



Programmable Charge/Discharge Tester



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Chroma 17200 series is a precision charge/discharge test instrument specifically designed for Lithium-ion secondary battery. High accuracy output and measurement channels ensure long term repetitive test results. It is capable of supporting various charge/discharge test modes such as CV (Constant Voltage), CC (Constant Current) and CP (Constant Power). These optimized features are typically required to perform cell reliability verification (such as battery cycle life test), the study of material properties, product research and development, production incoming / outgoing inspection or balancing, quality control, and safety evaluation.

The modularized multi-channels architecture offers both flexibility and expandability, catering to cycle test requirements. The Chroma 17200 series is composed of a mainframe with 5 two-channel plug-in modules that may operate independently or paralleled offering the most flexibility between high current and high channel count testing making it a versatile solution for laboratory testing. This modularity yields several advantages including a small footprint, improved and incremental power densities, and ease of hardware maintenance or expansion.

Each module has an embedded CPU that allows isolated instruction execution per channel. Once a test profile is created and transferred from the programming console, each channel can discretely operate and back up the test results locally or uploaded via Ethernet to an external computer. Therefore, an overloaded network or a power outage will not compromise data transfer. When used with the Chroma BatteryPro software, flexible functions and programming allows the rapid creation of test recipes for individual or a

group of channels and as a single independent channel or as a high current paralleled channel set. The application field covers varied Lithium-ion battery or battery module characteristic tests which were formulated to meet the versatile test requirements for laboratory and manufacturing environments.

The internal resistance of a battery while sinking current is measured by the DC Internal resistance Method (DCIR). DCIR is the result of the physical conduction resistance and the chemical resistance characteristic. The Chroma 17200 features two DCIR test functions which can be configured to fit a cell's characteristics. On $R = \Delta V / \Delta I$ methods, the system automatically performs high precision DCIR calculations to maximize the test accuracy and avoid manual calculation errors.

For safety, several protection features such as, cell polarity check, over voltage, over current, over capacity and loop (contacts and current path) resistance monitoring are provided to safeguard each cell and its surroundings.

To ensure the continuity of extended duration analysis such as life cycle testing, the 17200 can be paired with redundant DC Power Supplies -Chroma 62000B-. This innovative design assures the stability and continuity of each test. The 62000B was crafted for work stations that are sensitive to power failures, such as system servers, burn-in, life-test or longevity testing that cannot be interrupted. In the unlikely event of a power supply failure, the parallel N+1 redundancy architecture assures continuous operation. A power module is easily hot-swappable eliminating down time.

MODEL 17200

Feature:

- High-accuracy current output & measurement up to 0.02%
- Linear circuit design, low ripple current
- Long term stability suitable for life cycle testing
- Independent channels
- Parallel channels for higher current applications
- CC/CV/CP charge, discharge models
- High sampling rate
 - Battery mode - 100ms
 - EDLC mode - 10ms
- Discharge down to 0V
- Real time data acquisition and log (Q, Vt, It, time) and step termination status (Q, V_end, I_end, time)
- Real-time outer loop resistance monitoring
- Compatible with reliable, redundant, hot swappable DC Source assuring continuous operation during life cycle tests.
- Modular design for easy installation and maintenance
- Build-in two DCIR test functions make DCIR test easier ($DCIR = R_o + R_p$, $ACIR \approx R_o$)

Function:

- Battery cell capacity test
- DC internal resistance (DCIR) test

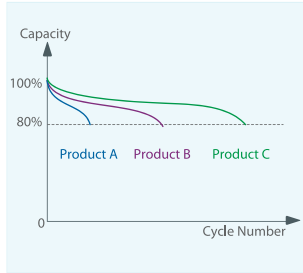
Application:

- Charge / Discharge life cycle test
- IQC (Incoming Quality Control)
- OQC (Outgoing Quality Control)
- Battery characteristic analysis
- Material performance evaluation
- Production test
- Battery cell voltage level processing

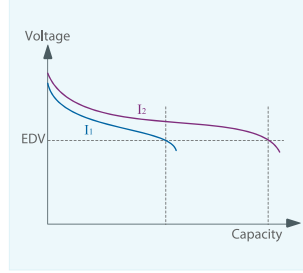


BATTERY RELIABILITY TEST APPLICATIONS

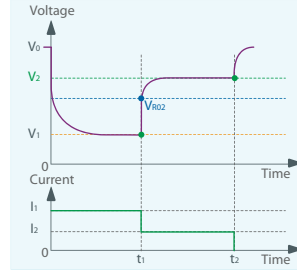
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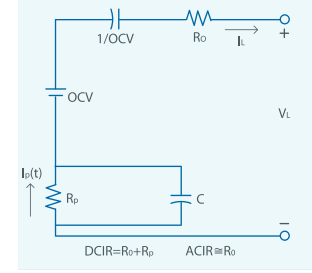
Capacity Measurement



DCIR Testing



Lumped Parameter Model Circuit Diagram



CHARGE/DISCHARGE MODULE SPECIFICATIONS

Item		Specifications
Frame		17200-5-10
Module		17202-5-20
Maximum Voltage / Current		5V/20A
Maximum Channel		2 ch / module, 10 ch / frame
Control Method		CC/CV/CP charge, discharge models
Voltage		
Setting Range		0 mV ~ 5000 mV, resolution 1 mV
Reading Range		0.0 mV ~ +5199.9 mV, resolution 0.1 mV
Accuracy		± (0.02% of reading+0.02% of F.S.)
Current		
Setting Range	3A	1mA ~ 3A , resolution 1mA
	20A	0.01A ~ 20A , resolution 0.01A
Reading Range	3A	0.0 mA ~ 3150.0 mA, resolution 0.1 mA
	20A	0.000A ~ 21.000 A, resolution 1 mA
Accuracy	3A	± (0.02% of reading +0.02% of F.S.)
	20A	± (0.03% of reading +0.03% of F.S.)
Power		
Setting Range		10 mW ~ 100 W, resolution 1 mW
Reading Range		0.1 mW ~ 104 W, resolution 0.1 mW
Accuracy		± (0.05% of reading+0.05% of F.S.)
General Specifications		
Recipe Edit Capability		Max. step number in one recipe : 500 steps Max. cycle number : 999999 steps
Data Storage		100ms~60min
Dynamic Data Acquisition		Time, Voltage, Current
Power Requirement		DC 23.8 ~ 24.5V, 2KW (Chroma 62000B)
Frame Dimension (H x W x D)		222 mm x 428 mm x 643 mm
Weight (Full module)		Approx. 63 Kg



17011 Battery Charge & Discharge Test System



62000B Modular DC Power Supply *optional

ORDERING INFORMATION

Model 17200-5-10 : 17200 Mainframe for 5 Modules

Model 17202-5-20 : Programmable Charge/Discharge Tester Module 5V/20A 2 channels

DC Power Supply : Refer to Model 62015B-24-62, 24V/62.5A/1500W *optional

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