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Communication Instruction Manual

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Introduction

This instruction manual provides details on the communication interfaces of the IM3523, IM3533, IM3533-01, IM3536 LCR Meter, IM3570, IM7580 Impedance Analyzer and IM3590 Chemical Impedance Analyzer. In this document, the "instrument" means the IM3523, IM3533, IM3533-01, IM3536, IM3570, IM7580 and IM3590.

Safety Information

This manual contains information and warnings essential for safe operation of the instrument and for maintaining it in safe operating condition. Before using it, be sure to carefully read the following safety precautions.

Safety Symbols

The following symbols in this manual indicate the relative importance of cautions and warnings.

<u> AWARNING</u>	Indicates that incorrect operation presents a significant hazard that could result in seri- ous injury or death to the user.
<u> </u>	Indicates that incorrect operation presents a possibility of injury to the user or damage to the product.
NOTE	Advisory items related to performance or correct operation of the product.

Notation

Symbols in this manual

\bigcirc	Indicates the prohibited action.
(p.)	Indicates the location of reference information.
*	Indicates that descriptive information is provided below.
[]]	Menus, commands, dialogs, buttons in a dialog, and other names on the screen and the keys are indicated in brackets.
CURSOR (Bold character)	Bold characters within the text indicate operating key labels.
Windows	Unless otherwise specified, "Windows" represents Windows Vista, Windows 7 or Windows 8.
Dialogue	Dialogue box represents a Windows dialog box.

Mouse Operation

Click:	Press and quickly release the left button of the mouse.
Right-click:	Press and quickly release the right button of the mouse.
Double click:	Quickly click the left button of the mouse twice.
Drag:	While holding down the left button of the mouse, move the mouse and then release the left button to deposit the chosen item in the desired position.

Specifications Chapter 1

1.1 RS-232C Specifications

Transmission Method		Communication method: Full duplex Synchronous method: Start-stop synchronization
Transmission Speed		9600 bps, 19200 bps, 38400 bps, 57600 bps
Data Bits		8 bits
Parity		None
Stop bit		1 bits
Message terminator (delimiter)		CR+LF, CR
Flow control		Hardware (RTS/CTS control), software (XON/XOFF control) "Handshake (About Buffer Flow Control)" (p. 3) IM7580: Software (XON/XOFF control only)
Electrical Specifications	Input voltage level Output voltage level	5 to 15 V ON -15 to -5 V OFF 5 to 9 V ON -9 to -5 V OFF

Handshake (About Buffer Flow Control)

Control during Receiving

When using hardware (RTS/CTS control):

- When the data in the receive buffer exceeds <u>85%</u> of the buffer, <u>CA(RTS) is set to OFF</u> and the controller is notified that there is not much space remaining in the buffer.
- Processing of the data in the buffer continues, and then <u>CA(RTS) is set to ON</u> and the controller is notified that there is sufficient remaining space in the buffer when the amount of data becomes less than <u>25%</u>.

When using software (XON/XOFF control):

and hotibuf-5%. Amount 25% Buffer Space CA(RTS) Send XOFF Send XON

85%

- When the data in the receive buffer exceeds <u>75%</u> of the buffer, <u>XOFF(13H) is sent</u> and the controller is notified that there is not much space remaining in the buffer.
- Processing of the data in the buffer continues, and then <u>XON(11H) is sent</u> and the controller is notified that there is sufficient remaining space in the buffer when the amount of data becomes less than <u>25%</u>.

Control during Sending

When using hardware (RTS/CTS control):

• When CB(CTS) is confirmed to be OFF, the sending of data is halted. When it is confirmed to be ON, the sending of data is resumed.

When using software (XON/XOFF control):

• <u>When XOFF is received</u>, the sending of data is halted. <u>When XON is received</u>, the sending of data is resumed.

1.2 GP-IB Specifications

SH1	Supports all source handshake functions.
AH1	Supports all acceptor handshake functions.
Τ6	Supports standard talker functions. Supports serial poll functions. Talk only mode is not supported. Supports the talker cancel function by MLA (My Listen Address).
L4	Supports standard listener functions. Listener only mode is not supported. Supports the listener cancel function by MTA (My Talk Address).
SR1	Supports all service request functions.
RL1	Supports all remote/local functions.
PP0	Parallel poll functions are not supported.
DC1	Supports all device clear functions.
DT1	Supports all device trigger functions.
C0	Controller functions are not supported.

Code used: ASCII code

1.3 USB Specifications

Connector	Series B receptacle
Compliance standard	USB2.0 (Full Speed/High Speed)
No. of ports	1
Class	Communication class
Supported OS	Windows Vista, 7, 8

1.4 LAN Specifications

Connector	RJ-45 connector × 1
Compliance standard	IEEE 802.3-compliant Ethernet
Transfer system	10BASE-T/ 100BASE-TX Auto detected IM7580: 10BASE-T/ 100BASE-TX/ 1000BASE-T Auto detected
Protocol	TCP/IP
Function	Command control

Model IM3570/ IM3536 Connection and Setting Chapter 2

2.1 Overview of Communication

You can control the instrument with communication commands from a computer via the GP-IB, RS-232C, USB, and LAN interfaces.

There are the following four communication methods. To enable communication, the communication conditions need to be set on the instrument.







RS-232C communication (p. 7)

Printer can be connected to enable printing measurement values and screens.

GP-IB communication (p. 9)

- Commands common to IEEE-488-2 1987 (requirement) can be used.
- The instrument complies with the following standard. (Compliance standard: IEEE-488.1 1987)
- The instrument has been designed with reference to the following standard. (Reference standard: IEEE-488.2 1987)

USB communication (p. 11)

The instrument is communication class compatible.



LAN communication (p. 13)

Command control using the TCP/IP protocol is possible.



 Always turn both devices OFF when connecting and disconnecting an interface connector. Otherwise, an electric shock accident may occur.

- To avoid damage to the instrument, do not short-circuit the terminal and do not input voltage to the terminal.
- Failure to fasten the connectors properly may result is sub-specification performance or damage to the equipment.

Screen Displayed while Setting Interfaces

When you set an interface, the icon for the set interface is displayed on the right side of the screen.



2.2 RS-232C Connection and Settings

Connecting the RS-232C Cable

Connect the RS-232C cable to the RS-232C connector. (Recommended cable: 9637 RS-232C cable)



To connect the instrument to a controller (DTE), use a <u>crossover cable</u> compatible with the connectors on both the instrument and the controller. The I/O connector is a DTE (Data Terminal Equipment) configuration.

Connector (D-sub) Pin No.	Interchange Circuit Name	CCITT Circuit No.	EIA Abbreviation	JIS Abbreviation	Common Abbreviation
1	Unused				
2	Received Data	104	BB	RD	RxD
3	Transmitted Data	103	BA	SD	TxD
4	Data Terminal Ready	108/2	CD	ER	DTR
5	Signal Ground	102	AB	SG	GND
6	Unused				
7	Request to Send	105	CA	RS	RTS
8	Clear to Send	106	СВ	CS	CTS
9	Unused				

Example: Connecting to a DOS/V PC

Specification: D-sub 9-pin female and female connector, reverse connection





Hardware control will not work properly if you use a cable that has CA(RTS) and CB(CTS) - short-circuited.

Setting	RS-232C
Procedure	You can configure the setting from any of LCR mode, ANALYZER mode (only IM3570).
1 ICR Z 0FF θ 0FF	LCR Measurement Screen I 515kΩ SET ADJ Vac 1.026 V Vac 1.026 V
INFORMATION FREQ 1.0000 V 1.000V LIMIT OFF RANGE AUTO LOW Z OFF	Int SYS kHz SPEED MED OPEN OFF TRIG INT SHORT OFF AVG OFF LOAD OFF 30kΩ DELAY 0.0000s CABLE DCBIAS OFF SCALE OFF
2 SVS I/F RS232C RATE HANDSHAKE TERM	RS-232C Settings INFO TEST CLOCK SPIB USB LAN PRINT 9600 19200 38400 57600 OFF HARD XON/OFF BOTH R+LF CR
3 	RS-232C Settings INFO TEST CLOCK Select the bandshake setting.
HANDSHAKE	3F ID 03B LAN PKINI 3600 19200 38400 57600 0FF No flow control HARD Hardware (RTS/CTS control) XON/OFF BOTH R+LF CR
4 Press E	Select the terminator setting.

2.3 GP-IB Connection and Settings

Connecting the GP-IB Cable

Connect the GP-IB cable to the GP-IB connector.



Setting GP-IB





4 Press **EXIT** to confirm the setting.

2.4 USB Settings and Connection

NOTE To connect the instrument to a computer the first time, a dedicated USB driver must be installed. Before connecting the instrument to the computer, install the USB driver. The USB driver can be downloaded from the bundled CD, or our web site.(http://www.hioki.com) The USB driver is compatible with the Windows Vista (32-bit, 64-bit version), Windows 7 (32-bit, 64bit version) , and Windows 8 (32-bit, 64-bit version) operating systems. Additionally, do not put the computer into the sleep state while the instrument is connected to the computer.

Setting USB





Connecting the USB Cable

Connect a USB cable (commercially available USB cable) to the USB port of the instrument.



• To avoid faults, do not disconnect or reconnect the USB cable during instrument operation.

 Connect the instrument and the computer to a common earth ground. Using different grounds could result in potential difference between the instrument and the computer. Potential difference on the USB cable can result in malfunctions and faults.

2.5 LAN Settings and Connection

LAN Settings

You can perform command control using the TCP/IP protocol. Set the instrument to match your network environment in advance.

- Make these settings before connecting to a network. Changing settings while connected can duplicate IP addresses of other network devices, and incorrect address information may otherwise be presented to the network.
 - The instrument does not support DHCP (automatic IP address assignment) on a network.

Setting Items

IP address	Identifies each device connected on a network. Each network device must be set to a unique address. The instrument supports IP version 4, with IP addresses indicated as four decimal octets, e.g., "192.168.0.1".
Subnet mask	This setting is for separating the IP address into the network address that indicates the network and the host address that indicates the instrument. On this instrument, the subnet mask is represented as four decimal numbers separated by ". " such as "255.255.255.0."
Default Gateway	When the computer and instrument are on different but overlapping networks (subnets), this IP ad- dress specifies the device to serve as the gateway between the networks. If the computer and instrument are connected one-to-one, no gateway is used, and the instrument's default setting "0.0.0.0" can be kept as is.

Network Environment Configuration

Example 1. Connecting the instrument to an existing network

When connecting the instrument to an existing network, the network settings need to be confirmed in advance.

An IP address which is not the same as that of another network device needs to be assigned.

Confirm the following items with the network administrator, and write them down.

IP Address	
Default Gateway	·

Example 2. Connecting multiple instruments to a single computer using a hub

When building a local network with no outside connection, the following private IP addresses are recommended.

Example of private IP address:

IP Address Computer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1, 192.168.0.2, 192.168.0.3...

(Set an IP address that differs from that of other network devices.)

Example 3. Connecting one instrument to a single computer using the 9642 LAN Cable

The 9642 LAN Cable can be used with its supplied connection adapter to connect one instrument to one computer, in which case the IP address is freely settable. Use the recommended private IP addresses. IP AddressComputer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1 (Set to a different IP address than the computer.)

Default Gateway OFF(0.0.0.0)

F	Procedure	You can configu	ure the setting from	m any of Lor	mode,	ANALYZER	mode (on	ily IM3570).
1	1.00	LCR Measurement S	creen	9 2 E)	SVS		Interface	Settings	
	Z 16.	1515kΩ	MOL	DE	I/F RSCE	GPIB	INFO USB	TEST LAN	CLOCK PRINT
		• 552 Va Ia	c 1.026 V c 63.51µA	vs b	BAUD RATE	9600	19200	38400	57600
	FREQ 1.0000kF V 1.000V LIMIT OFF RANGE AUTO 30 LOW Z OFF JUDGE OFF	Hz SPEED MED TRIG INT AVG OFF DKΩ DELAY 0.0000s DCBIAS OFF	OPEN OFF SHORT OFF LOAD OFF CABLE Om SCALE OFF	22	HANDSHAKE TERM	OFF CR+LF	HARD	XON/OFF	BOTH
	ZOOM ON INFO I	DC							E
2	SVS	LAN Settings INFO TES IB USB LAN 22. 168. 000. 001 0FF 0FF	T CLOCK PRINT RT 03570 RM CR+LF CR EXII	Press	LAN				
3	SVS	LAN Settings	Ŷ						
	RS232C GP	PIB USB LAN	PRINT						
	IP ADDRESS 19	2. 168. 000. 001	AT 00070	S	elect the	IP addr	ess.		
	SUBNETMASK 25	15. 255. 255. 000 TE	RM CR+LF CR						
	GATEMAY	OFF	EXII						

4	IP address Settings	
	IF INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
	IP ADDRESS	Use 🔺 or 🔻 to set the IP address.
	19 ADDRESS 192. 168. 000. 001	
		Press EXIT to confirm the setting.
5	LAN Settings	
	IF INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPTB USB LAN PRINT	
	IP ADDRESS 192. 168. 000. 001 PORT 03570	
	SUBNETMASK 255, 255, 255, 000	Select the subnet mask.
	GATEMAY OFF	
	EXIT	
4	Subnet mask Settings	
0		
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	Use A or T to set the subnet mask
	255 255 000	and proce FVIT to confirm the potting

NOTE Any of t	he following 30 sub	net masks can be s	et for the instrument.
128.000.000.000	255.128.000.000	255.255.128.000	255.255.255.128
192.000.000.000	255.192.000.000	255.255.192.000	255.255.255.192
224.000.000.000	255.224.000.000	255.255.224.000	255.255.255.224
240.000.000.000	255.240.000.000	255.255.240.000	255.255.255.240
248.000.000.000	255.248.000.000	255.255.248.000	255.255.255.248
252.000.000.000	255.252.000.000	255.255.252.000	255.255.255.252
254.000.000.000	255.254.000.000	255.255.254.000	
255.000.000.000	255.255.000.000	255.255.255.000 (Initial setting)	



Select the default gateway.

If the default gateway does not need to be set, for example, when connecting the instrument and computer on a one-to-one basis using a cross cable, leave this set to OFF.



to set the default gate-

to confirm the setting.

Select the port number.

10	Port number Settings	
	IF INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	Use 🔺 or 🔻 to set the port number to
		use for communication commands.
		Settable range : 1024 to 65535
	► EXIT	Press EXIT to confirm the setting.
11	LAN Settings	
••		
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
	IP ADDRESS 192. 168. 000. 001 PORT 03570	
	SUBNETMASK 255. 255. 255. 000	Select the terminator setting.
	GATEWAY OFF	
		CR CR

Press **EXIT** to confirm the setting.

Connecting a LAN Cable

Use a LAN cable to connect the instrument and computer.

Required items:

When connecting the instrument to an existing network (prepare any of the following):

- Straight-through Cat 5, 100BASE-TX-compliant Ethernet cable (up to 100 m, commercially available). For 10BASE communication, a 10BASE-T-compliant cable may also be used.
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)

(A cross adapter cannot be used.)

When connecting one instrument to a single computer (prepare one of the following):

- 100BASE-TX-compliant cross-over cable (up to 100 m)
- 100BASE-TX-compliant straight-through cable with cross-over adapter (up to 100 m)
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)



When connecting the instrument to a single computer (connect the instrument to the computer)

Connecting with the 9642 LAN Cable and crossover adapter (supplied with the 9642)



2.6 **Remote Mode**

LOW Z OFF

JUDGE OFF ZOOM ON INFO DC DCBIAS OFF

SCALE OFF

When you connect a device to an interface and start communication, the mode becomes remote mode (remote operation state) and the keys on the LCD are disabled.

	Remote Mode State	
	LCR (C) 16.1529kΩ 0FF -89.992 ° Vac 1.024 V lac 63.42μA	All of the keys except LOCAL are disabled.
	FREQ 1.0000kHz SPEED MED OPEN OFF V 1.000V TRIG INT SHORT OFF LIMIT OFF AVG OFF LOAD OFF RANGE AUTO 30kΩ DELAY 0.0000s CABLE Om LOW Z OFF DCBIAS OFF SALE OFF	LLE CAL
	Canceling Remote Mode	
Р 1	Local State	
	LCR CE 2 16.1529kΩ 0FF	Press LOCAL to return to the normal state (local state).
	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $	YS ILE
2	LCR Measurement Screen	15232C)
	^z 16. 1515kΩ	The measurement screen is redisplayed.
	οff θ -89.992 °	SET ADJ
	Vac 1.026 V Iac 63.51µA 1000000000000000000000000000000000000	SYS
	FREQ 1.0000kHz SPEED MED OPEN OFF V 1.000V TRIG INT SHORT OFF	
	LIMIT OFF AVG OFF LOAD OFF RANGE AUTO 30kΩ DELAY 0.0000s CABLE 0m	

Model IM3523 Connection and Setting

Chapter 3

3.1 Overview of Communication

You can control the instrument with communication commands from a computer via the USB, GP-IB, RS-232C and LAN interfaces.

There are the following four communication methods. To enable communication, the communication conditions need to be set on the instrument.





USB communication (p. 22)

The instrument is communication class compatible.

GP-IB communication (when connected to the Z3000) (p. 24)

- Commands common to IEEE-488-2 1987 (requirement) can be used.
- The instrument complies with the following standard. (Compliance standard: IEEE-488.1 1987)
- The instrument has been designed with reference to the following standard. (Reference standard: IEEE-488.2 1987)



RS-232C communication (when connected to the Z3001) (p. 26)

Printer can be connected to enable printing measurement values and screens.

LAN communication (when connected to the Z3002) (p. 29)

Command control using the TCP/IP protocol is possible.

• Always turn both devices OFF when connecting and disconnecting an interface connector. Otherwise, an electric shock accident may occur.

- To avoid damage to the instrument, do not short-circuit the terminal and do not input voltage to the terminal.
- Failure to fasten the connectors properly may result is sub-specification performance or damage to the equipment.

3.2 USB Settings and Connection

NOTE To connect the instrument to a computer the first time, a dedicated USB driver must be installed. Before connecting the instrument to the computer, install the USB driver.

The USB driver can be downloaded from the bundled CD, or our web site. (http://www.hioki.com)

The USB driver is compatible with the Windows XP (32-bit version), Windows Vista (32-bit, 64-bit version), and Windows 7 (32-bit, 64-bit version) operating systems.

Additionally, do not put the computer into the sleep state while the instrument is connected to the computer.

Setting USB



Connecting the USB Cable

Connect a USB cable (commercially available USB cable) to the USB port of the instrument.



• To avoid faults, do not disconnect or reconnect the USB cable during instrument operation.

 Connect the instrument and the computer to a common earth ground. Using different grounds could result in potential difference between the instrument and the computer. Potential difference on the USB cable can result in malfunctions and faults.

3.3 GP-IB Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3000)

Connecting the GP-IB Cable

Connect the GP-IB cable to the GP-IB connector.



Setting GP-IB



Select.



3.4 RS-232C Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3001)

Connecting the RS-232C Cable

Connect the RS-232C cable to the RS-232C connector. (Recommended cable: 9637 RS-232C cable)





To connect the instrument to a controller (DTE), use a <u>**crossover cable**</u> compatible with the connectors on both the instrument and the controller. The I/O connector is a DTE (Data Terminal Equipment) configuration.

Connector (D-sub) Pin No.	Interchange Circuit Name	CCITT Circuit No.	EIA Abbreviation	JIS Abbreviation	Common Abbreviation
1	Unused				
2	Received Data	104	BB	RD	RxD
3	Transmitted Data	103	BA	SD	TxD
4	Data Terminal Ready	108/2	CD	ER	DTR
5	Signal Ground	102	AB	SG	GND
6	Unused				
7	Request to Send	105	CA	RS	RTS
8	Clear to Send	106	СВ	CS	CTS
9	Unused				

Example: Connecting to a DOS/V PC

Specification: D-sub 9-pin female and female connector, reverse connection



NOTE Hardware control will not work properly if you use a cable that has CA(RTS) and CB(CTS) short-circuited.

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3.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)

LAN Settings

You can perform command control using the TCP/IP protocol. Set the instrument to match your network environment in advance.

- Make these settings before connecting to a network. Changing settings while connected can duplicate IP addresses of other network devices, and incorrect address information may otherwise be presented to the network.
 - The instrument does not support DHCP (automatic IP address assignment) on a network.

Setting Items

IP address	Identifies each device connected on a network. Each network device must be set to a unique address. The instrument supports IP version 4, with IP addresses indicated as four decimal octets, e.g., "192.168.0.1".
Subnet mask	This setting is for separating the IP address into the network address that indicates the network and the host address that indicates the instrument. On this instrument, the subnet mask is represented as four decimal numbers separated by ". " such as "255.255.255.0."
Default Gateway	When the computer and instrument are on different but overlapping networks (subnets), this IP ad- dress specifies the device to serve as the gateway between the networks. If the computer and instrument are connected one-to-one, no gateway is used, and the instrument's default setting "0.0.0.0" can be kept as is.

Network Environment Configuration

Example 1. Connecting the instrument to an existing network

When connecting the instrument to an existing network, the network settings need to be confirmed in advance.

An IP address which is not the same as that of another network device needs to be assigned. Confirm the following items with the network administrator, and write them down.

IP Address Subnet Mask Default Gateway	 	
	 ·	 ·

Example 2. Connecting multiple instruments to a single computer using a hub

When building a local network with no outside connection, the following private IP addresses are recommended.

Example of private IP address:

IP AddressComputer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1, 192.168.0.2, 192.168.0.3...

(Set an IP address that differs from that of other network devices.)

Subnet Mask......255.255.255.0 Default GatewayOFF(0.0.0.0)

Example 3. Connecting one instrument to a single computer using the 9642 LAN Cable

Instrument: 192.168.0.1 (Set to a different IP address than the computer.)

Subnet Mask......255.255.255.0 Default GatewayOFF(0.0.0.0) 3.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)



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NOTE Any of the following 30 subnet masks can be set for the instrument					
128.000.000.000	255.128.000.000	255.255.128.000	255.255.255.128		
192.000.000.000	255.192.000.000	255.255.192.000	255.255.255.192		
224.000.000.000	255.224.000.000	255.255.224.000	255.255.255.224		
240.000.000.000	255.240.000.000	255.255.240.000	255.255.255.240		
248.000.000.000	255.248.000.000	255.255.248.000	255.255.255.248		
252.000.000.000	255.252.000.000	255.255.252.000	255.255.255.252		
254.000.000.000	255.254.000.000	255.255.254.000			
255.000.000.000	255.255.000.000	255.255.255.000 (Initial setting)			



If the default gateway does not need to be set, for example, when connecting the instrument and computer on a one-to-one basis using a cross cable, leave this set to OFF.



3.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)


Connecting a LAN Cable

Use a LAN cable to connect the instrument and computer.

Required items:

When connecting the instrument to an existing network (prepare any of the following):

- Straight-through Cat 5, 100BASE-TX-compliant Ethernet cable (up to 100 m, commercially available). For 10BASE communication, a 10BASE-T-compliant cable may also be used.
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)

(A cross adapter cannot be used.)

When connecting one instrument to a single computer (prepare one of the following):

- 100BASE-TX-compliant cross-over cable (up to 100 m)
- 100BASE-TX-compliant straight-through cable with cross-over adapter (up to 100 m)
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)



When connecting the instrument to a single computer (connect the instrument to the computer)

Connecting with the 9642 LAN Cable and crossover adapter (supplied with the 9642)



3.6 Remote Mode

When you connect a device to an interface and start communication, the mode becomes remote mode (remote operation state) and the keys on the LCD are disabled.

Remote status



F1 Keys other than [F1] are disabled.

Canceling Remote Mode



Model IM3533/ IM3533-01/ IM3590 Connection and Setting Chapter 4

4.1 Overview of Communication

You can control the instrument with communication commands from a computer via the USB, GP-IB, RS-232C and LAN interfaces.

There are the following four communication methods. To enable communication, the communication conditions need to be set on the instrument.







USB communication (p. 37)

The instrument is communication class compatible.

GP-IB communication (when connected to the Z3000) (p. 39)

- Commands common to IEEE-488-2 1987 (requirement) can be used.
- The instrument complies with the following standard. (Compliance standard: IEEE-488.1 1987)
- The instrument has been designed with reference to the following standard. (Reference standard: IEEE-488.2 1987)

RS-232C communication (when connected to the Z3001) (p. 41)

Printer can be connected to enable printing measurement values and screens.

LAN communication (when connected to the Z3002) (p. 43)

Command control using the TCP/IP protocol is possible.

• Always turn both devices OFF when connecting and disconnecting an interface connector. Otherwise, an electric shock accident may occur.

- To avoid damage to the instrument, do not short-circuit the terminal and do not input voltage to the terminal.
- Failure to fasten the connectors properly may result is sub-specification performance or damage to the equipment.

Screen Displayed while Setting Interfaces

When you set an interface, the icon for the set interface is displayed on the right side of the screen.



4.2 USB Settings and Connection

NOTE To connect the instrument to a computer the first time, a dedicated USB driver must be installed. Before connecting the instrument to the computer, install the USB driver. The USB driver can be downloaded from the bundled CD, or our web site.(http://www.hioki.com) The USB driver is compatible with the Windows XP (32-bit version), Windows Vista (32-bit, 64-bit version), and Windows 7 (32-bit, 64-bit version) operating systems.

Additionally, do not put the computer into the sleep state while the instrument is connected to the computer.

Setting USB

The display will vary with the installed options.





Connecting the USB Cable

Connect a USB cable (commercially available USB cable) to the USB port of the instrument.



• To avoid faults, do not disconnect or reconnect the USB cable during instrument operation.

 Connect the instrument and the computer to a common earth ground. Using different grounds could result in potential difference between the instrument and the computer. Potential difference on the USB cable can result in malfunctions and faults.

4.3 GP-IB Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3000)

Connecting the GP-IB Cable

Connect the GP-IB cable to the GP-IB connector.



Setting GP-IB



2	GPIB Setting	
	I/F INFO TEST CLOCK ADDRESS O1 Image: Constraint of the second seco	Press GPIB .
3	GPIB Setting	
	SYS	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
	address <u>01</u>	Use set the GP-IB address.
		Select the terminator setting.
		LF LF with EOI
	EXIT	CR+LF LF with CR+EOI

4 Press **EXIT** to confirm the setting.

4.4 RS-232C Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3001)

Connecting the RS-232C Cable

Connect the RS-232C cable to the RS-232C connector. (Recommended cable: 9637 RS-232C cable)





To connect the instrument to a controller (DTE), use a **<u>crossover cable</u>** compatible with the connectors on both the instrument and the controller. The I/O connector is a DTE (Data Terminal Equipment) configuration.

Connector (D-sub) Pin No.	Interchange Circuit Name	CCITT Circuit No.	EIA Abbreviation	JIS Abbreviation	Common Abbreviation
1	Unused				
2	Received Data	104	BB	RD	RxD
3	Transmitted Data	103	BA	SD	TxD
4	Data Terminal Ready	108/2	CD	ER	DTR
5	Signal Ground	102	AB	SG	GND
6	Unused				
7	Request to Send	105	CA	RS	RTS
8	Clear to Send	106	СВ	CS	CTS
9	Unused				

Example: Connecting to a DOS/V PC

Specification: D-sub 9-pin female and female connector, reverse connection





Hardware control will not work properly if you use a cable that has CA(RTS) and CB(CTS) - short-circuited.

Setting RS-232C	
Procedure You can configure the setting from any conf	of LCR mode, ANALYZER mode and TRANSFORMER mode.
Implementation LCR Measurement Screen Implementation USB Vac 978.4mV lac OFF Vac 0FF Vac Vac 978.4mV lac	Interface Settings
2 RS-232C Settings VS I/F INFO TEST CLOCK RS232C GEB USB EAN PRINT FRATE 9600 19200 38400 57600 HANDSHAKE OFF HARD XON/OFF BOTH TERM CR+LF CR EXIT	Press RS232C .
3 RS-232C Settings SYS I/F INFO TEST CLOCK RS232C GPIS USB LAN PRINT BAUD RATE 9600 19200 38400 57600 HANDSHAKE OFF HARD XON/OFF BOTH TERM CR+LF CR EXIT	Select the baud rate setting. Select the handshake setting. OFF No flow control HARD Hardware (RTS/CTS control) XON/OFF Software (XON/XOFF control) BOTH Hardware + software
4 Press EXIT to confirm the setting.	Select the terminator setting.

4.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)

LAN Settings

You can perform command control using the TCP/IP protocol. Set the instrument to match your network environment in advance.

- Make these settings before connecting to a network. Changing settings while connected can duplicate IP addresses of other network devices, and incorrect address information may otherwise be presented to the network.
 - The instrument does not support DHCP (automatic IP address assignment) on a network.

Setting Items

IP address	Identifies each device connected on a network. Each network device must be set to a unique address. The instrument supports IP version 4, with IP addresses indicated as four decimal octets, e.g., "192.168.0.1".
Subnet mask	This setting is for separating the IP address into the network address that indicates the network and the host address that indicates the instrument. On this instrument, the subnet mask is represented as four decimal numbers separated by ". " such as "255.255.255.0."
Default Gateway	When the computer and instrument are on different but overlapping networks (subnets), this IP ad- dress specifies the device to serve as the gateway between the networks. If the computer and instrument are connected one-to-one, no gateway is used, and the instrument's default setting "0.0.0.0" can be kept as is.

Network Environment Configuration

Example 1. Connecting the instrument to an existing network

When connecting the instrument to an existing network, the network settings need to be confirmed in advance.

An IP address which is not the same as that of another network device needs to be assigned. Confirm the following items with the network administrator, and write them down.

IP Address	·
Subnet Mask	·-·········
Delault Gateway	

Example 2. Connecting multiple instruments to a single computer using a hub

When building a local network with no outside connection, the following private IP addresses are recommended.

Example of private IP address:

IP AddressComputer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1, 192.168.0.2, 192.168.0.3...

(Set an IP address that differs from that of other network devices.)

Subnet Mask......255.255.255.0 Default GatewayOFF(0.0.0.0)

Example 3. Connecting one instrument to a single computer using the 9642 LAN Cable

Instrument: 192.168.0.1 (Set to a different IP address than the computer.) Subnet Mask.......255.255.255.0

Default GatewayOFF(0.0.0.0)

4.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)



4	IP address Settings	
	I/F INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
		Use 🔺 or 💌 to set the IP address.
	192. 168. 000. 001	
		Press EXII to confirm the setting.
5	LAN Settings	
	sys	
	IP ADDRESS 192. 168. 000. 001 PORT 03500	
	SUBNETMASK 255. 255. 255. 000	Select the subnet mask.
	GATEWAY	
	EXIT	
_	Subpot mook Sottingo	
0		
		Use 🔺 or 🔻 to set the subnet mask
	1 ^{P ADDRESS} 255. 255. 255. 000	and press EXIT to confirm the setting

NOTE Any of t	he following 30 sub	net masks can be s	et for the instrument.
128.000.000.000	255.128.000.000	255.255.128.000	255.255.255.128
192.000.000.000	255.192.000.000	255.255.192.000	255.255.255.192
224.000.000.000	255.224.000.000	255.255.224.000	255.255.255.224
240.000.000.000	255.240.000.000	255.255.240.000	255.255.255.240
248.000.000.000	255.248.000.000	255.255.248.000	255.255.255.248
252.000.000.000	255.252.000.000	255.255.252.000	255.255.255.252
254.000.000.000	255.254.000.000	255.255.254.000	
255.000.000.000	255.255.000.000	255.255.255.000 (Initial setting)	

4.5 LAN Settings and Connection (when connected to the Z3002)





If the default gateway does not need to be set, for example, when connecting the instrument and computer on a one-to-one basis using a cross cable, leave this set to OFF.



10	Port number Settings	
	SY3	Use or to set the port number to use for communication commands. Settable range : 1024 to 65535 Press EXIT to confirm the setting.
11	LAN Settings	
	I/F INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
	IP ADDRESS 192. 168. 000. 001 PORT 03500	
	SUBNETMASK 255. 255. 255. 000 TERM CR+LF CR	—— Select the terminator setting.
	GATEWAY OFF	CR+LF CR+LF
		CR CR

Press **EXIT** to confirm the setting.

Connecting a LAN Cable

Use a LAN cable to connect the instrument and computer.

Required items:

When connecting the instrument to an existing network (prepare any of the following):

- Straight-through Cat 5, 100BASE-TX-compliant Ethernet cable (up to 100 m, commercially available).
- For 10BASE communication, a 10BASE-T-compliant cable may also be used.
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option) (A cross adapter cannot be used.)

When connecting one instrument to a single computer (prepare one of the following):

- 100BASE-TX-compliant cross-over cable (up to 100 m)
- 100BASE-TX-compliant straight-through cable with cross-over adapter (up to 100 m)
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)



When connecting the instrument to a single computer (connect the instrument to the computer)

Connecting with the 9642 LAN Cable and crossover adapter (supplied with the 9642)



are disabled.

Remote Mode 4.6

When you connect a device to an interface and start communication, the mode becomes remote mode (remote operation state) and the keys on the LCD are disabled.

I	Remote Mode	State	lien	
z 4.991	05kΩ		MODE	
OFF			SET	All of the keys excep
θ (). ()	14°		ADJ	
OFF		Vac 978.4mV lac 196.ΟμΑ	eve	
INFORMATION		1/2 OPEN 0EE	515	
V 1.000V	SPEED MED	SHORT OFF	FILE	
LIMIT OFF	AVG OFF	LOAD OFF		
RANGE AUTO 10kΩ	DELAY 0.0000s	CABLE Om	~	
LOW Z OFF	SYNC OFF	SCALE OFF		
J SYNC OFF	DCBIAS OFF			
			LOCAL	

Canceling Remote Mode

Procedure

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	OFF					lac	978. 196.	4111V ΟμΑ	1.10	SYS
	FREQ	.0N 1.000	OkHz	JUDGE	OFF	OF	PEN	OFF	1/2	
	V Limit	1.000 0FF	V	SPEED AVG	MED OFF	SH	iort)ad	OFF OFF		FILE
	RANGE LOW Z	AUTO OFF	10kΩ	DELAY SYNC	0.0000s 0FF	C# SC	BLE ALE	Om OFF		
	J SYNC	OFF	o pc	DCBIAS	OFF					OCAL
	ZOOM ON									
									4	<i>7</i>
2			LC	R Mea	sureme	nt Scr	een			
	LCR 7	Л	001	1051	0					MODE
	055		331							
			0 0	14	•					SET
	9		υ.ι	J14		Vac	978	4m	v	ADJ
	OFF	TION				lac	196	. Ομι	A 1/2	SYS
	FREQ V	1.00	00kHz OV	JUDGE	OFF MED	C	PEN	OFF OFF		
	LIMIT	OFF	10k0_	AVG DEL AY	0FF	L	OAD	OFF Om		TILE
		OFF	1083	SYNC	OFF S OFF	S	CALE	OFF		
	Z00M_0		FO DC	DEDTA						IRIG

LOCAL

Press LOCAL to return to the normal state (local state).

The measurement screen is redisplayed.

Model IM7580 Connection and Setting Chapter 5

5.1 Overview of Communication

You can control the instrument with communication commands from a computer via the USB, GP-IB, RS-232C and LAN interfaces.

There are the following four communication methods. To enable communication, the communication conditions need to be set on the instrument.





USB communication (p. 53)

The instrument is communication class compatible.

LAN communication (p. 55)

Command control using the TCP/IP protocol is possible.

GP-IB communication (when connected to the Z3000) (p. 61)

- Commands common to IEEE-488-2 1987 (requirement) can be used.
- The instrument complies with the following standard. (Compliance standard: IEEE-488.1 1987)
- The instrument has been designed with reference to the following standard. (Reference standard: IEEE-488.2 1987)

RS-232C communication (when connected to the Z3001) (p. 63)



 Always turn both devices OFF when connecting and disconnecting an interface connector. Otherwise, an electric shock accident may occur.

- To avoid damage to the instrument, do not short-circuit the terminal and do not input voltage to the terminal.
- Failure to fasten the connectors properly may result is sub-specification performance or damage to the equipment.

Screen Displayed while Setting Interfaces

When you set an interface, the icon for the set interface is displayed on the right side of the screen.



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5.2 USB Settings and Connection

NOTETo connect the instrument to a computer the first time, a dedicated USB driver must be installed.
Before connecting the instrument to the computer, install the USB driver.
The USB driver can be downloaded from the bundled CD, or our web site.(http://www.hioki.com)
The USB driver is compatible with the Windows Vista (32-bit, 64-bit version),Windows 7 (32-bit, 64-bit version) and Windows 8 (32-bit, 64-bit version) operating systems.
Additionally, do not put the computer into the sleep state while the instrument is connected to the computer.

Setting USB

The display will vary with the installed options.





Connecting the USB Cable

Connect a USB cable (commercially available USB cable) to the USB port of the instrument.



• To avoid faults, do not disconnect or reconnect the USB cable during instrument operation.

 Connect the instrument and the computer to a common earth ground. Using different grounds could result in potential difference between the instrument and the computer. Potential difference on the USB cable can result in malfunctions and faults.

5.3 LAN Settings and Connection

LAN Settings

You can perform command control using the TCP/IP protocol. Set the instrument to match your network environment in advance.

- Make these settings before connecting to a network. Changing settings while connected can duplicate IP addresses of other network devices, and incorrect address information may otherwise be presented to the network.
 - The instrument does not support DHCP (automatic IP address assignment) on a network.

Setting Items

IP address	Identifies each device connected on a network. Each network device must be set to a unique address. The instrument supports IP version 4, with IP addresses indicated as four decimal octets, e.g., "192.168.0.1".
Subnet mask	This setting is for separating the IP address into the network address that indicates the network and the host address that indicates the instrument. On this instrument, the subnet mask is represented as four decimal numbers separated by ". " such as "255.255.255.0."
Default Gateway	When the computer and instrument are on different but overlapping networks (subnets), this IP ad- dress specifies the device to serve as the gateway between the networks. If the computer and instrument are connected one-to-one, no gateway is used, and the instrument's default setting "0.0.0.0" can be kept as is.

Network Environment Configuration

Example 1. Connecting the instrument to an existing network

When connecting the instrument to an existing network, the network settings need to be confirmed in advance.

An IP address which is not the same as that of another network device needs to be assigned.

Confirm the following items with the network administrator, and write them down.

IP Address	
Default Gateway	·

Example 2. Connecting multiple instruments to a single computer using a hub

When building a local network with no outside connection, the following private IP addresses are recommended.

Example of private IP address:

IP Address Computer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1, 192.168.0.2, 192.168.0.3...

(Set an IP address that differs from that of other network devices.)

Example 3. Connecting one instrument to a single computer using the 9642 LAN Cable

The 9642 LAN Cable can be used with its supplied connection adapter to connect one instrument to one computer, in which case the IP address is freely settable. Use the recommended private IP addresses. IP AddressComputer: 192.168.0.100

Instrument: 192.168.0.1 (Set to a different IP address than the computer.)

Subnet Mask......255.255.255.0

Default Gateway OFF(0.0.0.0)

Procedure	You can configure the setting from any of LCR mode, ANALYZER mode and TRANSFORMER mod	le.
2 CR VEFAS Z OFF Z OFF VONITOR UEFAR AC DC CR VEFAS	R Measurement Screen Image: state in the sta	
CR ICR Z I/F OFF RS232C GP II C IP ADORESS 192. OFF SUBNETMASK 255. C GATENAY OFF 2 4 200	LAN Settings	



EXIT

NOTE Any of th	ne following 30 sub	net masks can be s	et for the instrument.
128.000.000.000	255.128.000.000	255.255.128.000	255.255.255.128
192.000.000.000	255.192.000.000	255.255.192.000	255.255.255.192
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248.000.000.000	255.248.000.000	255.255.248.000	255.255.255.248
252.000.000.000	255.252.000.000	255.255.252.000	255.255.255.252
254.000.000.000	255.254.000.000	255.255.254.000	
255.000.000.000	255.255.000.000	255.255.255.000 (Initial setting)	



Select the default gateway.

If the default gateway does not need to be set, for example, when connecting the instrument and computer on a one-to-one basis using a cross cable, leave this set to OFF.







Press **EXIT** to confirm the setting.

Select the port number.



Connecting a LAN Cable

Use a LAN cable to connect the instrument and computer.

Required items:

When connecting the instrument to an existing network (prepare any of the following):

- Straight-through Cat 5, 1000BASE-T-compliant Ethernet cable (up to 100 m, commercially available).
- For 100BASE/10BASE communication, a 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T-compliant cable may also be used.
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)

(A cross adapter cannot be used.)

When connecting one instrument to a single computer (prepare one of the following):

- 1000BASE-T-compliant cross-over cable (up to 100 m)
- 1000BASE-T-compliant straight-through cable with cross-over adapter (up to 100 m)
- Hioki 9642 LAN Cable (option)



When connecting the instrument to a single computer (connect the instrument to the computer)

Connecting with the 9642 LAN Cable and crossover adapter (supplied with the 9642)



5.4 GP-IB Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3000)

Connecting the GP-IB Cable

Connect the GP-IB cable to the GP-IB connector.



Setting GP-IB



2	GPIB Setting	
	I/F INFO TEST CLOCK GP IB USB ADDRESS 01 TERM LF CR+LF EX IT	Press GPIB.
3	GPIB Setting	
	I/F INFO TEST CLOCK	
	RS232C GPIB USB LAN PRINT	
	address 🔺 01 🗸	Use 🔺 or 💌 to set the GP-IB address.
		————Select the terminator setting.
		LF LF with EOI
	EXIT	CR+LF LF with CR+EOI



5.5 RS-232C Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3001)

Connecting the RS-232C Cable

Connect the RS-232C cable to the RS-232C connector. (Recommended cable: 9637 RS-232C cable)





To connect the instrument to a controller (DTE), use a <u>crossover cable</u> compatible with the connectors on both the instrument and the controller. The I/O connector is a DTE (Data Terminal Equipment) configuration.

Connector (D-sub) Pin No.	Interchange Circuit Name	CCITT Circuit No.	EIA Abbreviation	JIS Abbreviation	Common Abbreviation
1	Unused				
2	Received Data	104	BB	RD	RxD
3	Transmitted Data	103	BA	SD	TxD
4	Data Terminal Ready	108/2	CD	ER	DTR
5	Signal Ground	102	AB	SG	GND
6	Unused				
7	Unused				
8	Unused				
9	Unused				

Example: Connecting to a DOS/V PC

Specification: D-sub 9-pin female and female connector, reverse connection



5.5 RS-232C Connection and Settings (when connected to the Z3001)



are disabled.

5.6 **Remote Mode**

When you connect a device to an interface and start communication, the mode becomes remote mode (remote operation state) and the keys on the LCD are disabled.

All of the keys except

Press

LOCAL



Canceling Remote Mode

Procedure

DFF

OFF

OOM ON

MONITOR



Rde

BEFORE

AFTER

FREQ

POWER

SPEED MED

AVG DELAY

SYNC OFF

JUDGE OFF

Rdc LIMIT

HI OFF LO OFF

SAVE

JUDGE

1.0000MHz

0.0dBn

OFF

0.00000s

FILE

TRIC

(local state).

to return to the normal state

LOCAL

The measurement screen is redisplayed.

Appendix

Appendix 1 Checking the USB Virtual COM Port

The instrument's USB interface supports communications-class performance, allowing control operations on par with RS-232C to be performed from a computer. When you connect the instrument to a computer and set its interface to USB, it will be recognized as a virtual COM port on the computer.



Check the COM number on the right of "HIOKI IM3570 Impedance Analyzer" port in the [Ports (COM & LPT)] list.

- When the IM3523, IM3533, IM3533-01, IM3590 and IM7580 : Check the COM number to the right of "HIOKI USB Device" in the [Ports (COM & LPT)] list.
- When the IM3570 : Check the COM number to the right of "HIOKI IM3570 Impedance Analyzer" in the [Ports (COM & LPT)] list.



The procedure to start Device Manager differs depending on the version of the Windows operating system.

For details, refer to Help of the operating system.

Device Manager starts.
