

OPERATOR'S MANUAL

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LOW-RANGE OHMMETER

MODEL 362

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OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Simpson Low-Range Ohmmeter Model 362 is a low-drain two-range unit for measurement of resistance values from 0.1 ohm to 25 ohms, with an accuracy of about 3%. Resistance values are indicated on an expanded scale of the suppressed-infinity type.

The pointer rests on the OFF line when the function switch is in the OFF position. To operate the Model 362, turn the function switch to the ADJUST position, and rotate the control knob to bring the pointer exactly to the ADJUST line. The test leads are not shorted to make this pointer adjustment.

The Model 362 is now ready for use. Apply the test leads across the resistance or component under test. To measure resistance values between 5 ohms and 25 ohms, set the function switch to the HIGH position; the resistance value is then indicated on the upper scale.

WARNING

Make certain that no voltage is applied to ohmmeter terminals, or the meter may be burned out.

To measure resistance values between 0.1 ohm and 5 ohms, set the function switch to the LOW position; the resistance value is then indicated on the lower scale. Note: The Model 362 is calibrated for use with 0.08 ohm leads, and indica-

tion will be in error if test leads having other resistance values are utilized.

When the Model 362 is not in use, turn the function switch to the OFF position to avoid slow unnecessary drain on the battery. When the pointer can no longer be brought to the ADJUST line with the control knob, the 1.5 volt Type C flashlight cell must be replaced. The four accessible screws on the bottom of the case are loosened to permit removal of the lower half of the front panel – the meter movement remains in the case. Observe proper polarity of the battery; the negative end of the battery contacts the spring clip which is connected to a wire-wound bobbin.

The Model 362 is ruggedly constructed and will give excellent service if a few precautions are observed, as follows:

1. Avoid rough handling of the meter or test leads.
2. When checking resistance in a circuit, be sure that no voltage is present. A small voltage will cause an error in the indication, and a substantial voltage will damage the meter.
3. Turn the function switch to the OFF position when the instrument is not in use.

The Simpson Low-Range Ohmmeter Model 362 is particularly useful in radio and television service to measure the resistance values of coil winding, to run down shorts in wiring systems, and to check contact and ground resistance. The instrument is also valuable in refrigeration, air conditioning and motor repair, to check winding resistances, relay coils and contacts, etc.