9°	
	-210.0 to -50.0	±0.8°	-346.0 to -58.0	±1.4°	
	-58.0 to 50.0	±0.3°	-58.0 to 122.0	±0.6°	
	50.0 to 400.0	±0.2°	122.0 to 752.0	±0.4°	
E	-240.0 to -200.0	±0.9°	-400.0 to -328.0	±1.7°	+Chromel -Constantan
	-200.0 to 0.0	±0.5°	-328.0 to 32.0	±0.8°	
	0.0 to 350.0	±0.2°	32.0 to 662.0	±0.3°	
	350.0 to 1000.0	±0.3°	662.0 to 1832.0	±0.6°	
R	-18.3 to 100.0	±2.1°	-1.0 to 212.0	±3.8°	+Pt/13Rh -Platinum
	100.0 to 500.0	±1.3°	212.0 to 932.0	±2.4°	
	500.0 to 1400.0	±1.0°	932.0 to 2552.0	±1.8°	
	1400.0 to 1767.8	±1.2°	2552.0 to 3214.0	±2.0°	
S	-18.3 to 100.0	±2.0°	-1.0 to 212.0	±3.7°	+Pt/10Rh -Platinum
	100.0 to 350.0	±1.4°	212.0 to 662.0	±2.5°	
	350.0 to 1600.0	±1.1°	662.0 to 2912.0	±2.0°	
	1600.0 to 1767.8	±1.3°	2912.0 to 3214.0	±2.4°	
B	315.6 to 600.0	±3.2°	600.0 to 1122.0	±5.7°	+Pt/30Rh -Pt/6Rh
	600.0 to 850.0	±1.7°	1122.0 to 1562.0	±3.1°	
	850.0 to 1100.0	±1.3°	1562.0 to 2012.0	±2.4°	
	1100.0 to 1820.0	±1.1°	2012.0 to 3308.0	±2.0°	

T/C	Degrees C Range	°C	Degrees F Range	°F	T/C Material
N	-230.0 to -150.0	±1.9°	-382.0 to -238.0	±3.4°	+Nicrosil -Nisil
	-150.0 to -50.0	±0.7°	-238.0 to -58.0	±1.2°	
	-50.0 to 950.0	±0.4°	-58.0 to 1742.0	±0.8°	
	950.0 to 1300.0	±0.5°	1742.0 to 2372.0	±1.0°	
G (W)	100.0 to 350.0	±1.7°	212.0 to 662.0	±3.0°	+Tungsten -W26/Re
	350.0 to 1700.0	±0.8°	662.0 to 3092.0	±1.5°	
	1700.0 to 2000.0	±1.0°	3092.0 to 3632.0	±1.8°	
	2000.0 to 2320.0	±1.1°	3632.0 to 4208.0	±2.1°	
C (W5)	-1.1 to 100.0	±0.8°	30.1 to 212.0	±1.4°	+W5/Re -W26/Re
	100.0 to 1000.0	±0.7°	212.0 to 1832.0	±1.3°	
	1000.0 to 1750.0	±1.2°	1832.0 to 3182.0	±2.1°	
	1750.0 to 2320.0	±2.0°	3182.0 to 4208.0	±3.5°	
D (W3)	-1.1 to 150.0	±1.0°	30.1 to 302.0	±1.8°	+W3/Re -W25/Re
	150.0 to 1100.0	±0.7°	302.0 to 2012.0	±1.3°	
	1100.0 to 1750.0	±1.0°	2012.0 to 3182.0	±1.8°	
	1750.0 to 2320.0	±2.0°	3182.0 to 4208.0	±3.6°	
P	0.0 to 600.0	±0.3°	32.0 to 1112.0	±0.6°	+Pd55/Pt31/ Au14 -Au65/Pd35
	600.0 to 900.0	±0.4°	1112.0 to 1652.0	±0.8°	
	900.0 to 1200.0	±0.6°	1652.0 to 2192.0	±1.1°	
	1200.0 to 1395.0	±0.7°	2192.0 to 2543.0	±1.2°	
L J-DIN	-200.0 to -50.0	±0.4°	-328.0 to -58.0	±0.7°	+Iron -Constantan
	-50.0 to 300.0	±0.2°	-58.0 to 572.0	±0.4°	
	300.0 to 900.0	±0.3°	572.0 to 1652.0	±0.5°	
U T-DIN	-200.0 to -50.0	±0.6°	-328.0 to -58.0	±1.1°	+Copper -Constantan
	-50.0 to 50.0	±0.3°	-58.0 to 122.0	±0.5°	
	50.0 to 550.0	±0.2°	122.0 to 1022.0	±0.4°	
	550.0 to 600.0	±0.3°	1022.0 to 1112.0	±0.5°	

Table based on Thermocouple Accuracy: $\leq \pm (0.02 \% \text{ of Reading} + 0.01 \text{ mV})$
 Note: Doesn't include cold junction error of $\pm 0.05^\circ\text{C}$

RTD Ranges & Accuracies

RTD Type	Alpha	Degrees C Range	°C	Degrees F Range	°F
Pt 100 Ohm DIN/IEC/JIS 1989 Based on ITS-90	1.3850 (0.00385)	-200.0 to 0.0	±0.2°	-328.0 to 32.0	±0.4°
		0.0 to 340.0	±0.3°	248.0 to 644.0	±0.6°
		340.0 to 640.0	±0.4°	644.0 to 1184.0	±0.8°
		640.0 to 850.0	±0.5°	1184.0 to 1562.0	±1.0°
Pt 100 Ohm (Burns)	1.3902 (0.003902)	-200.0 to 10.0	±0.2°	-328.0 to 50.0	±0.4°
		10.0 to 350.0	±0.3°	50.0 to 662.0	±0.6°
		350.0 to 650.0	±0.4°	662.0 to 1202.0	±0.8°
		650.0 to 850.0	±0.5°	1202.0 to 1562.0	±0.9°
Pt 100 Ohm (Old JIS 1981)	1.3916 (0.003916)	-200.0 to 20.0	±0.2°	-328.0 to 68.0	±0.4°
		20.0 to 360.0	±0.3°	68.0 to 680.0	±0.6°
		360.0 to 650.0	±0.4°	680.0 to 1202.0	±0.8°
		650.0 to 850.0	±0.5°	1202.0 to 1562.0	±0.9°
Pt 100 Ohm (US Lab)	1.3926 (0.003926)	-200.0 to 20.0	±0.2°	-328.0 to 68.0	±0.4°
		20.0 to 360.0	±0.3°	68.0 to 680.0	±0.6°
		360.0 to 660.0	±0.4°	680.0 to 1220.0	±0.8°
		660.0 to 850.0	±0.5°	1220.0 to 1562.0	±0.9°

RTD Type	Alpha	Degrees C Range	°C	Degrees F Range	°F
Pt 1000 Ohm DIN/IEC/JIS 1989	1.3850 (0.00385)	-200.0 to 0.0	±0.2°	-328.0 to 32.0	±0.4°
		0.0 to 340.0	±0.3°	248.0 to 644.0	±0.6°
		340.0 to 640.0	±0.4°	644.0 to 1184.0	±0.8°
		640.0 to 850.0	±0.5°	1184.0 to 1562.0	±1.0°
Copper 10 Ohm (Minco)	1.4274 (0.004274)	-200.0 to 260.0	±2.0°	-328.0 to 500.0	±3.6°
Copper 50 Ohm	1.4280 (0.00428)	-50.0 to 150.0	±0.4°	-58.0 to 302.0	±0.8°
Ni 120 Ohm (Pure)	1.6720 (0.00672)	-80.0 to 260.0	±0.1°	-112.0 to 500.0	±0.3°
Ni 110 (Bristol 7 NA)	1.5801 (0.005801)	-100.0 to 260.0	±0.2°	-148.0 to 500.0	±0.4°

Table based on 3 & 4 Wire RTD Accuracy: $\leq \pm (0.02 \% \text{ of Reading} + 0.075 \text{ Ohms})$

PIE 820-ELITE Specifications

(Unless otherwise indicated all specifications are rated from a nominal 23°C, 70% RH for 1 year from calibration)

General	
Operating Temperature Range	-20 to 60 °C (-5 to 140 °F)
Storage Temperature Range	-30 to 60 °C (-22 to 140 °F)
Temperature effect	≤ ± 0.005 %/°C of Full Scale; Cold Junction Sensor ≤ ±25 ppm/°C
Relative Humidity Range	10 % ≤RH ≤90 % (0 to 35 °C), Non-condensing 10 % ≤RH ≤ 70 % (35 to 60 °C), Non-condensing
Normal Mode Rejection	50/60 Hz, 50 dB
Common Mode Rejection	50/60 Hz, 120 dB
Noise	≤ ± ½ Least Significant Digit from 0.1 to 10 Hz
Size	5.63 x 3.00 x 1.60 in, 143 x 76 x 41mm (L x W x H)
Weight	12.1 ounces, 0.34 kg with boot & batteries
Batteries	Four "AA" Alkaline 1.5V (LR6)
Optional NiMh Rechargeable battery kit	120 VAC for North America Only; charger, four NiMh batteries, AC & DC cords [Part # 020-0103]
Battery Life	Read Functions: ≥ 20 hours Source mA: ≥ 14 hours @ 12 mA into 250Ω Pwr/Meas mA: ≥ 12 hours at 20 mA Source V, Ω, T/C, RTD & Hz: ≥ 20 hours
Low Battery	Low battery indication with nominal 1 hour of operation left
Protection against misconnection	Over-voltage protection to 60 vrms (rated for 30 seconds) Red LED indicates OVERLOAD or out of range conditions
Display	High contrast graphic liquid crystal display with 0.315" (8.0 mm) high digits. LED backlighting for use in low lit areas.

Read mA	
Ranges and Resolution	0.000 to 24.000 mA or -25.00 to 125.00% of 4-20 mA
Accuracy	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading + 0.003 mA)
Voltage burden	≤ 2V at 24 mA
Overload/Current limit protection	25 mA nominal

Source mA / Power & Measure Two Wire Transmitters	
Ranges and Resolution	0.000 to 24.000 mA or -25.00 to 125.00% of 4-20 mA
Accuracy	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading + 0.003 mA)
Loop compliance voltage	≥ 24 DCV @ 20.00mA
Loop drive capability	1200 Ω at 20 mA for 15 hours nominal; 950 Ω with Hart Resistor enabled

mA 2-Wire Transmitter Simulation	
Accuracy	Same as Source/Power & Measure
Voltage burden	≤ 2V at 20 mA
Overload/Current limit protection	24 mA nominal
Loop voltage limits	2 to 60 VDC (fuse-less protected from reverse polarity connections)

Voltage Read	
Range and Resolution	±99.999 mV, ±999.99mV, 0 to 10.250V, 0.00 to 60.00 V DC
Accuracy	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading + 0.01% Full Scale)
Input resistance	≥ 1 MΩ

Source V dc	
Ranges and Resolution	-20.000 to 99.999 mV, -500.00 to 999.99 mV, 0.000 to 10.250V
Accuracy	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading + 0.01% Full Scale)
Source Current	≥ 24 mA
Sink Current	> 16 mA
Output Impedance	< 1 Ohm
Short Circuit Duration	Infinite

pH Source	
Range and Resolution	0.000 to 14.000 pH
Accuracy in mV	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading in mV + 0.1 mV)
Accuracy in pH	≤ ± 0.003 pH @ 25°C

Thermocouple Source	
Accuracy	≤ ± (0.02 % of Reading + 0.01 mV)
Cold Junction Compensation	± 0.05°C - Thermistor traceable to NIST for 11 years
Output Impedance	< 1 Ohm
Source Current	> 20 mA (drives 80 mV into 10 Ohms)

Thermocouple Read	
Accuracy & Cold Junction Compensation	Same as Thermocouple Source
Input Impedance	> 1 Megohms
Open TC Threshold; Pulse	10K Ohms; <5 μamp pulse for 300 milliseconds (nominal)

RTD, OHMS and Continuity Read	
Resistance Ranges	0.00 to 401.00, 0.0 to 4010.0 Ohms
Accuracy	±(0.02% of Reading + 0.075 Ohms)
Excitation Current	1.0 mA to 401 Ohms, 0.5 mA to 4010 Ohms (nominal)
Continuity	0.0 to 401.0 Ohms; Beeps from 0.0 to 100.0 Ohms

RTD and OHMS Source	
3 Wire & 4 Wire Accuracy From 1 to 10.2 mA External Excitation Current	±(0.02% of Reading + 0.075 Ohms)
Below 1 mA of External Excitation Current	±(0.02% of Reading+0.075 Ohms + $\frac{0.025 \text{ mV}}{\text{mA Excitation Current}}$)
2 Wire Accuracy	Add 0.1 Ohms to 3 Wire & 4 Wire Accuracy
Resistance Ranges	0.00 to 401.00, 0.0 to 4010.0 Ohms
Allowable Excitation Current Range	<400 Ohm Range: 10.2 mA max; steady or pulsed/intermittent 4000 Ohms Range: 1 mA max; steady or pulsed/intermittent
Pulsed Excitation Current Compatibility	DC to 0.01 second pulse width

Frequency Source	
Ranges	1 to 2000 CPM, 0.01 to 999.99 Hz, 0.1 to 9999.9 Hz, 0.001 to 20.000 kHz
Accuracy	±(0.02% of Reading + 0.01% of Full Scale)
Output Waveform	Square Wave, Zero Crossing -1.0 to +5 V peak-to-peak ±10%
Risetime (10 to 90% of amplitude)	< 10 microseconds
Output Impedance	< 1 Ohm
Source Current	> 1 mA rms at 20 kHz
Short Circuit Duration	Infinite
Optical Coupling	Green LED (HZ SYNC) flashes at output frequency

Frequency Read	
Ranges & Accuracy	Same as Frequency Source
Accuracy	±(0.02% of Reading + 0.01% of Full Scale)
Trigger Level	1 V rms, dc coupled
Input Impedance	> 1 Meg Ohm + 60 pF

Specifications subject to change without notice.

Standard Warranty

Our equipment is warranted against defective material and workmanship (excluding batteries) for a period of three years from the date of shipment. Claims under warranty can be made by returning the equipment prepaid to our factory. The equipment will be repaired, replaced or adjusted at our option. The liability of Practical Instrument Electronics (PIE) is restricted to that given under our warranty. No responsibility is accepted for damage, loss or other expense incurred through sale or use of our equipment. Under no condition shall Practical Instrument Electronics, Inc. be liable for any special, incidental or consequential damage.

Optional Repair/Replacement Warranty

Under our Repair/Replacement Warranty (RP-WAR-B), our equipment is warranted against ANY damage or malfunction that may cause the unit to fail for a period of three (3) years from the date of shipment.

This warranty is limited to one complete replacement against any damage or malfunction during the warranty period. If replaced, the new calibrator will carry our Standard Warranty for the remainder of the three (3) years or a minimum of one (1) year from the date of shipment.

Additional Information

PIE Calibrators are manufactured in the USA. This product is calibrated on equipment traceable to NIST and *includes* a Certificate of Calibration. Test Data is available for an additional charge.

Practical Instrument Electronics recommends a calibration interval of one year. Contact your local representative for recalibration and repair services.



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