# **CD800F**

**DIGITAL MULTIMETER INSTRUCTION MANUAL** 

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#### [1] SAFETY PRECAUTIONS Before use, read the following safety precautions.

This instruction manual explains how to use your new digital multimeter CD800F safely. Before use, please read this manual thoroughly. After reading it, keep it together with the product for reference to it when necessary.

If you use the product in a method not specified in this manual, the protection function of the product may be imperiled.

The instruction given under the heading of "  $\triangle$  WARNING" and "  $\triangle$  CAUTION" must be followed to prevent accidental burn or electrical shock.

#### 1-1 Explanation of Warning Symbols

The meaning of the symbols used in this manual and attached to the product is  $\triangle$ : Very important instructions for safe use. • The WARNING messages are intended to prevent accidents to operating

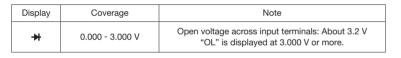
- personnel such as burn and electrical shock. The CAUTION messages are intended to prevent damage to the instrument.
- Symbols attached to the product
- ⚠ : Symbol soliciting reference to this manual before use
- : Double or enhanced insulation
- → : Diode 🛓 : Ground Ω: Resistance
- •)): Buzzer H: Capacitance \*: Backlight

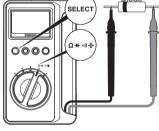
#### 1-2 Warning Instructions for Safe Use **⚠ WARNING**

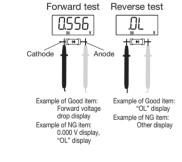
The following instructions are intended to prevent personal injury such as burn and electric shock. Be sure to follow them when using the tester. 1. This instrument is a digital multimeter for metering low voltages. Never use it on electric circuits that exceed CAT.IV 1000 V.

- 2. Pay special attention when measuring the voltage of AC 33 Vrms (46.7  $\rm V$ neak) or DC 70 V or more to avoid injury.
- 3. Never apply an input signal exceeding the maximum rating input value (see 1-3). 4. Never use the meter for measuring the line connected with equipment (i.e.
- motors) that generates induced or surge voltage since it may exceed the maximum allowable voltage.
- 5. Never use meter if the meter or test leads are damaged or broken. 6. Never use uncased meter or the meter without the lid.
- 7. Always keep your fingers behind the finger guards on the probe when making measurements.
- 8. Be sure to disconnect the test pins from the circuit when changing the function. 9. Before starting measurement, make sure that the function and range are
- properly set in accordance with the measurement.
- Never use meter with wet hands or in a damp environment. 11. Never open tester case except when replacing batteries.
- Do not attempt any alteration of original specifications.
- 12. To ensure safety and maintain accuracy, check the meter in the start-up inspection as well as in the inspection/calibration to be performed at least once a year.
- 13. The meter is for indoor use only.
- 14. Wear insulating protective gear when using the meter with equipment containing a hazardous live part. Also be sure to observe your local and
- 15. Always use the meter in a specified method to prevent the protective function from being imperiled.

## 5-4-2 Diode test (→)

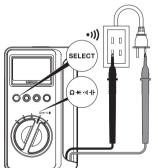






### 5-4-3 Continuity check ( • »)

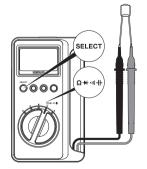
Display	Coverage	Note
•1))	0.0 - 600.0 Ω	Open voltage across input terminals: About 1.0 V



The buzzer beeps at 10 to 50  $\Omega$  or less.







Discharge the capacitor before measurement It takes a while to measure large capacitance. This measurement is not suitable for

measurement of a capacitor with a high leak current such as an electrolytic capacitor.

### 5-5 EF (Electric Field) sensing

with the target.

### **⚠ WARNING** 1. Before EF sensing, check the operation of this instrument using a known

- 2. Always keep your fingers behind the finger guards on the probe when
- 3. Note that the voltage is not always absent and that a voltage below the
- sensing voltage may exist. 1) This function identifies the presence of voltage in a simplified manner by
- sensing the electric field generated by AC voltage. Sensing voltage reference: A voltage or electric field of about 60 V or more can be sensed ②When the function switch is set to EF, "EF" is displayed.
- Noncontact type : An antenna is provided near the ▲ marking on the top
- left of the main unit · Contact type: Bring the test pin of a test lead (either red or black) in contact
- More accurate sensing is possible by distinguishing the non-grounded and grounded sides. "-" is displayed and the buzzer beep is generated on the
- non-grounded (hot) side, while "EF" remains displayed and the buzzer beep is not generated on the grounded side. "EF" may sometimes become "-" even on the grounded side. This happens
- when the wiring is long, etc.

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### **⚠** CAUTION

2. The meter may malfunction or correct measurement may not be

inverter circuit.

Function

ACV Hz

DCV

Ω/<del>→</del>I/•))/∃F

2-1 Applications

2-2 Features

1-3 Overload protections

Input terminals

+ (Red)

- (Black)

+ or -

[2] APPLICATIONS AND FEATURES

• Safety design compliant to IEC61010.

• EF (Electric Field sensing).

mains socket.

[3] NAMES OF COMPONENT UNITS

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ÇATW 1000V

→ : Diode

DC: Direct Current

C) OTUA-I-

AC DC →) → HFMkΩHzmVA

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3-1 Multimeter and test leads

EF antenna position

**HOLD** button

△ REL button

SELECT button

**RANGE** button

Power/function switch

3-2 Display

: Voltage alarm

AUTO: Auto Range indicator

: Continuity check

3-3 Attaching the strap

AC : Alternative Current

(2) : Auto Power Save indicator

Hand strap

Display

 AC measurements with True RMS conversion. · High portability thanks to the case-integrated design.

Measurement categories (Overvoltage categories)

CAT. IV: Circuit from the leading wire to the distributor.

performed when measuring a special waveform such as that from an

AC 1000 V

DC 1000 V

Voltage input prohibited

AC/DC 1000 V

This instrument is a digital multimeter with rms value response, designed for

CAT. II: Primary circuit of equipment with a power cord to be connected to a

distributor and the circuit from the distributor to the mains socket

CAT. III: Primary circuit of equipment that inputs power directly from the

measurements within the range specified as CAT.IV 1000 V in IEC61010.

Max. rated input value Max. overload protection input

AC/DC 1100 V

AC/DC 1000 V

Removable test pin covers

⊳

Removable test pin covers

Test probe (black)

HOID: Data Hold indicator

+/-: Low battery indication

▲ : Relative operation indicator

Insert the Hand strap into the strap hole as

Note: Because of the high

sensitivity, the EF sensing

distance of some tens of

centimeter apart from a

source of high frequencies

such as an inverter circuit.

may be activated at a

MAX MIN: MAX/MIN mode indicator

+I+: Capacitor

When covered: CAT.IV 1000 V

n uncovered: CAT.II 1000 V

#### 1. Correct measurement may not be performed when using the meter in a ferromagnetic/intense electric field such as a place near a transformer, high-current circuit or a radio

1) Appearance

[6] MAINTENANCE

• Is the appearance not damaged by falling? · Is the cord of the test leads not damaged or the core wire not exposed at

maintain the safety and accuracy.

6-1 Maintenance and inspection

any place of the test leads? If any of the above is found with the appearance, do not use the equipment

**⚠ WARNING** 

1. This section is very important for safety. Read and understand the following instruction fully and maintain your instrument properly.

2. The instrument must be calibrated and inspected at least once a year to

and have it repaired.

## 6-2 Calibration

The manufacturer may conduct the calibration and inspection. For more

### 6-3 Cleaning and storage

information, please contact the dealers.

**⚠** CAUTION

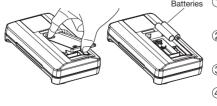
#### 1. The main unit is not resistant to volatile solvent and must not be cleaned with lacquer thinner or alcohol. If it gets dirty, wipe lightly with a soft cloth moistened with a small amount of water. 2. The main unit is not resistant to heat. Do not place it near a source of high heat.

- 3. Do not store the instrument in a place where it may be subjected to excessive vibrations or from where it may fall.
- 4. For storing the instrument, avoid hot, cold or humid places or placed
- under direct sunlight or where condensation is anticipated.
- 5. When the instrument is not to be used for a long period, be sure to

### 6-4 Battery replacement

### **№ WARNING**

- 1. If the rear case or the battery lid is removed with input applied to the input terminals, you may get electrical shock. Before starting the work, always make sure that no input is applied. 2. Before starting the work, be sure to turn OFF the main unit power and
- release the test leads from the circuit.



Batteries ① Using a Phillips screwdriver, turn the battery lid retaining screw (x1) until it becomes loose. 2 Press the position marked PUSH to lift the battery lid, and

then remove it. 3 Replace the batteries by taking care of the polarity. 4 Attach the battery lid and

tighten the retaining screw.

### [7] AFTER-SALE SERVICE

#### 7-1 Warranty and provision Sanwa offers comprehensive warranty services to its end-users and to its

product resellers. Under Sanwa's general warranty policy, each instrument is warranted to be free from defects in workmanship or material under normal use for the period of one (1) year from the date of purchase. This warranty policy is valid within the country of purchase only, and applied

only to the product purchased from Sanwa authorized agent or distributor. Sanwa reserves the right to inspect all warranty claims to determine the extent to which the warranty policy shall apply. This warranty shall not apply to disposables batteries or any product or parts which have been subject to one of the following causes:

- 1. A failure due to improper handling or use that deviates from the instruction 2. A failure due to inadequate repair or modification by people other than Sanwa
- service personnel. 3. A failure due to causes not attributable to this product such as fire, flood and
- other natural disaster. 4. Non-operation due to a discharged battery.
- 5. A failure or damage due to transportation, relocation or dropping after the

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#### [4] DESCRIPTION OF FUNCTIONS

4-1 Power/Function switch Turn this switch to turn on and off the power and to switch the measuring

#### 4-2 Auto Power Save

The Auto Power Save function turns the display off automatically in about 15 minutes after the last operation or after an input of 20 V or higher was applied to save the power consumption. To return from this status, press the SELECT or RANGE button or turn the power switch to OFF then to another position.

To disable the Auto Power Save function, switch the meter on by turning the function switch while holding the SELECT button depressed. A short buzzer beep is generated, "dRPS" is displayed for 2 seconds, and the ⊘indicator

A small current flows inside the meter even in the Auto Power Save status. After measurement, always turn the function switch to the OFF position.

#### 4-3 Low battery indication

When the batteries are exhausted until the supply voltage drops below about 2.3 V, the indicator lights on the display. Replace the batteries when this

#### 4-4 Measurement function selection : SELECT button

When the SELECT button is pressed, the functions change as follows.

ACV position : ACV → Hz → ACV → 

### 4-5 Backlight: SELECT (\*) button

When the SELECT button is held depressed (for more than 2 sec.), the backlight of the LCD turns on. Holding the same button depressed again turns it off. The backlight also turns of automatically in about 30 seconds.

#### 4-6 Range Hold: RANGE button

Press the RANGE button momentary to set the manual range mode (AUTO disappears in the display). In manual range mode, press the button again to step through the ranges. To return to the auto mode, press and hold the button for 1 sec. or more (then 'AUTO' is shown) Manual range hold mode is not available in the Hz, → , • • ), → and EF functions.

### 4-7 Relative value measurement : $\triangle$ REL button

When the  $\triangle$  REL button is pressed,  $\triangle$  appears on the display, the measuring range is fixed and the display shows the relative values assuming that the value at the moment the button is pressed is 0 (reference value). When the button is pressed again,  $\triangle$  disappears and the relative value measurement is canceled. Relative value measurement mode is not available in the Hz, ++, -1) and EF functions.

#### 4-8 MAX/MIN memory : △ REL (MAX/MIN) button

When the  $\triangle$  REL button is held depressed, the meter enters the MAX/MIN mode, in which the measurement range is fixed and the Auto Power Save and Relative value measurement functions are canceled.

as follows : Current measurement display (MAX MIN displayed) → MAX value display (MAX displayed) → MIN value display (MIN displayed) → Current measurement display (MAX MIN displayed) → ... · Current measurement display: The meter stores the maximum and minimum

· Every time the SELECT button is pressed, the displayed information changes

- values while displaying the current measurement value. The buzzer beeps every time a value is updated. The maximum and minimum values can be checked by pressing the button to view the MAX value display and MIN value display. To cancel the MAX/MIN mode, press the button for 1 sec. or more. MAX value display: Maximum value measured since the entry in MAX/MIN
- mode MIN value display: Minimum value measured since the entry in MAX/MIN mode

The MAX/MIN mode can also be entered when the relative value measurement function is active ( △ displayed). In this case, the MAX/MIN mode displays the relative values assuming that the value at the moment the button is pressed is 0 (reference value). MAX/MIN memory mode is not available in the Hz, →, •w), +I+ and EF functions.

\* The MAX/MIN mode is canceled when the function or range is switched.

#### 4-9 Data Hold : HOLD button

When the HOLD button is pressed, the current display is hold ( HOLD appears on the display). The display will not be changed even when the input varies thereafter. Press the button again to cancel the Data Hold mode ( HOLD on the display disappears). This function is not available in the EF function The Data Hold mode is also canceled when the function switch is switched or the RANGE or SELECT button is pressed.

#### 4-10 Disable Buzzer

When the meter is switched on while holding the  $\triangle$  REL button displayed, the display shows dbEP for 2 seconds and the buzzer beep is canceled. Even when the buzzer is canceled, it still beeps in the case of OL alarm, in the continuity check, when the meter is turned on and before Auto Power Save. To enable all of the buzzer sounds, turn the meter off then on again. \* This mode cannot be used when the Auto Power Save function is canceled.

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7-2 Repair Customers are asked to provide the following information when requesting

- services: 1. Customer name, address, and contact information
- 2. Description of problem 3. Description of product configuration
- 4. Model Number 5. Product Serial Number
- 6. Proof of Date-of-Purchase 7. Where you purchased the product

Please contact Sanwa authorized agent / distributor / service provider, listed in our website, in your country with above information. An instrument sent to Sanwa / agent / distributor without those information will be returned to the

### Note:

in advance.

- 1) Prior to requesting repair, please check the following:
- Capacity of the built-in batteries and polarity of installation. · Discontinuity of the test leads.
- 2) Repair during the warranty period: The failed meter will be repaired in accordance with the conditions stipulated in 7-1, Warranty and provision.
- 3) Repair after the warranty period has expired: · When the original functionality is expected to be restored by repair, we will
- repair the product upon request and payment by the customer In some cases, repair and transportation cost may become higher than the price of the product. Please contact Sanwa authorized agent/service provider
- The minimum retention period of service functional parts is six (6) years after the discontinuation of manufacture. This retention period is the repair warranty period. Please note, however, if such functional parts become unavailable for reasons of discontinuation of manufacture, etc., the retention period may become shorter accordingly

### 4) Precautions when sending the product to be repaired • To ensure the safety of the product during transportation, place the product in

 $\triangle$  -  $\Sigma$  method

- a box that is larger than the product 5 times or more in volume and fill • Clearly mark "Repair Product Enclosed" on the box surface. • The cost of sending and returning the product shall be borne by the customer.
- 7-3 SANWA web site http://www.sanwa-meter.co.ip

## E-mail: exp sales@sanwa-meter.co.ip

#### [8] SPECIFICATIONS 8-1 General specifications

Operation method

AC detection method	True RMS method (AC coupling)
Display	Max. 6000 counts
Sampling rate	Max. approx. 5 times/sec.
Overload indication	" OL" mark indication on digital display
Range selection	Auto and Manual
Polarity switching	Auto ("-" indicated when negative voltage is input)
Low battery indication	⊕— mark displayed when battery voltage drops at 2.3 V or less.
Operating environmental conditions	Altitude ≤2000 m, indoor use, pollution degree II
Operating temperature/ humidity ranges	-10 °C to 40 °C. Humidity range is as follows (without condensation): Max. 80 %RH at 5 °C to 31 °C, decreasing linearly to 50 %RH at 40 °C.
Storage temperature/ humidity range	-20 °C to 40 °C: ≤80 %RH (without condensation). 40 °C to 50 °C: ≤70 %RH (without condensation). (Batteries should be removed when the instrument is not to be used for a long period.)
Temperature coefficient	Below 18 °C and above 28 °C: Accuracy x 0.15 should be added per °C. (Accuracy x 0.25 should be added in the <b>+I+</b> function.)
Power supply	LR03 ("AAA"-size alkaline battery)1.5 V × 2
Auto Power Save	Power Save in about 15 minutes after last operation. Typ. 20 μA
Current drain	About 1.5 mA (backlight off). max. about 38 mA
Battery life	About 600 hours (backlight off)
Dimensions & mass	166 (H) x 100 (W) x 43 (D) mm, about 360 grams (incl. batteries)
Test lead length	About 0.8 m
Safety standards	IEC61010-1, IEC61010-2-030, IEC61010-2-33, IEC61010-31 CAT.IV 1000 V
EMC Directive, RoHS Directive	IEC61326 (EMC), EN50581 (RoHS)

Instruction manual, "AAA"-size alkaline battery x 2, hand strap

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#### [5] MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE

#### **№ WARNING**

- 1. Never apply an input signal exceeding the maximum rating input value of
- 2. Be sure to disconnect the test pins from the circuit when changing the function.
- 3. Always keep your fingers behind the finger guards on the probe when
- making measurements
- 4. After measurement, release the red and black test pins from the object measured and set the function switch to the OFF position.

#### 5-1 Start-up inspection

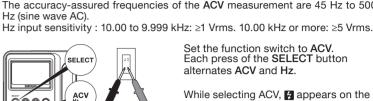
- Check the following items before starting the daily measurement work. Appearance check: Check the appearance of the meter to see if it is free
- from damage caused by falling, etc. · Accessory: Check that the test leads are free from irregularities such as
- wire disconnection and crack. · Battery: Install the battery before using the meter for the first time. Ensure
- that the 🖅 low battery indication is not displayed and, if it is displayed, replace the battery with new one. If nothing is displayed, the battery may be
- exhausted totally (see 6-4). · Test lead wire disconnection can be checked by setting the function switch
- to 3) and shorting the test pins.

  Also check that the meter and your hands are not moistened by water, etc.

### 5-2 AC voltage measurement (ACV), frequency measurement (Hz)

0-Z A0	-2 Ao voltage measurement (Aov), frequency measurement (112)				
Display	Coverage	Ranges			
ACV	0.005 - 1000	6.000/60.00/600.0/1000 V			
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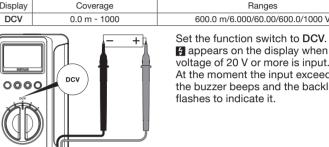
10.00 - 99.99 k 99.99/999.9/9.999 k/99.99 kHz The accuracy-assured frequencies of the ACV measurement are 45 Hz to 500



#### display when a voltage of 20 V or more is input.

the buzzer beeps and the backlight flashes to indicate it. 5-3 DC voltage measurement (DCV)

#### Display Coverage



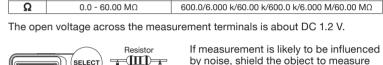
Set the function switch to DCV. appears on the display when a voltage of 20 V or more is input. At the moment the input exceeds 20 V, the buzzer beeps and the backlight flashes to indicate it.

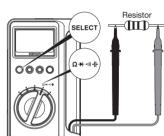
At the moment the input exceeds 20 V,

#### 5-4 Resistance (Ω), diode (→), continuity (⋅୬)), capacitance (⊣⊦) **⚠ WARNING**

· Never apply voltage to the input terminals.

Each press of the SELECT button switches the function in order of  $\Omega \rightarrow +$ 5-4-1 Resistance measurement ( $\Omega$ )





by noise, shield the object to measure with negative potential (COM). If a finger touches a test pin during measurement. measurement will be influenced by the resistance in the human body, and that results in measurement error.

Ranges

#### 8-2 Optional accessory Hanger magnet: HM-1

8-3 Measurement ranges and accuracies

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Accuracy-assured temperature/humidity ranges: 23±5 °C, ≤ 80 %RH, no

dgt: digits (lowest digits) As the ACV measurements employ the rms value response, the accuracy-

Accuracy rang	ge: 1 % to 100	actor become as follow	range.
Function	Range	Accuracy	Remarks
	6.000 V	± (1.2 %rdg+9 dgt)	Input resistance: About 10 MΩ
AC voltage	60.00 V	± (1.2 %rdg+5 dgt)	Accuracy-assured frequencies: 45 Hz – 500 Hz
ACV	600.0 V		
	1000 V	± (1.5 %rdg+7 dgt)	
	99.99 Hz	± (0.5 %rdg+3 dgt)	Input resistance: About 10 MΩ • Accuracy not assured below 10 Hz.
Frequency <b>Hz</b>	999.9 Hz		
	9.999 kHz		

Sensitivity 10 Hz: 1 Vms 99.99 kHz 600.0 mV Input resistance: About 10  $M\Omega$ 6.000 V ± (0.8 %rdg+3 dgt) DC voltage 60.00 V DCV 600.0 V 1000 V ± (1.1 %rdg+5 dgt) 600.0 Ω Open voltage: About DC 1.8 V Measurement current varies 6.000 kΩ ± (1.2 %rdg+5 dgt) depending on the resistance Resistance  $60.00 \text{ k}\Omega$ value of the object measured. 600.0 kΩ

6.000 MΩ ± (2.0 %rdg+5 dgt) 60.00 MΩ ± (4.0 %rdg+5 dgt) Open voltage: About DC 3.2 V Diode test "OL" displayed at 3.000 V or more Open voltage: About DC 1.0 V Continuity check Buzzer beep generated at 10 to 50  $\Omega$  or less. 60.00 nF Auto range only. ± (3.0 %rdg+10 dgt) Accuracy with a capacitor with 600.0 nF low leak current such as a film Capacitance 6.000 uF

 $\pm$  (5.0 %rdg+10 dgt)

about 60 V or more, the bar graph and Sensing antenna: Near ▲ on top

At the standard sensing voltage of

intermittent sound vary in 5 steps.

60.00 μF

600.0 μF

Example) AC voltage measurement (ACV)

Error:  $\pm (100.0 \text{ V} \times 1.2 \text{ %rdg} + 5 \text{ dgt}) = \pm 1.7 \text{ V}$ 

Range accuracy: 600.0 V range  $\pm (1.2 \text{ %rdg} + 5 \text{ dgt})$ 

True value: 100.0 V ±1.7 V (between 98.3 - 101.7 V)

\* In the 600.0 V range, 5 dgt corresponds to 0.5 V.

**Accuracy calculation method** 

Displayed value: 100.0 V

EF

capacitor or equivalent.

the accuracy.

left of main unit

Less than 10 nF add +15 dgt to

Sensing frequencies: 50/60 Hz.

Contact type EF sensing: Test pin

Specifications and external appearance of the product described

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above may be revised for modification without prior notice.

Accessories