

# Model 541 Frequency Calibrator with Totalizer

## **Features**

#### **Frequency Read & Source Functions**

Accuracy  $\pm$  0.005% of range

Source and Read

Six Ranges 1 count per hour to 20.000Khz

Calibrate Totalizer input and outputs from 1 to 99999

Count Pulses 1 to 99999

LED indicator for gate time

#### **Read Function**

Read a wide range of Frequencies and Waveforms

Read 50mV to 120V peak

Read signals from Flowmeter pickups, Velocity and

**Motion Detectors** 

Totalizers

#### **Source Function**

Sine and Square waves, Zero Based and Zero Crossing Frequency from 1CPH to 20 KHz

Adjustable amplitude from 100mV to 12Volts peak-to-peak

Simulates Vibration Pickups, Variable Speed Drives and more

#### **Calibrate Totalizers**

Output a number of pulses from 1 to 100 minutes

## **Gate Trigger Indicator**

The LED flashes in synch with the output frequency. This allows easy adjustment of the attenuation for proper gate triggering.

#### Full 5 Digit Display

True  $\pm 0.005\%$  of range accuracy

Bar graph for quick reference of trigger level and output levels, 5% of frequency range

High contrast graphic display viewable in all lighting conditions and angles

#### EZ-Dialä Knob

Change the speed of dialing your test point by just pushing down on the knob

### EZ-Checkä Switch

Stop watch style push button for accurate totalizer measurements and for high and low readings

#### Uses a standard 9V Alkaline Battery

Superior battery life of 24 hours under typical continuous usage

Easy access to battery compartment

#### 240 VAC Tolerant

Fuse-less protection from accidental misuse

#### Lightweight and rugged with a solid feel

Convenient Velcro® hand strap allows for a firm confident grip or attachment to pipes and ladders.





# **Model 541 Datasheet**

# **Description**

The Practical Instrument Electronics' Model 541 is the best tool for calibration, test, and diagnosing turbine meters, frequency counters, vibration systems, tachometers, vortex shedders, integrators, and any other Frequency devices in the shop, plant and/or field. The Model 541 brings all the features you would expect from a frequency calibrator and timesaving new ones. The model 541 comes with an LED indicator showing gate time for easy trigger level adjustment. Make adjustments with the EZ-Dialä Knob or test limits with the dual action EZ-Checkä Switch. Save hours of troubleshooting time on problems when compared to other calibration methods. When calibrating a totalizer, the model 541 eliminates the need of a stop watch. This calibrator will automatically stop when the selected number of pulses has been sent to the totalizer.

# **Specifications**

## General Specifications:

(Unless otherwise indicated all specifications are rated from a nominal 23 °C, 70 % RH for 1 year from calibration)

Operating Temperature Range	-20 to 60 °C (-5 to 140 °F)	
Storage Temperature Range	-30 to 60 °C (-22 to 140 °F)	
Relative Humidity Range	10 % ≤RH ≤90 % (0 to 35 °C), Non-condensing	
	10 % ≤RH≤ 70 % (35 to 60 °C), Non-condensing	
Size	7.00 X 3.30 X 2.21 inches (177.8 x 83.8 x 56.1mm)	
Weight	12.0 oz (340 grams)	
Battery	9V Alkaline	
Miscellaneous	Low battery indication with nominal 1 hour of operation left	
	Over-voltage protection to 120 Vrms (rated for 30 seconds) or 240 Vrms (rated for 15	
	seconds)	
	High contrast graphic liquid crystal display with 0.45" (11.4 mm) high digits	

Frequency Ranges	1CPH to 20.000Khz
Accuracy	± 0.005% of range
Temperature Effect	≤ 10ppm/°C of range

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1	1 CPH< CPH Range < 20000 CPH	
2	0.1 CPM (0.0167Hz) < CPM Range < 2000.0 CPM (33.33Hz)	
3	0.01Hz < Hz < 200.00Hz	
4	0.1Hz < Hz Range < 2000.0Hz	
5	0.001KHz < KHz Range < 20.000KHz	
6	Totalize inputs/outputs from 1 to 99999 counts in 0.1 minutes to 100.0 minutes	

## Read Inputs Specifications:

x1 attenuation range: 0.1Vpk to 12Vpk	
ge: 1Vpk to 120V peak – Limit of attenuation is 120Vpk	
l with X1 and x10 attenuation ranges	
typical	



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Waveforms Source Specifications:

Output current >6mApp at 12Vpp output, 20KHz

Output Impedance < 25Ω

Square Wave:

Zero Crossing, Zero Based

Rise/Fall Time < 0.0001% of output Vpk per Second

Frequency Jitter < 0.5LSB of frequency range

 $50\% \pm 2\%$ Duty cycle

Sine Wave:

Offset and Zero Crossing Symmetry < ± 10% of Vpk Output amplitude setting

Amplitude Adjustment 100mV < Nominal Output < 12Vpp ± 10% of setting

Selectable

**Calibration Certificate:** 

NIST Traceable Certificate provided

Option: Test data available upon request at additional charge.

**Available Options:** 

Option: Part Number:

> With a BNC connector Model 541 BNC ADDED CHARGE OF \$50.00 to the list of the 541

020-0200 Carrying Case

# Warranty

Our equipment is guaranteed against defective material and workmanship (excluding batteries) for a period of three years from the date of shipment. Claims under guarantee can be made by returning the equipment prepaid to our factory. The equipment will be repaired, replaced or adjusted at our option. The liability of Practical Instrument Electronics (PIE) is restricted to that given under our quarantee. No responsibility is accepted for damage, loss or other expense incurred through sale or use of our equipment. Under no condition shall Practical Instrument Electronics, Inc. be liable for any special, incidental or consequential damage.

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