# Kelvin Double Bridges

"VAISESHIKA" Kelvin Bridges Type: 9403, 9404 & 9405 are important instruments in the measurement of resistance as low as 0.02 Micro ohms to highest value of 7 Mega ohm. Senior & Industrial Kelvin Bridges employ 10 Standard Brustors drawn from well aged manganin sheet having excellent stability & reproducibility. Manganin has the quality of very low temperature co-efficient which is a critical parameter for resistance standards manufacturing. For Micro ohm measurement 9403 & 9404 have slide wire having total resistance of 0.001 ohm & 0.01 ohm respectively which is further divided into 500 disivions to achieve desired resolution. The slide wire in 9403 is immersed in oil for total stability.

Kelvin cum Wheatstone Bridge 9405 is also constructed with manuanin coils & sheet. Phosphor Bronze Silver plated switches have been used to minimise the residual resistance error. Four standard decade dials, ratio selector & plog keys facilitate accurate null detection. User can easily change over from Kelvin section to Wheatsone Bridge section & vice-aversa with the help of a selector switch.



Senior Kelvin Double Bridge Type: 9403

### FEATURES

- Manganin wire having exceptionally low temperature co-efficient of the order of ±10.10 %C.
- Resistance measurements conforming to international standards DIN
- 17471
- Remarkably long lasting resistance values with excellent stability.
- Adherence to tolerance standard conforming to DIN 46 461.
- Reproducible measurements.
- Wonderful elastic limits of MANGANIN 20kp/mm<sup>1</sup>.
- . Perfectly aged Manganin coils/strips employed in Kelvin Bridges.
- Click type hard silver plated self-cleaning switches.
- Oil immersed slide wire in Senior Kelvin Double Bridge.
- . Wide resistance measurement range 0.02 micro-ohm to 1 megohm.
- Solid brass blocks for positive plug contacts.
- Quick change-over from Kelvin to Wheatstone mode.
- Easy-to-control knobs.



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# Specifications SENIOR KELVIN DOUBLE BRIDGE TYPE: 9403

Range of Measurement	0.02 micro-ohm to 1.1 ol	hm	
Accuracy	below $0.0001\Omega$ 0.0001 to 0.01 above $0.01\Omega$	0.2% 0.1% 0.05%	±1 slide wire division
Slide Wire	0.001 ohm divided in 500 equal divisions.(Immersed in oil)		
Variable Standard Resistance	10 steps of 0.001 ohm		
Multiplying Ratio	0.01,0.1,1,10 and 100		

RANGE FACTOR SETTING	TOTAL RANGE	RESOLUTION	
0.01	0.00011 ohm	0.02 micro ohm	
0.1	0.0011 ohm	0.2 micro ohm	
1.0	0.011 ohm	2 micro ohm	
10	0.11 ohm	20 micro ohm	
100	1.1 ohm	200 micro ohm	
Switches	Hard silver plated giving constant values upto 10,000 operations.		
Current Source	25 Amp.		
Dimensions (in cms)	55 (L) x 30 (B) x 17 (H) (approx)		
Weight (in kg.)	15 (approx)		

### INDUSTRIAL KELVIN DOUBLE BRIDGE TYPE : 9404

Range of Measurement	0.2 micro-ohm to 11 ohm	1	
Accuracy	below $0.0001\Omega$ $0.0001$ to $0.01\Omega$ above $0.01\Omega$	0.2% 0.1% 0.05%	±1 slide wire division
Slide Wire	0.001 ohm divided in 500 equal divisions.		
Variable Standard Resistance	10 steps of 0.01 ohm		

RANGE FACTOR SETTING	TOTAL RANGE	RESOLUTION	
0.01	0.0011 ohm	0.2 micro ohm	
0.1	0.011 ohm	2 micro ohm	
1.0	0.11 ohm	20 micro ohm	
10	1.1 ohm	0.2 milli ohm	
100	11.0 ohm	2.0 milli ohm	
Switches	Hard silver plated giving constant values upto 10,000 operations.		
Current Source	10 Amp.		
Dimensions (in cms)	48 (L) x 30 (B) x 17 (H)		
Weight (in kg.)	7 (approx.)		



### **KELVIN BRIDGE SECTION:**

Range of Measurement : 0.1 micro ohm to 1 ohm

Accuracy : below 0.0001Ω 0.2%

0.0001 to 0.01Ω 0.1%

above 0.01Ω 0.05% decade dial

Reference Resistance Standards : 0.001 ohm, 0.01 ohm, 0.1 ohm and 1.0 ohm

Dividing Ratio : 1, 10, 100 and 1000 ohm

Multiplying Ratio : 0.1 x 1, 1.0 x 10, 10 x 10 and 100 x 10 ohm in the

Shape of Standard Decade Resistors.

### **WHEATSTONE BRIDGE SECTION:**

Range : 1 ohm to 1.0 mega ohm

Accuracy : 1Ω to100.0 K 0.1%

above 100.0 K 1.0 %

±1 step of lowest decade dial

±1 step of lowest

Dividing and Multiplying Ratio

in Denominations of : 1, 10, 100 and 1000 ohm

Variable Arm : Formulated by decade dials of 10 x

0.1, 10 x 1, 10 x 10 and 10 x 100ohm

### PHYSICAL PARAMETERS OF PRECISION KELVIN-CUM WHEATSTONE BRIDGE:

Construction : Metal Cabinet

Panel : Mica-Hylam of high grade insulation

Dimensions (in cms.) : 63 (L) x 39 (B) x 19 (H)

Weight (in kg.) : 18 (approx.)

### Kelvin Double △□□ Bridge

## ACCESSORIES

"Vaiseshika" Senior Kelvin Double Bridge Type 9403, Industrial Kelvin Double Bridge Type 9404 and Precision Kelvin-cum-Wheastone Bridge Type 9405 require a set of accessories for their successful operations. Please study the following accessories carefully and order for them alongwith the Principal instrument:

### **SPOT REFLECTING GALVANOMETER TYPE 9400 A**

This galvanometer is used for null detection. The sensitivity of the galvanometer is approximately 5 microvolt per mm. A moving light spot provides visual detection of the null point. The movement of the galvanometer is protected against shocks and vibrations. Clamping facility is provided to safeguard the moving coil against jerks and jitters during transit.

Different shunts in the order of 1/0, 1/100, 1/1000 and 1 are incorporated in the Spot Reflecting Glavanometer to control the sensitivity of the galvanometer.

Lamp and scale arrangement is built-in for spot null detection.

### CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE HIGH AMPERAGE DC SOURCE TYPE 9400 B/C/

It is most essential energizing source for the Bridges. It provides high amperage DC output which when used in conjunction with a Bridge facilitates quick null detection. The DC Source is housed in a stout metallic cabinet having current meteringfacility. A continuously variable transformer is provided to have smooth variations in the current at the output terminals.

Input Voltage: 230 Volts ± 10% AC.

### **OUTPUT AMPERAGE CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE**

Code 9400 B: 0 to 30 Amp. suitable for Bridge Type 9403 Code 9400 C: 0 to 10 Amp. suitable for Bridge Type 9404 Code 9400 D: 0 to 50 Amp. suitable for Bridge Type 9405

### **CONDUCTIVITY ATTACHMENT TYPE 9400 E**

This attachment is useful in the determination of specific resistance of a metal rod or metal sheet. Resistance per unit length of a sample can be measured with this attachment. Binding post teminals are provided which can hold the rod of 1/2" dia to 42 SWG Wire. The distance between two potential contacts is 50 cm.

### **CURRENT REVERSING SWITCH TYPE 9400 F**

The direction of current is reversed in a Kelvin Bridge during the course of measurements. Current reversal is necessary to eliminate the errors due to thermo.e.m.f. This current Reversing Switch is a rugged device for the purpose.

For further information please write to:

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SPOT REFLECTING GALVANOMETER



HIGH AMPERAGE DC SOURCE



CONDUCTIVITY ATTACHMENT



CURRENT REVERSING SWITCH

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