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Model: DM-45 | Brand: Greenlee

1. INTRODUCTION

The Greenlee DM-45 Digital Multimeter is a versatile and essential tool designed for electrical testing and measurements. It offers a range of functions including frequency, capacitance, duty cycle, temperature, and battery testing, along with an analog bar graph for easy interpretation. This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and efficient use of your DM-45 multimeter.



Figure 1: Greenlee DM-45 Digital Multimeter with included test leads.

2. KEY FEATURES

- Large, easy-to-read display for clear measurement readings.
- ETL and CE approved, ensuring compliance with safety standards.
- Manual and auto-ranging capabilities for flexible use.
- Replaceable fuses for easy field repair and extended tool life.
- Lifetime warranty, demonstrating commitment to quality and durability.

3. SETUP AND INITIAL USE

3.1 Battery Installation

The Greenlee DM-45 requires one 9V battery (included). To install or replace the battery:

1. Ensure the multimeter is turned OFF.
2. Locate the battery compartment cover on the back of the unit.
3. Use a screwdriver to remove the screw securing the cover.
4. Carefully remove the cover and insert the 9V battery, observing the correct polarity (+/-).
5. Replace the battery compartment cover and secure it with the screw.

3.2 Connecting Test Leads

Connect the red test lead to the "INPUT" jack and the black test lead to the "COM" (common) jack for most measurements. Refer to specific measurement instructions for alternative connections.





Figure 2: Proper connection of test leads to the DM-45 multimeter.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The DM-45 features a rotary dial to select different measurement functions. Always ensure the correct function is selected before making any measurements.

4.1 Voltage Measurement (AC/DC)

To measure voltage:

1. Turn the rotary dial to the "V~" (AC Voltage) or "V-" (DC Voltage) position.
2. Connect the test leads in parallel to the circuit or component you wish to measure.
3. Read the voltage value on the display.



Figure 3: Measuring voltage in an electrical panel using the DM-45 multimeter.

4.2 Current Measurement (Amps)

To measure current (up to 10A):

1. Turn the rotary dial to the "10A" position.
2. Connect the test leads in series with the circuit. **Caution:** Ensure the circuit is de-energized before connecting the multimeter in series.
3. Apply power to the circuit and read the current value on the display.



Figure 4: Measuring current in an electrical panel with the DM-45.

4.3 Resistance, Capacitance, Frequency, and Temperature

Select the appropriate function on the rotary dial (Ω for Resistance, F for Capacitance, Hz/% for Frequency/Duty Cycle, Temp for Temperature) and connect the test leads as required for the specific measurement. Refer to the detailed instructions in the full manual for each function.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Cleaning

Wipe the multimeter with a dry, clean cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.

5.2 Fuse Replacement

The DM-45 features field-replaceable fuses. If the current measurement function stops working, the fuse may need replacement. Refer to the full manual for specific fuse ratings and replacement procedures.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No display or dim display	Dead or low battery	Replace the 9V battery.
Incorrect readings	Incorrect function selected; Loose test leads; Damaged test leads	Verify function setting; Reconnect leads securely; Inspect and replace damaged leads.
Current measurement not working	Blown fuse	Replace the fuse (refer to fuse replacement section).

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- Brand:** Greenlee
- Model:** DM-45
- Power Source:** Battery Powered (1 x 9V battery, included)
- Voltage Rating:** 600 Volts (AC/DC)
- Current Rating:** 10 Amps
- Item Weight:** 1.12 Pounds
- Product Dimensions (L x W x H):** 10.5 x 6 x 4.5 inches
- Material:** ABS
- Display:** Large, easy to read
- Features:** Manual and auto-ranging, Capacitance, Temperature, Duty Cycle, Frequency, Battery Test, Analog Bar Graph, Backlight, Automatic Power Off, Field Replaceable Fuses.

8. WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Greenlee DM-45 Digital Multimeter comes with a **Lifetime Warranty**. For detailed terms and conditions, please refer to the official Greenlee website or contact customer support.

9. SUPPORT AND CONTACT

For further assistance, technical support, or to inquire about replacement parts, please visit the official Greenlee website or contact their customer service department. Always refer to the full operator's manual for comprehensive safety information and detailed operating procedures.

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