# UNIVERSAL HARDNESS TESTER TH-160™

Portable dynamic metal hardness tester with thermal printer, statistics and RS-232 output

## New model featuring:

- Large memory for 1000 tests
- Auto-recognition of connected Impact Device
- Auto-recognition of Impact Device test direction
- Statistical data and upper-lower limit setting
- Prints all test results and histogram
- RS-232 interface (to hyperterminal or dataview software)
- Time and date setting; auto-clock
- Back-light LCD
- Direct display of hardness scales Rockwell HRB, HRC, Vickers HV, Brinell HB, Shore HS, Leebs HL
- Conversion to tensile strength σb (U.T.S.)
- For all metallic materials
- Impact device provides testing at any angle, even upside down
- Integral thermal printer
- High accuracy ±6HLD and conforms to ASTM A 956
- Six impact devices are available for special applications (see next pages)



Dataview for TH-160 Very user friendly Windows operated software package

### **Technical specifications**

Hardness parameter	HL, HRC, HRB, HV, HB, HS					
Measuring range / metallic materials	See table above					
Tensile strength U.T.S. range (steel only)	σb from 374 to 2652					
Ассигасу	Within ±6HLD					
Functions	Auto-recognition of connected probe and probe test direction, auto-conversion to other hardness scales					
Memory	1000 test maximum					
Data-output	RS-232 to hyperterminal (MS) and dataview TH-160					
Printer	Thermal printer showing all test results, settings and histogram					
Statistics	Average value, min-max, upper-lower limits					
Impact device	D (standard)					
Optional impact devices	DC/D+15/DL/G/C/E (see next page)					
Workpiece max. hardness value	900HLD					
Workpiece radius (convex/concave)	Rmin = 50mm (with support ring Rmin= 10mm)					
Min. Workpiece weight	2~5kg on stable support					
	0.05~2kg with compact coupling					
Workpiece min. thickness coupled	5mm (except with impact device G: 10mm, C: 1mm)					
Workpiece min. case hardened depth	0.8mm					
Indentation depth	See next page: Impact devices data					
Power	Rechargeable Li battery, 6V (1 pc)					
Charger	6V, 500mA (1.8VA)					
Charging time	2.5 - 4 hours					
Operating temperature	0 to 40°C					
Overall dimensions	230mm x 90mm x 47mm					
Weight	420 gr (including impact device and printer)					



### Standard delivery

- Main unit with impact
- device type D ■ Printer (on top)
- Test block with HLD-value
- Charger
- Cleaning brush
- Coupling paste
- Table support for main unit
- Communication cable
- Certificate
- Manual
- Plastic carrying case

### **Optional accessories**

- Special impact devices
- (see overview on next page) ■ Test blocks UKAS certified in any hardness parameter
- Support rings for convex and concave surfaces
- Dataview software TH-160

# **IMPACT DEVICES FOR SPECIAL APPLICATIONS**

Hardness testing devices for models TH-140/160

# **Technical specifications**

Impact devices:	D/DC/DL	D+15	с	G	E
Impact energy:	11 Nmm	11 Nmm	3 Nmm	90 Nmm	11 Nmm
Mass of impact body:	5.5 gr DL: 7.3	7.8 gr	3.0 gr	20 gr	5.5gr
Test tip					
Hardness	1600HV	1600HV	1600HV	1600HV	5000HV
Diameter	3mm	3mm	3mm	5mm	3mm
Material			Tungsten carbide		Diamond
Impact body					
■ Diameter	20mm	20mm	20mm	30mm	20mm
■ Length	147/86mm	162mm	141mm	254mm	155mm
Weight	75/50gr	80gr	75g	250g	80g
Max. hardness of sample:	940 HV	940HV	1000HV	650HB	1200HV
Preparation of surface					
Roughness class ISO	N7	N7	N5	N9	N7
Max. roughness depth Rt	10µm	10µm	2.5µm	30µm	10µm
Average roughness Ra	2µm	2µm	04µm	7μm	2µm
Min. weight of sample					
Of compact shape	5kg	5kg	1.5kg	15kg	5kg
On solid support	2kg	2kg	0.5kg	5kg	2kg
Coupled on plate	0.1kg	0.1kg	0.02kg	0.5kg	0.1kg
Min. thickness of sample					
■ Coupled	3mm	3mm	1mm	10mm	3mm
Min. thickness of hardened layers	0.8mm	0.8mm	0.2mm	-	0.8mm

# Indentation of test tip

Impact devices:	D/DC/DL	D+15	С	G	E	
With 300 HV						
Diameter	0.54mm	0.54mm	0.38mm	1.03mm	0.54mm	
Depth	24µm	24µm	12µm	53µm	24µm	
With 600 HV						
Diameter	0.45mm	0.45mm	0.32mm	0.90mm	0.45mm	
Depth	17µm	17µm	8µm	41µm	17µm	
With 800 HV						
Diameter	0.35mm	0.35mm	0.30mm	-	0.35mm	
Depth	10µm	10µm	7µm	-	10µm	

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## IMPACT DEVICE E

Special feature: Synthetic diamond test tip (approximately 5000 HV). Application: For measurements in the extremely high hardness range (always in excess of 50 HRC/650 HV). Tool steels with high carbide content inclusions. For measurements up to 1200 HV.

## IMPACT DEVICE G

Special feature: Enlarged test tip, increased impact energy (approxmately 9 times that of type D) Low demands on measuring surface finish. For measurements in the Brinell range only (max. 650 HB) Application: Solid components, e.g. heavy castings and forgings.



#### IMPACT DEVICE D

Special feature: Universal standard unit. Application: For the majority of hardness testing assignments.



#### IMPACT DEVICE C

Special feature: Reduced impact energy (approximately 1/4 of type D). Application: Surface hardened components, coatings, thin walled or impact sensitive components (small measuring indentation).

## IMPACT DEVICE DC

Special feature: Extremely short impact device. Spring loaded with a special loading stick. Otherwise as for type D. Application:

use in very confined spaces, e.g. in holes, cylinders or for internal measurements on assembled machines.



#### IMPACT DEVICE D+15 IMPACT DEVICE DL

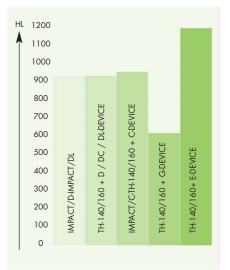
Special feature: Particularly slim front section and with measuring coil moved back.

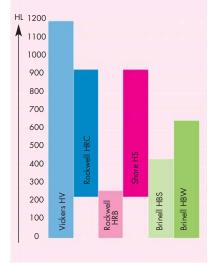
Application: Hardness measurements in grooves and on recessed surfaces.

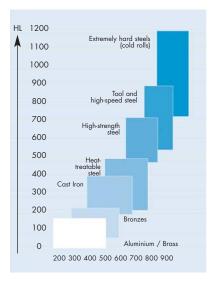
Special feature: Needle front section diameter 4.2mm, ength 50mm. Application: Measurements in extremely confined spaces



Impact Device G







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