General Features

Texmate’s SM-series meter range includes meters with LCD and LED displays and offers many unique features designed to simplify installation, calibration and scaling. All SM-series meters are pin-compatible. This allows different versions of SM meters to be interchanged within the same application without necessitating wiring or panel cutout changes.

All SM-series meters are 5 V DC powered with bipolar single-ended inputs. The meters feature Display Hold, Display Test and Auto-Polarity indication. The polarity indication may be disabled or reversed by repositioning jumper clips on internal header pins. The SM-series of meters are designed to be user scalable to almost any engineering unit of readout. On-site scaling and recalibration is facilitated by multi-turn potentiometers that provide continuous fine and coarse adjustment within each of the three header-programmable full scale ranges.

The SM-35XMV (LCD display) and SM-35MV (LED display) are specially designed for low voltage inputs and provide three header-programmable input ranges of 20 mV, 200 mV, and 200 V full scale. Both the SM-35XMV and SM-35MV have zero-offset adjustment potentiometers as a standard feature. The three ranges provided with the SM-35X (LCD display ) and the SM-35 (LED display) are 2 V, 20 V, and 200 V full scale and both of these meters can be ordered with an optional zero-offset adjustment potentiometer for use in zero-offset application (e.g. 1-5 V).

Specifications

Input Configuration: Single-ended, with provision to offset the zero of the reading displayed
Input Impedance: 1MΩ minimum
Full Scale Ranges: ±20 mV DC ±200 mV DC ±2 V DC (Standard Range) (All ranges are header selectable)
A/D Converter: 12 Bit Dual Slope
Accuracy: ±(0.05% of reading + 2 digits)
Temp Coefficient: 100ppm/°C typical
Warmup Time: One minute to specified accuracy
Conversion Rate: 3 readings per second
Display: 0.48” Liquid Crystal Display (LCD); Display Hold & Dummy Zero
Decimal Selection: User programmable to 3 positions
Over-range Indication: When input exceeds full scale on any range being used, the most significant “1” digit and “+” or “–” symbol is displayed with all other digits blanked
Power Supply: +4.5 to +5.25V DC at 10 to 15mA
Operating Temperature: -20°C to +50°C
Storage Temperature: -20˚C to +70˚C
Relative Humidity: 95% (non-condensing)
Case Dimensions: Bezel (2.755"W x 1.170"H) 69.68mmW x 29.72mmH Depth behind bezel (3.315") 84.2mm Plus (0.685") 17.4mm for connector
Weight: 88 gms (3.1 oz) 143 gms (5 oz) when packed

SM-Series LED Displays

SM-35: 3.5 digit Red LED, 2/20/200VDC, 5VDC Pwr
SM-35M: 3.5 digit Red LED, 0.02/0.2/2VDC, 5VDC Pwr

SM-Series LCD Displays

SM-35X: 3.5 digit LCD, 2/20/200VDC, 5VDC Pwr
SM-35XMV: 3.5 digit LCD, 0.02/0.2/2VDC, 5VDC Pwr
This meter employs high impedance CMOS inputs.

T exmate, or from almost any connector manufacturer.

standard PC board edge connector having two rows of 10 pins.

signal, the T exmate SM-35XMV interconnects by means of a

signal Low Input and +5 V DC Power Input. For other applica-

Input and Power Supply Ground (joined on the one terminal),

supply with the meter can be used to connect Signal Low

decimal point and dummy zero, the three screw terminal blocks

Display Hold, Display T est, or remotely change the selected

For most applications where it is not necessary to activate

Display Hold, Display Test, or remotely change the selected

decimal point and dummy zero may be blanked as required by careful-

ly scraping off the fine tracks linking these pins to Decimal

Select Common using a pair of pliers or a small screwdriver

blade. Re-connect either by linking the appropriate pins on the

connector or by solder-bridging the junctions located on the PC

board edge fingers. CAUTION: Do not connect either the
dummy zero or the decimal select to power supply ground.

Although the dummy zero and decimals will become activated
when their select pins are grounded, this improper connection
will eventually cause permanent damage to the display.

Pins B and 2 - Decimal Select Common: Common return
pins for decimal point selection (see CAUTION above.)

Pins J and K - Power Supply Ground: Power supply ground
return. (Note: Separate connections to Pins J and K and Pins 8
and 9 are recommended when using edge connectors with the
meter to minimize ground loop effects.)

Pin L - Display Hold Input (CMOS compatible): If Pin L is left
open, the meter will operate in a free-running mode. While Pin
L is connected to +5 V DC Power Supply Input Pins 6 and 7, the
meter will latch up; A/D conversions will continue but the display
will not be updated until Pin L is released.

Pins 4 and 5 - Signal High Input: Signal inputs for all voltage
ranges are applied to these pins. Maximum overvoltage pro-
tection is ±400 V DC or 280 V AC. See CAUTION: ELECTRIC
SHOCK HAZARD see above.

Pins 6 and 7 - +5 V DC System Power Input: The meter
requires a regulated low-ripple 5 V DC power supply applied to
these pins.

Pins 8 and 9 - Signal Low Input: Signal low input of the ana-
log to digital converter circuits (Note: When measuring input
signals (on the 2 V range) that are not isolated from the +5 V
DC supply used to power the meter, a ground loop can be cre-
ated that will cause the least significant digit to exhibit errors
and instability. To avoid this problem the ground return path of
the analog signal should be connected to the power supply
ground only at the Signal Low Input Pins 8 and 9 of the meter.)

Pin 10 - Display Test Input: All numeric display segments will
operate when Pin 10 is connected to +5 V DC Power Supply
Input Pins 6 and 7. CAUTION: The Display Test function is only
intended for momentary operation. Continuous application of
Display Test will, in time, damage the display.

CAUTION: This meter employs high impedance CMOS inputs.

Although internal protection has been provided for several hun-
dred volt overloads, the meter will be destroyed if subjected to
the high kilovolts of static discharge that can be produced in low
humidity environments. Always handle the meter with ground
protection.

Pin A,C, 1 and 3 - Decimal Select and Dummy Zero: Decimal
points and dummy zero may be blanked as required by careful-
lly scraping off the fine tracks linking these pins to Decimal
Select Common using a pair of pliers or a small screwdriver
blade. Re-connect either by linking the appropriate pins on the
connector or by solder-bridging the junctions located on the PC
board edge fingers. CAUTION: Do not connect either the
dummy zero or the decimal select to power supply ground.

This header allows the Polarity indication to be
displayed normally, displayed reversed or to be
disabled completely.

The ZERO pot when installed is to the left of the
SPAN pots (as viewed from the back of the
meter). Typically it enables the displayed reading
to be offset ±1000 counts.
Calibration Procedure

CAUTION - ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD See Below.

1) Select the F.S. input voltage range by re-positioning the jumper clip on the range select header as indicated by the voltages marked on the PCB.

2) Short Signal High Input Pins 4 & 5 to Signal Low Input Pins 8 & 9.

3) Adjust Zero Offset until the display reads zero.

4) Apply F.S. voltage.

5) Adjust Span Coarse & Span Fine controls; clockwise increases the displayed reading.

6) Adjust Zero Offset to offset the zero reading as required. (Re-calibration must be performed after changing ranges)

CAUTION - ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD All internal parts of the meter may be at the same electrical potential as the input signal and power supply. Do not reposition the jumper clip on the range select header when input voltages are applied. When measuring dangerously high input voltages, extreme care must be taken to insulate the connector pins as well as all metal parts of the meter. A suitable high voltage warning notice should be affixed to those meters where there is any possibility that the meter could be removed from its case, or the internal components accessed, concurrent with the existence of a high voltage input signal.

SPAN Fine Potentiometer (Pot)
The 15 turn SPAN Fine pot is the middle pot (as viewed from the back of the meter). Typical adjustment is 10% of the input signal range.

SPAN Coarse Potentiometer (Pot)
The 15 turn SPAN Coarse pot is on the right side (as viewed from the back of the meter). Typical adjustment is 100% of the input signal range.

RANGE SELECT Header
Range values are marked on the PCB. Three positions are provided. After selecting a new range with the single jumper clip, recalibration is required.

Push-On Screw Terminals
They provide the greatest convenience and ease of use
Texmate’s exclusive optional Push-On Connectors combine an edge card connector and a 10 position screw terminal block. Push-On Connectors are ordered preconfigured for each specific power supply voltage and each optional power supply available for the SM-Series.

Part Number: CN-PUSH/SM

Optional PCB Edge Connector
PCB Edge Connector
A standard 20-pin edge connector (two rows of 10 pins on 0.156" centers) is used to connect the SM-35 meter. Order part no. CN-L10.

Custom Face Plates
Texmate Produces Thousands of Custom OEM Face Plates
Have Texmate Design and Build a Custom Face Plate to Suit your Next project!

• Custom face plates have a non-recurring artwork charge. A serial number is then assigned to each artwork, to facilitate re-ordering.

• Small Run or One-Off custom face plates incur an installation charge, and are generally printed on a special plastic film, which is then laminated to custom faceplate blanks as required.

• Large Run (250 pieces min): custom face plates are production silk screened, issued a part number, and held in stock for free installation as required by customer orders.

• OEMs may also order Custom Meter Labels, Box Labels Custom Data Sheets and Instruction Manuals.

Decimal Point Selection
The meter is shipped from the factory with all the decimal points on. To turn off unwanted decimals, use a pair of long-nosed pliers to scrape off the fine tracks connecting decimals to decimal select common (alternatively, use a scalp or small screwdriver). Reconnect by soldering where shown.

TB-Kit Screw Connectors
Texmate’s individual screw terminal blocks offer a convenient alternative to edge connectors for many applications, allowing complete installation, configuration and calibration without the need for soldering.

Slide each terminal block over the PCB until the hole aligns. Insert the retaining screw to secure. Each kit includes: 3 plastic blocks with metal contacts, 4 screws with spade connectors, 1 metal contact and 3 quick disconnects.
The Slim Bezel Case is supplied as standard. If specified at time of ordering, any combination of Twin Mounting and Multiple Array Cases may be substituted at no additional cost. Extra cases may be ordered separately.

### STANDARD SLIM BEZEL CASE

- **SLIM BEZEL CASE**
  - Standard Black ABS case with matte finish bezel for single unit mounting.
  - Part No.: SL-CASECLR for LED's
  - SL-CASELGR for LCD's

### OPTIONAL TWIN MOUNTING OR MULTIPLE ARRAY CASES

- **END MOUNT CASE**
  - Same styling as Slim Bezel case but with bottom edge of bezel removed. Two End Mount cases can be twin mounted in a single cutout.
  - Part No.: EM-CASECLR for LED's
  - EM-CASELGR for LCD's

- **CENTER MOUNT CASE**
  - Any number of Center Mount cases may be fitted between two End Mount cases for multiple arrays.
  - Part No.: CM-CASECLR for LED's
  - CM-CASELGR for LCD's

### Ordering Information

#### Standard Options for this Model Number

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Part Number</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>List</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>BASIC MODEL NUMBER</td>
<td>Includes plug in type screw terminals, standard display and standard power supply unless optional versions are ordered.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SM-35XMV</td>
<td>3.5 digit LCD, 0.02/0.2/2VDC, 5VDC Pwr</td>
<td>$79</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Special Options and Accessories

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Part Number</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>List</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>SPECIAL OPTIONS (Specify Inputs &amp; Req. Reading)</td>
<td>Range change from the standard input as shown in <strong>BOLD</strong> type</td>
<td>$7</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### WARRANTY

Texmate warrants that its products are free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of one year from date of shipment. Texmate's obligations under this warranty are limited to replacement or repair, at its option, at its factory, of any of the products which shall, within the applicable period after shipment, be returned to Texmate's facility. Transportation charges pre-paid, and which are, after examination, disclosed to the satisfaction of Texmate to be thus defective. The warranty shall not apply to any equipment which shall have been repaired or altered, except by Texmate, or which shall have been subjected to misuse, negligence, or accident. In no case shall Texmate's liability exceed the original purchase price of the product. The aforementioned provisions do not extend the original warranty period of any product which has been either repaired or replaced by Texmate.

### USER'S RESPONSIBILITY

We are pleased to offer suggestions on the use of our various products either by way of printed matter or through direct contact with our sales/application engineering staff. However, since we have no control over the use of our products once they are shipped, NO WARRANTY WHETHER OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR PURPOSE, OR OTHERWISE is made beyond the repair, replacement, or refund of purchase price at the sole discretion of Texmate. Users shall determine the suitability of the product for the intended application before using, and the users assume all risk and liability whatever in connection therewith, regardless of any of our suggestions or statements as to application or construction. In no event shall Texmate's liability, in law or otherwise, be in excess of the purchase price of the product. Texmate cannot assume responsibility for any circuitry described. No circuit patent or software licenses are implied. Texmate reserves the right to change circuitry, operating software, specifications, and prices without notice at any time.

---

**For product details visit www.texmate.com**

Local Distributor Address

Texmate Inc.

995 Park Center Drive • Vista, CA 92081-8397

Tel: 1-760-598-9899 • USA 1-800-839-6283 • That's 1-800-TEXMATE

Fax: 1-760-598-9828 • Email: sales@texmate.com • Web: www.texmate.com

Texmate has facilities in Japan, New Zealand, Taiwan, and Thailand. We also have authorized distributors throughout the USA and in 28 other countries.

---

Copyright © 2003 Texmate Inc. All Rights Reserved.