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### I. SAFETY :

The meter meets IEC/EN/CSA\_C22.2\_No./UL standards of 61010-1 Ed. 3.0, 61010-2-032 Ed. 3.0, 61010-2-033 Ed. 1.0 to Measurement Categories CAT III 600V and CATIV 300V ac & dc.

The accompanied test probe assembly meets IEC/EN/CSA\_C22.2\_ No./UL standards of 61010-031 Ed. 2.0 to the same meter ratings or better The 61010-031 requires exposed conductive test probe tips to be  $\leq$  4mm for CAT III & CAT IV ratings Refer to the category markings on your probe assemblies as well as on the add - on accessories (like detachable Caps or Alligator Clips), if any, for applicable rating changes.

### TERMS IN THIS MANUAL

**WARNING** identifies conditions and actions that could result in serious injury or evendeath to the user.

**CAUTION** identifies conditions and actions that could cause damage or malfunction in the instrument.

### WARNING

This manual contains information and warnings that must befollowed for operating the meter safely and maintaining themeter in a safe operating condition. If the meter is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the meter may be impaired.

Observe proper safety precautions when working with voltages above 30 Vrms, 42.4 Vpeak or 60 VDC. These voltage levels pose a potential shock hazard to the user Do not expose this product to rain or moisture. The meter is intended only for indoor use.

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Keep your hands / fingers behind the hand / finger barriers (of the meter and the test probe assembly, where applicable) that indicate the limits of safe access of the hand held parts during measurements. Inspect lead wires, connectors, and probes for damaged insulation or exposed metal periodically. If any defects are found, replace them immediately. Only use the test probe assembly provided with the meter or a UL Listed test probe assembly to the same meter ratings or better.

Optional offer premium test probe assembly using silicone lead wire insulation, at agent's discretion, is equipped with white inner insulation layers as wear indicatos. Replace them immediately if any of the white layers has become visible.

### INTERNATIONAL SYMBOLS

- X Marking of Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE). Do
- not dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. Contact a qualified recycler
- Caution! Refer to the explanation in this Manual
- Caution! Possibility of electric shock
- Earth (Ground)
- Meter protected throughout by Double Insulation or Reinforced insulation
- 🖶 Fuse
- === Direct Current (DC)
- → Alternating Current (AC)
- 3∼ Three-phase Alternating Current
- Application around and removal from hazardous live conductors is permitted

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### **BRIEF INFORMATION ON MEASUREMENT CATEGORIES**

**Measurement Category IV** is applicable to test and measuring circuits connected at the source of the building's low voltage MAINS installation Examples are measurements on devices installed before the main fuse or circuit breaker in the building installation.

**Measurement Category III** is applicable to test and measuring circuits connected to the distribution part of the building's lew voltage MAINS installation. Examples are measurements on distribution boards (including secondary meters), circuitbreakers, cables, bus-bars, junction boxes, switches, socket-outlets, stationary motors in the fixed installation, and equipment for industrial use.

**Measurement Category II** is applicable to test and measuring circuits connected directly to utilization points (socket outlets and similar points) of the low-voltage MAINS installation. Examples are measurements on MAINS CIRCUITS of household appliances, portable tools and similar equipment.

### 2) CENELEC DIRECTIVES

The instruments conform to CENELEC Low - Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU, Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive 2014/30/EU and RoHS 2 Directive 2011/65/EU plus amendment Directive (EU) 2015/863.

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#### **SPECIAL FEATURES :**

- •Fork-clamp Current measurement
- •12mm Slim-Probe open jaws for easy slide into tight wirings.
- •Cx range 200.0mF to 2500mF for start & run motor capacitors.
- •MAX/MIN Recording Mode
- •5ms Crest (Peak-Hold) Mode.
- Backlight Display
- Non-Contact EF-Detection (NCV) with Hi/Lo Selectable Sensitivities.
- Probe-contact EF-Detection (Single-pole) for precise

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indication of live.

- Auto ranging for all ranges.
- Relative Mode.
- Data Hold.
- BeepLit feature for Diode & continuity.
- Intelligent Auto-Power off.



### Electrical Specifications:

Accuracy is  $\pm$  (% reading digits + number of digits) or otherwise specified, at 23 °C  $\pm$  5°C. Maximum Crest Factor < 2 : 1 at full scale & <4 : 1 at half scale or otherwise specified, and with frequency spectrum not exceeding the specified frequency bandwidth for non-sinusoidal waveforms.

### DC VOLTAGE

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
600.0 V	0.1 V	±(1.0%rdg + 5dgts)

Input Impedance :  $10M\Omega$  100 pF nominal

### AC VOLTAGE (LPF added)

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
	50Hz ~ 60Hz	
600.0 V	0.1 V	±(1.5%rdg + 5dgts)

**Input Impedance** : 10MΩ 100 pF nominal

#### FORK-CLAMP ACA

Range	Resolution	Accuracy <sup>1)</sup>	
50Hz ~ 60Hz			
60.00 A <sup>2)</sup>	0.01 A	±(2.0%rdg + 5dgts)	
200.0 A	0.1 A	±(2.07010g + 500g(3)	
45Hz ~ 400Hz			
60.00A <sup>2)</sup>	0.01 A	±(3.0%rdg + 5dgts)	
200.0A	0.1 A		
<sup>1)</sup> Input Impedalnduced error from adjacent current carry			
conductor : <0.08A/A			

<sup>2)</sup> 60.00A range measurement available from 0.10A

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### Hz (LPF added) Line-Level Frequency

Function	Sensitivity <sup>1)</sup> (Sine RMS)	Range
600Vac	50V	5.00Hz ~ 999.9Hz

Accuracy : 1% + 5d

<sup>1)</sup> DC-bias, if any, not more than 50% of Sine RMS

#### RESISTANCE

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
600.0 W	0.1 W	
6.000 kW	0.001 kW	±(1.0%rdg + 5dgts)
60.00 kW	0.01 kW	
600.0 kW	0.1 kW	
6000 kW	1 kW	

Open Circuit Voltage: 1.0VDC typical

### CAPACITANCE

Range	Resolution	Accuracy <sup>1)</sup>
200.0 mF	0.1 mF	±(2.0%rdg + 4dgts)
2500 mF	1 mF	-(2.07010g + +09(3)

<sup>1)</sup> Accuracies with film capacitor or better.

### **DC**m**A**

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
200.0 mA	0.1 mA	1/4 00/mdm + Edata)
2000 mA	1 mA	±(1.0%rdg + 5dgts)

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Burden Voltage : 3.5mV/mA

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TEMPERATURE Range	Accuracy
-40.0°C ~ 99.9°C	1.0% ~ 1°C
100.0°C ~ 400°C	1.0%~1℃
-40.0°F ~ 211.8°F	1.0% ~ 2°F
212°F ~ 752°F	1.0 /0 ~ 2°F

<sup>1)</sup> Accuracies assume meter interior has the same temperature (Isothermal stage) of the ambient for a correct junction voltage compensation. Allow the meter & the type-K probe set to reach isothermal stage for a significant change of ambient temperature. It can take up to an hour for changes >5°C. <sup>2)</sup> Type-K thermocouple range & accuracy not included

#### Non-Contact EF-Detection (NCV)

Bar-Graph Indication	EF-H (Hi Sensitivity)	EF-L (Lo Sensitivity)
indication	Typical AC voltag	e (Tolerance)
-	10V (2V~20V)	40V (10V~70V)
	20V (4V~40V)	80V (20V~140V)
	40V (8V~70V)	160V (40V~280V)
	80V (16V~140V)	320V (80V~560V)
	160V (40V~600V)	500V(160V~600V)

Indication : Bar-graph segments & audible beep tones proportional to the field strength.

**Detection Frequency :** 50/60Hz

**Detection Antenna :** Inside the top-left end of the Fork-clamp.

Probe-Contact EF-Detection (Single-pole Measurement) :

For more precise indication of live wires, such as distinguishing between live and ground connections, use one single test probe to test via terminal COM for direct metal contact probing to achieve the most distinctive indications.

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### **BEEPLIT<sup>™</sup> DIODE TESTER**

Range	Resolution	Accuracy
3.000 V	0.001 V	±(1.5%rdg + 5dgts)

Test Current : 0.3mA typically

Open Circuit Voltage : < 3.5VDC typical Beep-Alert Threshold : Drop across 0.850V BeepLit<sup>™</sup> ON Threshold : < 0.100V Audible Indication : Beep sound Visible Indication : LCD Backlight

### BEEPLIT<sup>™</sup> CONTINUITY TESTER :

Continuity Threshold : Between 30W& 480W Continuity ON Response Time : 15ms approx. Audible Indication : Beep sound Visible Indication : LCD Backlight

#### CREST (Peak-Hold) :

Applicability : Voltage & Non-invasion Current functions. Accuracy : Add ±250 digits to specified accuracy for changes >5ms in duration.



**Note: ACV** and **Line-level Hz** functions are bundled with LPF lowpass filter, and are capable of dealing with most **VFD** (Variable Frequency Drives) signals. It also improves reading stability in noisy electrical environments.

### DCV

Inputs are made via the test lead terminals COM/+.

#### Current Measurments: Application & Removal Of The Fork-clamp

Apply the Fork-clamp around conductor(s) of only one single pole of a circuit for load current measurements. Applying around conductors of more than one pole of a circuit may result in differential current (like identifying leakage current) measurements. Align the conductor(s) to the Fork-clamp center indicators as much as possible to get the best measuring accuracy. For removal, remove the Forkclamp from the conductor(s).

Adjacent current-carrying devices such as transformers, motors and conductor wires may affect measurement accuracy. Keep the Forkclamp away from them as much aspossible to minimize influence during measurements.

#### WARNING

This Fork-clamp meter series is designed to diectly apply around or remove from uninsulated hazardous live conductors. But still, individual protective equipment must be used if hazardous live parts in the installation where measurement is to be carried out could be accessible. Do not use the meter to measure currents above the rated frequency (400Hz). Circulating currents may cause the magnetic circuits of the Fork - clamp reach a hazardous temperature.

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### Fork-clamp ACA

Input is made via the Fork-clamp where best accuracy is specified at the center indicator area.





### ● 🔅) BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Continuity

This function is having improved convenience for checking wiring connections and operation of switches. Resistance threshold is being used. A continuous beep sound together with display backlight flashing indicates a complete wire. Such aud ible and visible indications improve continuity readabilities in noisy working environments.

### ● → BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Diode Reading indication:

Forward voltage drop (forward biased) for a good silicon diodeis between 0.400V to 0.900V A higher reading indicates a leaky diode (defective). A zero reading indicates a shorted diode (defective). An over- range display indicates a open diode (defective). Reverse the test leads connections (reverse biased) across the

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diode. The digital display shows over - range If the diode is good. Any other readings indicate the diode is resistive or shorted (defective).

•Beep-Alert & BeepLit<sup>™</sup> indication: When the display reading drops across 0.850V, the meter alerts a short beepsound to signal a reasonable forward voltage drop of common diodes. However, if the reading further drops below 0.100V,the meter gives a continuous beep sound together with the display backlight flashing to indicate a shorted diode or a complete wire. It is similar to that of BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Continuity function but BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Diode, instead, is based on voltage threshold to indicate complete wires.

**CAUTION** Using **Resistance**, **BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Continuity** or **BeepLit<sup>™</sup> Diode** function in a live circuit will produce false results and may damage the meter. In many cases the component (s) under test must be disconnected from the circuit to obtain an accurate measurement reading.

### **EF-Detection of Electric Field**

Defaults at **EF-H**, the High sensitivity. The meter displays"**EF-H**" when it is ready. If it is too sensitive for your applications, press the **SELECT** button momentarily to select **EF-L**, the Low sensitivity. The detected Electric Field strength is indicated as a seriesof bar-graph segments on the display plus variable beep sounds.

#### •Non-Contact EF-Detection (NCV):

An antenna is located along the top-left end of the Fork - clamp, which detects the electric field surrounds energized conductors. It is ideal for tracing live wiring connections, locating wiring breakages and to distinguish between live and earth connections.



### (KUSAM-MECO) **DC**mA Inputs are made via the test lead terminals COM/+. •Application notes: The **DC**m**A** function is designed especially for HVAC/R flame sensor applications. The 0.1mA resolution is useful for identifying the minute current changes in flame detector applications. Flame signal current check should indicate steady fame signal of at MAX 200Â SOUV CAT REC least 2mA for a rectification type, or 1.5m HOLD A for an ultraviolet type (8 mA for self checking systems). If a flame signal current with inadequate strength or fluctuation цÂ beyond 10%, check the following to avoid the risk of unwanted flame relay dropout : For gas or oil flames (Minipeeper): • Low supply voltage Detector location • Defective detector wiring • Dirty viewing window • Faulty Minipeeper For oil flames (Photocell): Detector location & wiring • Smoky flame or poorly adjusted air shutter • Faulty Photocell • Temperature over 165 oF (74 °C) at photocell For gas flames (Flame Rod): • Ignition interference (A flame signal current difference with the ignition both on and off greater than 0.5mA indicates the presence of ignition interference) 18

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- Insufficient ground (must be at least 4 times the detector area)
- Flame lifting off burner head (ground), or not continuously in contact with the fame rod
- Temperature in excess of 600 °F (316 oC) at the flame electrode insulator causing short to ground.

#### - H Capacitance & Temperature

Inputs are made via the test lead terminals **COM/+**. Defaults at **-||-**Capacitance. Press the SELECT button momentarily to select °C (Celsius) and °F (Fahrenheit) in sequence (°F selection can be left out as factory calibration default for countries that only accept metric units).



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### CAUTION

Discharge capacitor (s) before making capacitance measurements. Large value capacitors should be discharged through an appropriate resistance load. Using Capacitance function in a live circuit will produce false results and may damage the meter. In many cases the suspected component (s) must be disconnected from the circuit to obtain accurate measurement readings.

#### Note

Be sure to insert the banana plug type -K temperature bead-probe Bkp60 with correct **+ -** polarities. Banana-pins to type -K socket adapter Bkb32 (Optional purchase) can be used to accept other type-K probes using standard miniature plugs.

Temperature accuracies assume meter interior has the same temperature (isothermal stage) of the ambient, particularly the plug of the probe being used for a correct junction voltage compensation. Allow the meterinterior temperature to atch up with that of the plug after a sudden change of measuring environment and hence the ambient temperature. This can take up to an hour for changes  $5^{\circ}$ C within a low ventilated sturdy meter housing. The uncompensated temperature differences, if any, will be reflected as off sets on the meter readings.

### HOLD

**HOLD** feature freezes the display for later view. LCD "[]" turns on. Press the **HOLD** button momentarily to toggle the feature.

### Relative∆ Mode

**Relative**  $\Delta$  mode allows the user to offset the meter consecutive measurements with the main - display displaying reading as the reference value. LCD " $\Delta$ " turns on. Press  $\Delta$  (HOLD) the button for one second or more to toggle **Relative**  $\Delta$  mode.

### **RECORD** mode

Press the **REC** button momentarily to activate **MAX/MIN** recording mode. LCD **MAX** & **MIN** turn on. The meter beeps when new **MAX** (maximum) or **MIN** (minimum) reading is updated. Press the button momentarily to read the **MAX**, **MIN** and **MAXMIN** (active measurement) readings in sequence. Press the button for 1 second or more to exit this mode. Auto-Power-Off is disabled automatically in this mode.

#### 5ms CREST mode

Press the **CREST** button for one second or more to activate **CREST** mode (Instantaneous PEAK-HOLD) to capture current or voltage peak values in duration as short as 5ms. LCD**C** & **MAX** turn on. The meter beeps when new **C MAX**(+Peak) **C MIN** or (-Peak) reading is updated Press the button momentarily to toggle the **C MAX** and **C MIN** readings. Press the button for 1 second or more to exit this mode. Auto-Power-Off is disabled automatically in this mode.

### LCD Backlight and Auto-Backlight-Off (ABO)

Press the **SELECT** button for 1 second or more to toggle the LCD backlight. The **ABO** mode turns the LCD backlight off automatically after 10 minutes of backlight activation to extend battery life. See **Power-on Options** section for disabling **ABO**.

#### Intelligent Auto-Power- Off (APO)

The mode turns the meter off automatically to extend battery life afteridling 32 minutes of no specified activities, where applicable below:

1) Rotary switch or push button operations

2) Significant measuring readings of above 8.5% of ranges3) Non-over-range readings for Resistance, Continuity or Diode function

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4) Non-zero readings for Hz function

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In other words, the meter will intelligently reset the **APO** mode when it is under normal measurements. To wake up the meter from **APO** , press the **SELECT** button momentarily and release, or turn the rotary switch OFF and then back on. Always turn the rotary switch to the OFF position when the meter is not in use.

### **Power-on Options**

### •Disabling APO and ABO

Press and hold the SELECT button while powering on the meter can disable both APO and BPO features temporarily during the power on session The LCD will display "dAPO" to confirm selection before the **SELECT** button is released.

### •Shortening APO idling time for inspection

Press and hold the **HOLD** button while powering on the meter can shorten the **APO** idling time to 5 seconds temporarily during the power on session It is designed mainly for production inspection.

#### •Showing all LCD segments for inspection

Press and hold the **REC** button while powering on the meter can hold and show all LCD segments before the button is released It is designed main ly for production inspection.

### 5) MAINTENANCE

To avoid electrical shock, disconnect the meter from any circuit, remove the test leads from the input jacks and turn OFF the meter before opening the case. Do not operate with open case.

### **Trouble Shooting**

If the instrument fails to operate, check batteries and test leads etc. and replace as necessary. Double check operating procedure as described in this user's manual Refer to the LIMITED WARRANTY section for obtaining calibration, repairing or warranty service.

#### Accuracy and Calibration

Accuracy is specified for a period of one year after calibration. Periodic calibration at intervals of one year is recommended to maintain meter accuracy.

### **Cleaning and Storage**

Periodically wipe the meter and the test probe assembly with a damp clothand mild detergent. Do not use abrasives or solvents. Allow to dry completely before operating. If the meter is not to be used for periods of longer than 60 days, remove the batteries and store them separately.

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#### **Battery replacement**

The meter uses standard 1.5V AAA Size (IEC R03) battery X 2 Loosen the 2 captive screws from the bottom case. Lift the bottom case. Replace the batteries. Put back the bottom case. Re-fasten the screws.



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TEST CERTIFICATE		
DIGITALTRMS FORK CLAMPMETER		
This Test Certificate warrantees that the product has beer inspected and tested in accordance with the published specifications.		
The instrument has been calibrated by using equipment which has already been calibrated to standards traceable to national standards.		
MODEL NO KM 039F		
SERIAL NO		
DATE:		
ISO 9001:2015		
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### WARRANTY

Each "KUSAM-MECO" product is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use & service. The warranty period is one year (12 months) and begins from the date of despatch of goods. In case any defect occurs in functioning of the instrument, under proper use, within the warranty period, the same will be rectified by us free of charges, provided the to and fro freight charges are borne by you.

This warranty extends only to the original buyer or end-user customer of a "KUSAM-MECO" authorized dealer.

This warranty does not apply for damaged Ic's, fuses, burnt PCB's, disposable batteries, carrying case, test leads, or to any product which in "KUSAM-MECO's" opinion, has been misused, altered, neglected, contaminated or damaged by accident or abnormal conditions of operation or handling.

"KUSAM-MECO" authorized dealer shall extend this warranty on new and unused products to end-user customers only but have no authority to extend a greater or different warranty on behalf of "KUSAM-MECO". "KUSAM-MECO's" warranty obligation is limited, at option, free of charge repair, or replacement of a defective product which is returned to a "KUSAM-MECO" authorized service center within the warranty period.

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