

Perfect for Automated Measurement Systems or as a Primary Laboratory Resistance Standard



GUILDLINE INSTRUMENTS 6634A SERIES is a modular series of Resistance Standards that can be rack mountable or simply set on a bench. The 6634A Series provides a set of up to 10 precision resistance standards enclosed in a temperature controlled and EMI protected chamber.

THE 6634A SERIES IS AN EXCELLENT SOLUTION AS A WORKING STANDARD FOR AUTOMATED RESISTANCE MEASUREMENT SYSTEMS OR AS A STAND-ALONE LABORATORY PRIMARY RESISTANCE STANDARD!



For the Normal Ohms Configurations, there are 10 standard resistance values available covering the range of 0.1 Ω to 100 M Ω . Each resistance element is isolated and has 4-terminal connections on the rear panel. The resistance elements are maintained at approximately 30 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ in a temperature stabilized chamber. Each element is built with multiple resistors to improve performance.

FEATURES

- Normal Ohms Resistance Range: 0.1 Ω to 100 M Ω in Decade Increments
- Low Ohms Resistance Range: 1 m Ω to 0.1 Ω in Decade Increments
- Temperature Coefficient $< \pm 0.005 \mu\Omega/\Omega / ^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Stabilities Low as $< 2 \mu\Omega/\Omega / \text{year}$
- Thermometry Resistance Values Available
- 4-Wire Low Thermal Gold-Plated Connections
- Eliminates Oil Bath Requirements
- Internal PRT Stability: $\pm 0.05 ^{\circ}\text{C} / \text{Year}$
- Ambient Temperature Range: $23 ^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5 ^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Low Thermal EMF's – Shielded Chamber
- Guarded Resistance Element Chamber
- Custom Values / Models Available
- CE Marked with World-Wide Voltage & Frequencies
- Top End Range Values up to 100 T Ω with Guildline Model 6636

Temperature monitoring is provided by a precision PRT sensor installed in the chamber with 4 terminal connectors provided on the front panel.

The Model 6634A is excellent as a Working Standard for Automated Resistance Measurement Systems or as Reference Standards at the Primary level. Decade resistance values are available in the range of 0.1 Ω to 100 M Ω , and custom resistance values can be ordered.

Standard model variations are available with 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10 resistance elements installed. All models purchased with less than 10 resistance standards can be expanded at any time via a factory upgrade.

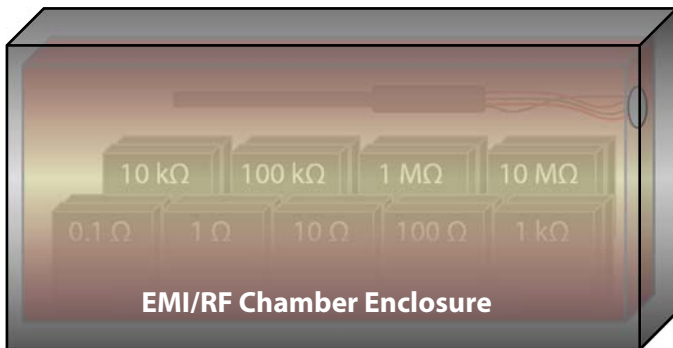
A Low Ohms Configuration is available for values below 0.1 Ω . This Series has the same precision temperature stability as the Normal Ohms Configuration, but is limited to a maximum of 3 Resistance Elements. This is due to the large size of the low ohmic elements. The Resistance Range of the Low Ohms models is from 1 m Ω to 100 m Ω .

6634A Series of Temperature Stabilized Resistance Standards

The design of Guildline's 6634A Series Resistance Standards is **based on innovation, knowledge, and manufacturing experience** in building resistance standards **since 1957**. Guildline Standards are the **best by design** and by manufacture.

One **key advantage of Guildline** Resistance Standards is that each Resistance Value is **made up from multiple resistors**, not just a single resistor which is the technique used by most manufacturers. This approach **lowers the drift** that is seen with a single resistor and **reduces the internal noise** generated inside the reference resistor. Other real advantages are the **use of a PRT vs a thermistor for internal temperature control**, and the Guildline 6634A Standard **does not require any fans** like competitive models. The result is **industry leading annual drift rates** and **very quiet measurements**.

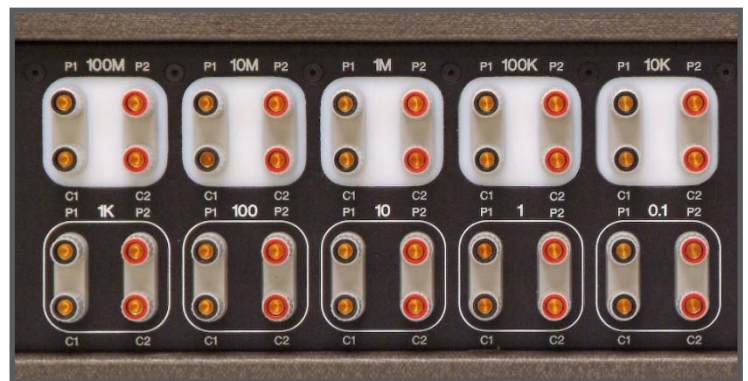
Another consideration is Electro-Magnetic Interference (**EMI**) or Radio Frequency (**RF**) impact on the performance of 6634A resistance elements. The entire Temperature (Thermal) Chamber, with all the elements, is placed inside another **EMI/RF Enclosure**. By incorporating an enclosed shielded chamber, coupled along with a **tightly controlled temperature environment**, measurement **uncertainties can be significantly controlled and reduced**.



The resistor elements are **electrically isolated** and **securely mounted** to the inside of a **hermetically sealed** aluminum enclosure. The resistance element itself is composed of multiple resistors, and encapsulated in a bonding material selected for its resistance to humidity and barometric pressure.

All Resistance values including Low Ohms models incorporate **5-way beryllium copper, gold plated binding posts** that provide ultra low 4-Wire thermal connections. These are the same connectors found on our **World Leading Direct Current Comparator Bridges!** For values 10 kΩ and higher, a special protective insulator is also used to electrically isolate the binding posts from the 6334A enclosure.

The **compact size and wide operating temperature range** of the model 6634A make it perfect for automation. When used with a low thermal scanner such as the Guildline 6664C or an automated DCC Resistance Bridge such as the Guildline 6622A Series, **full automation of resistance measurements to 100 MΩ is provided**.

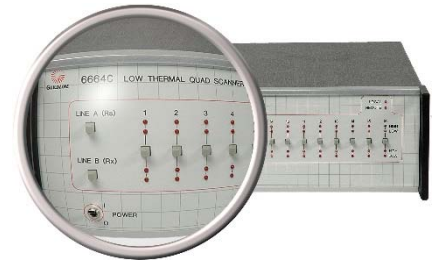


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Low Ohms Model - Given the performance of the Model 6634A standard values from 0.1 Ω to 100 M Ω , customers have requested that Guildline provide a 6634A with low value resistance standards - so we obliged. The **Low Ohms model** that has 3 elements from **0.001 Ω to 0.1 Ω** . You can also have any special value (e.g. 5 m Ω), but the unit is limited to 3 elements due to the larger size of the low value elements.

Thermometry Models - A Thermometry Model Series includes **special thermometry values** such as 0.25 Ω , 25 Ω , 10 Ω , 100 Ω , 200 Ω , and 400 Ω (or higher). Many customers have specified models with dual resistance elements (e.g. 2 x 10 Ω , 2 x 25 Ω , 2 x 100 Ω , etc.) as this is especially desirable for 'Self Calibration' of temperature bridges. In addition, due to the **ultra short-term stability** of the resistance elements, a 6634A can be used to **verify actual ratios** on Temperature Bridges or devices such as Fluke (Hart) Super-Thermometers. By having 2 of each value, you can verify the 1:1 ratios as well as higher and lower ratios! If AC performance is required, check out our **7334 AC/DC Series of Precision Resistance Standards** which can also be delivered in a temperature stabilized and EMI shielded chamber.

Guildline's **6664C Low Thermal, 4-Wire Scanners** are the first commercial scanners capable of operating at **1000 V**. This Scanner has greatly **improved the measurement/calibration** throughput of **6634A Resistance Standards**. With the low thermal, 4-Wire connections, you can simply connect the 6634A directly to a **6664C-8 or 16 Channel Scanner** to provide a single connection point for **all resistance values** when selected manually via the push-button operation or **automatically via software**. With 4-Wire, 2 A and 1000 V capability; the 6664C is perfect for automating standard resistance measurements.



For Thermometry, the Guildline **3210 Series of Thermometry Adapters** provides a **low noise, low thermal** contact, high isolation interface switch and connection panel (i.e. Scanner). The 3210 allows multiple PRTs, SPRT's or other **temperature devices** to be **easily connected to measurement devices** such as Guildline's 6622T and 6640T Temperature Bridges and the Model **6634A Temperature Stabilized Resistance Standard**. The 3210 has a **built-in switch** to automatically **measure multiple connected devices**, while using individual programmable **pre-heat/keep-warm currents** in between measurements.



The **6634A Temperature Stabilized Resistance Standard** is the **recommended standard** for Guildline's **6625A Resistance and Current Measurement Systems**. The 6625A Measurement System provides demanding users the **best in performance** and value. Incorporating some of the most unique instruments and standards, the 6625A Measurement System is the best "**turn-key**" **Resistance and Current Measurement System** available today. This System provides the **best in measurement specifications** and the widest range of operation available from any manufacturer and is ideally suited for NMIs, militaries, and calibration labs.



The **6625A Measurement System** is highly configurable to meet wide ranging workload requirements. The 6625A is capable of resistance measurements using **6634A models** from **1 $\mu\Omega$ up to 1 G Ω** at 1000 V with a single 6622A DCC Bridge.

The **6625A unique design** and modularity allows customers to purchase what they need today to **support calibration** of their current work-load and be assured of an **upgrade path** to support their **future requirements**. With a **6634A incorporated**, the 6625A System is typically delivered ready for use in a single 'fly-away' rack less than **30 inches (76 cm) in total height**.

6634A Series of Temperature Stabilized Resistance Standards

| 6634A SPECIFICATIONS | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|--|---|---|--|----------------------|
| Nominal Resistance Ω | Nominal Initial Tolerance ² +/- $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ (ppm) | 24 Hour Stability +/- $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ | 12 Month Stability ³ +/- $\mu\Omega/\Omega$ | Temperature Coefficient +/- $\mu\Omega/\Omega / ^\circ\text{C}$ | Maximum Voltage V |
| 0.001 ¹ | 20 | 0.4 | 15 | 0.04 | 0.01 |
| 0.01 ¹ | 10 | 0.2 | 10 | 0.02 | 0.03 |
| 0.1 | 5 | 0.1 | 2.5 | 0.01 | 0.1 |
| 1 | 5 | 0.01 | 2.5 | 0.005 | 0.32 |
| 10 | 5 | 0.01 | 2.5 | 0.005 | 1.0 |
| 100 | 5 | 0.01 | 2.5 | 0.005 | 3.2 |
| 1 k | 5 | 0.01 | 2.5 | 0.005 | 10 |
| 10 k | 5 | 0.01 | 2 | 0.005 | 32 |
| 100 k | 5 | 0.02 | 2.5 | 0.01 | 100 |
| 1 M | 10 | 0.04 | 4 | 0.02 | 320 |
| 10 M | 20 | 0.2 | 5 | 0.2 | 1000 |
| 100 M | 40 | 0.5 | 20 | 0.2 | 1000 |

Note 1: Models containing Low Ohms Values are limited to a maximum of 3 elements.

Note 2: Nominal initial tolerance is defined as the maximum variation of resistance mean values as initially adjusted at the point of sale.

Note 3: Stability is exclusive of the effects of applying power above 20 mW, but not exceeding the maximum voltage, in terms of hysteresis and short-term temperature stabilization.

Note 4: Initial 12-month drift is for after the first year of ownership only. The initial 12-month drift is higher due to stabilization of elements. After the initial 24 months, the two-year specification is used as the maximum yearly drift specification.

Calibration Note: Calibrated in air at 23 °C traceable to the SI unit of electric resistance. Calibration uncertainties expanded and expressed at the 95 % level of confidence. An ISO/IEC 17025 accredited certificate and report of calibration stating the calibrated value and estimated uncertainty is provided with each resistor.

| GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS | | | | | |
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| Resistance Range (Low Ω) | 0.001 Ω to 0.1 Ω (Maximum of 3 elements). Special Values between 0.001 Ω to 0.1 Ω available at time of order. | | | | |
| Resistance Range (Normal Ω) ▶ | 0.1 Ω to 100 M Ω . Maximum 10 Elements in one unit. Special values between 0.1 Ω and 100 M Ω available at time of order. | | | | |
| Temperature Stability ▶ | ± 0.05 °C over 1 year, exclusive of self heating effects of the resistors | | | | |
| PRT Sensor ▶ | Temperature Set-point | Stability (1 Year) | | Resistance | Scale |
| | 30 °C ± 0.5 °C | ± 0.05 °C | | 100 $\Omega \pm 0.1$ % at 0 °C | (0-100 °C) 0.392 $\Omega/^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Power Requirements ▶ | VAC: 100, 120, 220, 240 V ± 10 % | | Frequency: 50/60 Hz ± 10 % | | 15 VA Maximum |
| Environmental ▶ | Operating | 18 °C to 28 °C, < 50 % RH, non-condensing | | | |
| | Storage | -20 °C to 60 °C, < 90 % RH, non-condensing | | | |
| Dimensions Rack Mount | Height (Bench Top Adder) | | Width | | Depth |
| | 132 mm (142 mm) | 5.2 in (5.6 in) | 440 mm | 17.4 in | 503 mm 19.8 in |
| | 9.4 kg (11 kg) | | 20.7 lbs (24 lbs) | | |

Set-Point Note. Optional PRT Set-Points of 35 °C and 40 °C are available, however the unit cannot go lower than 30 °C. This is due to the 6634A Design which uses heaters to raise the temperature, but does not include cooling as this creates internal noise. By using a 30 °C temperature, this allows the unit to operate efficiently when placed in either a laboratory environment of 23 °C ± 5 °C or inside an equipment rack, which typically operates at around 28 °C.

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100 MΩ not high enough? Check out the **6636 Temperature Stabilized Resistance Standard**. The 6636 can be configured with up to 6 standard decade resistance values, covering the range of 10 MΩ to 100 TΩ. Each resistance element is isolated and has an N-type terminal connection on the back panel.

Guildline also provides **world leading Air Resistance Standards** with values from **100 μΩ all the way to 100 GΩ** with our 9334A Series; and from **10 MΩ to**

10 PΩ with the 9336 and 9337 Series.



(Model 6636 Rear)



9334A Series

Need high Current capability in a resistance standard? Check out our **9230A Series of Precision DC Shunts (Resistors)** or our 9211 and 9210 Multi-Tap Shunts (Resistors).

AC Performance a requirement? The **7334 Series of AC/DC Resistance Standards** are designed for AC Temperature Bridges.

Need AC Resistance but with high currents and higher frequencies? For best AC Performance to 100 kHz, our **7340 and 7350 AC/DC Shunts** provide stable resistance values for AC currents up to 100 A. **Values, performance and quality** that nobody else can provide!



7340 Series

Each of the Data sheets for these Series and Models can be found on the web at www.guildline.com.

ORDERING INFORMATION

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| 6634A-10 | Resistance Standard with 10 Decade Elements 0.1 Ω to 100 MΩ |
| 6634A-9 | Resistance Standard with 9 Decade Elements 0.1 Ω to 10 MΩ |
| 6634A-8 | Resistance Standard with 8 Decade Elements 1 Ω to 10 MΩ |
| 6634A-7 | Resistance Standard with 7 Decade Elements 1 Ω to 1 MΩ |
| 6634A-6 | Resistance Standard with 6 Decade Elements 1 Ω to 100 kΩ |
| 6634A-5 | Resistance Standard with 5 Decade Elements 1 Ω to 10 kΩ |
| 6634A-LO | Resistance Standard with 3 Decade Elements 0.001 Ω to 0.1 Ω |
| /TM6634A | Technical Manual (Included) |
| /ST-X | Optional Internal Temperature Set point (Specify 35 °C or 40 °C) |
| Note: ISO/IEC 17025 Report of Calibration and Calibration Certificate Included | |
| /Lead-11 | Low Thermal Lead Pair w/Gold Plated Banana Plugs, 1 m length |
| /Lead-12 | Low Thermal Lead Pair w/Gold Plated Banana Plugs, 2 m length |
| *Other Precision Leads Are Available – Call and tell us your requirements | |

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