# MT-8500 KEYPAD OPERATION Software Versions 1.18 To Date

NOTES: 1. X = Any channel, 1 - 8

2. \* = Must be trending (paper moving) or in HALT

SET TIME - 9:00 A.M.

TIME-0-9-0-0-ENTER

9:30 P.M.

TIME-2-1-3-0-ENTER

SET DATE - Jan. 1, 1987 DATE-0-1-0-1-8-7-ENTER
Oct. 10, 1987 DATE-1-0-1-0-8-7-ENTER

8 Channels, 1 - 8

CHAN-ENTER

8 Channels, different order CHAN-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-ENTER

6 Channels

CHAN-X-X-X-X-X-X-ENTER

4 Channels

CHAN-X-X-X-X-ENTER

3 Channels

CHAN-X-X-X-ENTER

2 Channels

CHAN-X-X-ENTER

1 Channel

CHAN-0-X-X-ENTER

NOTE: X=X

2 Channels overlapping

CHAN-0-X-X-ENTER

4 Channels overlapping

CHAN-0-X-X-X-X-ENTER

Set Snapshot Window

ABC-CHAN-T-ENTER T = 1,2,4 or 8 (seconds)

\*2 Channel Snapshot

CHAN-A-X-X-ENTER

\*4 Channel Snapshot

CHAN-B-X-X-X-X-ENTER

\*8 Channel Snapshot 1-8 CHAN-C-ENTER

\*8 Channel Snapshot different order

CHAN-C-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-ENTER

Set X-Y Plot Window

ABC-X-Y-T-ENTER

\*Low Resolution X-Y Plot

X-Y-X-X-ENTER

\*High Resolution X-Y Plot

X-Y-A-X-X-ENTER

NOTE: 1st X=X, 2nd X=Y

\*Overlap Snapshot 2 channels CHAN-0-A-X-X-ENTER

\*Overlap Snapshot 4 channels CHAN-0-B-X-X-X-X-ENTER

Set Triggered Snapshot

Parameters

ABC - ZERO

- 1. Display reads 000 (default) or previously selected threshold voltage, -250mv to +250mv. Press A for positive values 0-250mv. Press C for negative values 0 to -250mv. Enter value including leading zeros (example 060 for 60) and press ENTER.
- 2. Display reads SLPN. Press 0, 1, 2 or 3, then ENTER.
  - 0 external event trigger using trigger BNC connector
  - 1 trigger on rise
  - 2 trigger on fall
  - 3 trigger on rise or fall
- 3. Display reads POSN. Press 1, 2 or 3, then ENTER.
  - 1 pre-trigger (show date after trigger)
  - 2 center-trigger (show data before and after trigger)
  - 3 post-trigger (show data before trigger)
- 4. Display reads SECN. Press 1, 2, 4 or 8 seconds then ENTER.

Triggered Snapshot 2 channels X-Y-B-X-X-ENTER

X-Y-B-X-X-X-X- ENTER Triggered Snapshot 4 channels

Triggered Snapshot 8 channels, 1-8 X-Y-B-ENTER

Triggered Snapshot 8 channels X-Y-B-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-X-ENTER different order

Program Insta-Speed

Triggered Snapshot X-Y-B-0-X-X-ENTER 2 channels overlapping

X-Y-B-0-X-X-X-X-ENTER Triggered Snapshot 4 channels overlapping

X-Y Plot of Triggered Snapshot X-Y (after data printout)

data, 2 channels

\*Printout of Channel Annotation Code CHAN-ABC-0

\* Channel Annotation Refer to Manual

CHAN-X-Y \*Turn Off Grid

Repeat to turn grid back on

Pause Press again to resume

Example: A = 1 mm/hrKeys A, B, C

B = 1 mm/secC = 25 mm/sec

ABC-A-mm/hr - 1 - ENTER

ABC-B-mm/sec - 1 - ENTER

ABC-C-mm/sec - 2-5-ENTER

### MT-8500 SPECIFICATIONS

# General Specifications

## Dimensions:

Bench Model: 8" high (203 mm) x 19" wide (483 mm)

x 18" deep (457 mm)

Rack-Mounting Model: 10 1/2" high (267 mm) x 19" wide

(483 mm) x 18" deep (457 mm)

(6 rack height space)

Weight: Rench model (MT8500) - 45 lbs. rack-

mounting model (MT8500R) - 59 lbs.

Recording Method: Direct Writing thermal array with 200

dots/in. amplitude axis resolution and up to 400 dots/in. time axis

resolution

Recording Medium: Blue or black imaging thermal paper,

Z-fold in 468 ft. long length

Paper Width: 8 1/2" (216 mm)

### OPERATING SPECIFICATIONS

Power Requirements: 115/230 V, 50/60/400 Hz, 250 watts

Number of Channels:

Description	Analog Input	Self-Generated	Digitized Input
Waveform Event Marker	1-8 1	-	1-30
System Status	<del>-</del>	1	-

Trace Width: 1/4 mm

Frequency Response: Analog Input

Frequency Response
DC to 500 Hz, full-scale
DC to 2.5 KHz, full-scale
DC to 2KHz, full-scale
DC to 1 KHz, full-scale
DC to 500 Hz, full-scale

Analog Input: +/- 250 mV full-scale calibrated,

tolerance of  $\pm$  2.5 mV;

+/- 10V maximum, uncalibrated;

single ended, floating, single common,

5K ohms impedance

Analog Input Connectors: Eight BNC jacks for analog inputs, one

BNC jack for trigger input, one BNC jack for event marker. A 25-pin D-shell connector in place of all

above BNC jacks.

Digitized Input Parallel Port:

Data 12 bit Channel select 5 bit Strobe 2 bit

Communication Ports: RS-232 and IEEE-488 ports standard

Zero Position: Continuously adjustable over channel

width

External trigger for

Snap Shot:

BNC connector, TTL low, or switch

closure

Event Marker Input: BNC connector, TTL low, or switch

closure

Grid Lines: Amplitude lines - each minor division

is equal to 10 mV (except for 8 channel

mode, which is 20 mV)

Timing lines - time value of major timing lines automatically printed

in system channel

CHART DRIVE SYSTEM

Type: Stepper, crystal referenced

Chart Speeds: 1 mm/hr to 100 mm/sec. in 1 mm increments

(selectable from front panel keypad

and host)

Instant Speeds: Three keys user selectable or defaulted

to 1, 25 and 50 mm/sec.

# Operating Modes/Sub Modes Via Host

Display and Set Date: Allows date entry

Display and Set Time: Allows time entry

Real-time Oscillograph: Records analog waveforms as they are

input

Immediate Snap Shot

Oscillograph Sub Mode: Sub mode of real-time which captures

sample points for plotting in X-Y and X-T graphs or storage in the host

Triggered Snap Shot: Triggered to capture and sample points

for plotting in X-Y and X-T graphs

or storage in the host.

Full and One-Sixteenth

X-Y Plotter: Plots data captured in immediate

snap shot sub mode and triggered

snap shot mode

X-T Plot: Plots data captured in immediate snap

shot. Triggered snap shot data is generally plotted in its own mode, but may be plotted within the mode.

Line/Screen Printer: Writes the contents of a computer

screen or ASCII file (80 columns wide)

Transfer Data From MT8500

to Host:

Transfers sample points to the host

through IEEE-488 (GPIB/HPIB)

Transfer Data from Host

to MT8500:

Transfers sample points to the MT8500

through IEEE-488 (GPIB/HPIB)

### ENVIRONMENTAL

Temperature: Operating 0 to 45 degrees C

non-operating -20 to 80 degrees C

Humidity: Operating 5 to 95 percent RH

non-operating 5 to 100 percent RH

Attitude: Operating to 50,000 ft.

Vibration: Operating 0.5 G harmonic

non-operating 2 G harmonic