



## IP66 Waterproof and Dustproof! Non-Destructive Hardness Testing!

The PHASE II ultrasonic hardness testers are capable of measuring the surface hardness of a broad variety of metals on flat, round, thin or large surfaces. Accurate measurements of steel, cast steel, alloy steel, gray cast iron, cast iron, cast aluminum alloy, brass, bronze and copper are easily attained with this compact instrument. The MET's meet **ASTM A1038-05** specifications.

#### **MEASURING METHOD:** MET-U1 and MET-UD

There are two basic methods of portable hardness testing that is accepted in the field today.

**"Ultrasonic Contact Impedance"** is based on a 136 degree diamond at the end of a vibrating rod being depressed into the test surface at a fixed load. The difference in Ultrasonic vibration frequency is then calculated into a hardness value. The UCI test procedure is slower than the Dynamic Impact style, however the "UCI" method of hardness testing is portable, easy and accurate. It also has its own advantages when utilized for certain testing applications. UCI testers are not restricted to large mass items like dynamic type testers. These units can test metals as thin as 1mm and at a hardness value as low as 20HRC (75HB). They also excel at performing hardness tests on larger, harder metals as well. Another reason for the rise in popularity is due to the fact that the UCI method is categorized as "Non-Destructive". That translates into less scrap parts/ lower mfg costs due to necessary inspections.

**"Dynamic Impact**" is based on the Leeb principle of hardness, developed by Dietmar Leeb in the 1970's. A spring loaded impact body is thrust to the test surface, effecting rebound. The speed of both the initial thrust and the rebound is measured in a non-contact mode. This is calculated as a Leeb hardness value and then automatically converted to Rockwell C, B, Brinell, Vickers and Shore Values. It has effectually brought easy, fast and accurate results to portable hardness testing.

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# Ultrasonic Hardness Tester MET-U1A & MET-UDA



Scales	Measurement Range	Tolerance
Rockwell C	20-67 HRC	+/- 1.5 HRC
Rockwell B	59-99 HRB	+/-1.5 HRB
Brinell	75-650 HB	+/- 10 HB
Vickers	75-1000 HV	+/- 12 HV
Leeb	200-900HL	+/ <b>-</b> 8HL

### MET-U1 Hardness Tester (MET-U1 and UD )

#### Standard Accessories:

- Base Instrument
- 10N (1kgf) Hand-Held Probe
- Calibrated Test Blocks
- Custom Carry Case
- Battery Charger
- Operation Manual

#### Functions:

- Easy To Read Menu Operation
- Large LCD Display w/ Back Light
- USB Interface
- Automatic Conversions to: Brinell, Rockwell, Vicker and Leeb
- Automatic Mean Value
- Data Archive Capacity

#### Specifications:

- **Tolerance** +/- 3.6% deviation of average from the reference value of the test block with a minimum of 5 tests
- Minimum Thickness of sample: .004" (100µm) (MET-U1) 1.00" (MET-UD)
- **Materials:** steel & cast steel, alloy tool steel, stainless steel, grey cast iron, spheroidal iron, cast aluminum, brass, bronze, wrought copper alloy.
- **Battery type:** NiMH Re-Chargeable (size C)
- **Operating temperature:** 5-104 degrees F
- **Dimensions:** 145 x 80 x 40mm (HxWxD)
- Weight: 2.2 lbs (UD)

#### Technical data for MET U1/UD

Test Device	U1	D1
	(UCI)	(dynamic)
Length	160mm	140mm
Diameter	25mm	25mm
Indentation Depth	30µm	300µm
Pressure Force	14.7N	11Nm
Transducer Test Life (approx)	200,000	50,000
Min. Thickness for test	1mm	12mm
Min. Radius for Test	5mm	10mm
Max Roughness of surface	Ra 2.5µm	Ra 3.2µm
Max Archive	100 Tests	100 Tests
Time of Test	4 sec.	2 sec.

