DP-176 Series

Flatpack LCD Panel Meters for 9V or 5V Power



Features

- Convenient flat panel package
- Shallow depth (0.32")
- Ideal for battery operation
- Very low power consumption (9VDC @ 180μA)
- 9V version for differential inputs
- 5V version for differential or single-ended inputs
- 0.1% typical accuracy
- User-selectable decimal point
- Overvoltage protection
- Quantity discounts

Applications

- Battery-powered equipment
- Handheld devices
- Field service instruments
- Marine equipment
- Power supply monitoring
- Automotive equipment

Description

The DP-176 Series is an ultra-thin, low-power DPM well suited to portable or batterypowered applications. The DP-176 meter uses 9V power (only 1.6mW) and accepts only differential inputs that are isolated from the motor's power source. The DP-176S meter has the same features, but uses 5V power (15mW) and is used for either differential or singleended signal.

The input voltage range is ± 200 mV. Usage with higher voltage ranges requires external scaling resistors. Automatic polarity, overrange indication, and user selectable decimal point are standard features. The 9V version includes a BAT indicator in the lower-left corner of the LCD, which illuminates when the supply voltage drops below 7.2V.

The DP-176 Series employs a dual slope integrating A/D converter and operates from an internal 100mV reference via a precision DC-to-DC converter. Typical accuracy is $\pm 0.1\%$. Both versions use an internal bandgap reference for temperature stability. Reference voltage pins enable ratiometric measurements or input offset adjustments.

The flatpack package provides 15-pin solder pads for easy connection to the meter. An optional connector kit (requires soldering pins to the meter) and bezel are also available.

Technical Notes

- 1. Note: Operating with a +9VDC battery requires that the signal inputs be isolated from the battery (no common ground).
- 2. Decimal point selection is by connecting DP1, DP2, or DP3 to VDD (pin 1).
- 3. With differential inputs, common-mode voltage between INLO and GND (5V power supply common) must be less than ±1 VDC.

Ordering Information

Model	Description
DP-176	Flatpack DPM LCD 9V diff ±200mV
DP-176S	Flatpack DPM LCD 5V SE ±200mV
B-1B	Bezel
APS-5	120V AC to 5V DC Power Supply

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Dimensions



Connections

Pin No.	Pin Name	Description	
1	VDD	Power supply (+5V or +9V)	
2	TST	Digits test (connect to pin 1)	
3	INHI(+)	Positive input signal	
4	INLO(-)	Negative input signal (see Technical Note 1)	
5	GND	Power supply ground	
6	RFL	External reference low	
7	RFH	External reference high	
8	COM	Analog Common	
9	ROL	Internal reference low	
10	ROH	Internal reference high	
11	DP3	1.XXX (connect to +VDD to turn on)	
12	DP2	1X.XX (connect to +VDD to turn on)	
13	DP1	1XX.X (connect to +VDD to turn on)	
14	NC	No connection required	
15	NC	No connection required	



Specifications

	DP-176 Series	DP-176S Series				
Display						
Digits	3 ½ (±1999 count)	3 ¹ / ₂ (±1999 count)				
Туре	7-segment LCD	7-segment LCD				
Digit Height	.50in (12.7mm)	.50in (12.7mm)				
Polarity Indication	Automatic "-" for neg input	Automatic "-" for neg input				
Decimal Point	3 position selectable	3 position selectable				
Overrange Indication	1 for positive, -1 for negative	1 for positive, -1 for negative				
Other Features/Options Low BAT annunciator						
Signal Inputs						
Configuration	Bipolar, differential	Bipolar, differential				
Full-Scale Input	±200mV	±200mV				
Input Offset Adjustment	Auto zero	Auto zero				
Input Impedance	10MΩ	10MΩ				
Common Mode Range	±1VDC	±1VDC				
Common Mode Rejection	>86dB	>86dB				
Overrange Protection	±200VDC continuous	±200VDC continuous,				
	±300VDC intermittent	±300VDC intermittent				
Input Bias Current	1pA typical, 100pA max	1pA typical, 100pA max				
Control Inputs	Decimal point	Decimal point				
	select test functions	select test functions				
Performance						
Sampling Rate	2.5 readings/s	2.5 readings/s				
Accuracy	$\pm (0.1\% + 1 \text{ count}) \text{ typ}$	$\pm (0.1\% + 2 \text{ counts}) \text{ typ}$				
	$\pm (0.2\% + 2 \text{ counts}) \text{ max}$	$\pm (0.2\% + 2 \text{ counts}) \text{ max}$				
Warmup, typical	10 min	10 min				
Temperature Drift, typical	100ppm/°C	100ppm/°C				
Power Supply Requirements						
Supply Voltage	7.2-14VDC (9VDC typ)	5VDC ±5%				
Supply Current, typical	180µA	3mA				
Physical						
Package Style	Flatpack w/ solder pads	Flatpack w/ solder pads				
Dimensions	2.37 x 1.50 x .32	2.37 x 1.50 x .32				
Panel Cutout	1.89 x .66	1.89 x .66				
Weight	0.9 oz (25g)	0.9 oz (25g)				
Bezel	B-1B (optional)	B-1B (optional)				
Environmental Requirements						
Operating Temperature	0 to 50°C	0 to 50°C				
Storage Temperature	-10 to 60°C	-10 to 60°C				
Relative Humidity	0 to 95% non-condensing	0 to 95% non-condensing				