User Manual 1696B Series Programmable DC Power Supplies





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Safety Summary

The following safety precautions apply to both operating and maintenance personnel and must be followed during all phases of operation, service, and repair of this instrument.

WARNING

Before applying power to this instrument:

- Read and understand the safety and operational information in this manual.
- Apply all the listed safety precautions.
- Verify that the voltage selector at the line power cord input is set to the correct line voltage. Operating the instrument at an incorrect line voltage will void the warranty.
- Make all connections to the instrument before applying power.
- Do not operate the instrument in ways not specified by this manual or by B&K Precision.

Failure to comply with these precautions or with warnings elsewhere in this manual violates the safety standards of design, manufacture, and intended use of the instrument. B&K Precision assumes no liability for a customer's failure to comply with these requirements.

Category rating

The IEC 61010 standard defines safety category ratings that specify the amount of electrical energy available and the voltage impulses that may occur on electrical conductors associated with these category ratings. The category rating is a Roman numeral of I, II, III, or IV. This rating is also accompanied by a maximum voltage of the circuit to be tested, which defines the voltage impulses expected and required insulation clearances. These categories are:

Category I (CAT I):	Measurement instruments whose measurement inputs are not intended to be connected to the
	mains supply. The voltages in the environment are typically derived from a limited-energy trans-
	former or a battery.

- **Category II (CAT II):** Measurement instruments whose measurement inputs are meant to be connected to the mains supply at a standard wall outlet or similar sources. Example measurement environments are portable tools and household appliances.
- **Category III (CAT III):** Measurement instruments whose measurement inputs are meant to be connected to the mains installation of a building. Examples are measurements inside a building's circuit breaker panel or the wiring of permanently-installed motors.
- **Category IV (CAT IV):** Measurement instruments whose measurement inputs are meant to be connected to the primary power entering a building or other outdoor wiring.

Do not use this instrument in an electrical environment with a higher category rating than what is specified in this manual for this instrument.

You must ensure that each accessory you use with this instrument has a category rating equal to or higher than the instrument's category rating to maintain the instrument's category rating. Failure to do so will lower the category rating of the measuring system.

Electrical Power

This instrument is intended to be powered from a CATEGORY II mains power environment. The mains power should be 115 V RMS or 230 V RMS. Use only the power cord supplied with the instrument and ensure it is appropriate for your country of use.

Ground the Instrument



To minimize shock hazard, the instrument chassis and cabinet must be connected to an electrical safety ground. This instrument is grounded through the ground conductor of the supplied, three-conductor AC line power cable. The power cable must be plugged into an approved three-conductor electrical outlet. The power jack and mating plug of the power cable meet IEC safety standards.

AWARNING

Do not alter or defeat the ground connection. Without the safety ground connection, all accessible conductive parts (including control knobs) may provide an electric shock. Failure to use a properly-grounded approved outlet and the recommended three-conductor AC line power cable may result in injury or death.

WARNING

Unless otherwise stated, a ground connection on the instrument's front or rear panel is for a reference of potential only and is not to be used as a safety ground. Do not operate in an explosive or flammable atmosphere.

AWARNING

Do not operate the instrument in the presence of flammable gases or vapors, fumes, or finely-divided particulates.

WARNING

The instrument is designed to be used in office-type indoor environments. Do not operate the instrument

- In the presence of noxious, corrosive, or flammable fumes, gases, vapors, chemicals, or finely-divided particulates.
- In relative humidity conditions outside the instrument's specifications.
- In environments where there is a danger of any liquid being spilled on the instrument or where any liquid can condense on the instrument.
- In air temperatures exceeding the specified operating temperatures.
- In atmospheric pressures outside the specified altitude limits or where the surrounding gas is not air.
- In environments with restricted cooling air flow, even if the air temperatures are within specifications.
- In direct sunlight.

This instrument is intended to be used in an indoor pollution degree 2 environment. The operating temperature range is 0° C to 40° C and 20% to 80% relative humidity, with no condensation allowed. Measurements made by this instrument may be outside specifications if the instrument is used in non-office-type environments. Such environments may include rapid temperature or humidity changes, sunlight, vibration and/or mechanical shocks, acoustic noise, electrical noise, strong electric fields, or strong magnetic fields.

Do not operate instrument if damaged

WARNING

If the instrument is damaged, appears to be damaged, or if any liquid, chemical, or other material gets on or inside the instrument, remove the instrument's power cord, remove the instrument from service, label it as not to be operated, and return the instrument to B&K Precision for repair. Notify B&K Precision of the nature of any contamination of the instrument.

Clean the instrument only as instructed

WARNING

Do not clean the instrument, its switches, or its terminals with contact cleaners, abrasives, lubricants, solvents, acids/bases, or other such chemicals. Clean the instrument only with a clean dry lint-free cloth or as instructed in this manual. Not for critical applications

WARNING

This instrument is not authorized for use in contact with the human body or for use as a component in a life-support device or system.

Do not touch live circuits



Instrument covers must not be removed by operating personnel. Component replacement and internal adjustments must be made by qualified service-trained maintenance personnel who are aware of the hazards involved when the instrument's covers and shields are removed. Under certain conditions, even with the power cord removed, dangerous voltages may exist when the covers are removed. To avoid injuries, always disconnect the power cord from the instrument, disconnect all other connections (for example, test leads, computer interface cables, etc.), discharge all circuits, and verify there are no hazardous voltages present on any conductors by measurements with a properly-operating voltage-sensing device before touching any internal parts. Verify the voltage-sensing device is working properly before and after making the measurements by testing with known-operating voltage sources and test for both DC and AC voltages. Do not attempt any service or adjustment unless another person capable of rendering first aid and resuscitation is present. Do not insert any object into an instrument's ventilation openings or other openings.

WARNING

Hazardous voltages may be present in unexpected locations in circuitry being tested when a fault condition in the circuit exists.

Fuse replacement must be done by qualified service-trained maintenance personnel who are aware of the instrument's fuse requirements and safe replacement procedures. Disconnect the instrument from the power line before replacing fuses. Replace fuses only with new fuses of the fuse types, voltage ratings, and current ratings specified in this manual or on the back of the instrument. Failure to do so may damage the instrument, lead to a safety hazard, or cause a fire. Failure to use the specified fuses will void the warranty.

Servicing



Do not substitute parts that are not approved by B&K Precision or modify this instrument. Return the instrument to B&K Precision for service and repair to ensure that safety and performance features are maintained.

For continued safe use of the instrument

- Do not place heavy objects on the instrument.
- Do not obstruct cooling air flow to the instrument.
- Do not place a hot soldering iron on the instrument.
- Do not pull the instrument with the power cord, connected probe, or connected test lead.
- Do not move the instrument when a probe is connected to a circuit being tested.

Safety Symbols

Symbol	Description
	indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.
	indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury
	indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in minor or moderate injury
\triangle	Refer to the text near the symbol.
	Electric Shock hazard
\sim	Alternating current (AC)
<i>h</i>	Chassis ground
Ţ	Earth ground
–	This is the In position of the power switch when instrument is ON.
д	This is the Out position of the power switch when instrument is OFF.
NOTICE	is used to address practices not related to physical injury.

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not use this apparatus near water.
- 2. Clean only with dry cloth.
- 3. Do not block any ventilation openings.
- 4. Do not install unit near any heat source or heating emitting devices.
- 5. Prevent the power cord from being walked on or pinched.
- 6. Unplug this unit during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.

1.1 Precautions

- The unit must be used within its specified range. The rated input voltages can be found on the rating label at the back of the unit. Before plugging into the AC supply, check with the rating label.
- This unit has a built-in Tracking O.V.P. (Over Voltage Protection) feature. In the event of the output voltage becoming 10% greater than the set value, the O.V.P. will be triggered and the output power will be cut off and >FAULT< warning will appear.

When you get this warning, switch off the unit and remove all loading.

If you switch the unit back on again it should resume normal operation. In the event that this problem persists contact the manufacturer.

 This unit has a built-in buzzer, which will sound when Over Temperature/Overload/Over Voltage Protection has been triggered. When you get this warning, switch the unit off and remove all loading. Check your load and output voltage setting.

Allow the unit to cool down for 30 minutes. If you switch the unit back on it should resume normal operation. In the event this problem persists contact B&K Precision for assistance.

- 4. Only use the supplied software and optional accessories with this unit.
- 5. Refer all servicing to manufacturer.

Warning! The maximum output voltage for Model 1698B is up to 60Vdc. It may be hazardous to touch metal part of the terminals.

Product Overview

2.1 Package Contents

- Power Supply (1696B, 1697B or 1698B)
- Power cord
- USB cable

2.2 Power Requirements

Parameter	Value
Voltage	100 - 240 VAC
Frequency	50/60 Hz
Fuse	4A Slow Blow 250V

2.3 Interface and Controls



ltem	Description
1	Rotary control knob
2	Up/Down keys
3	Dual function control keys
4	Negative output terminal (black)
5	Chassis ground terminal (green)
6	Positive output terminal (red)

Front	Panel	Items

Figure 2.1 Interface and Controls

Rear	Panel	Items
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Item Description

Power Switch

Power Input

RS-485 Port

USB Port

1

2

3

4

Basic Operation

3.1 Setting Voltage and Current by Rotary Knob and Up/Down Keys

- 1. Press (1/1) V-set/I-set to switch between setting voltage and current.
- 2. Rotate control knob toggle the cursor position.

3.2 Setting Voltage and Current Using Keypad

- 1. Press (1/1) V-set/I-set to switch between setting voltage and current.
- 2. Use the numeric keypad **0** to **9** to input voltage or current value.
- 3. Press Enter to confirm input values.

Operating Instructions



4.6 Setting the Upper Voltage Limit

- 1. Press Shift Clear
- 2. Press **O** on the numeric keypad within 3 seconds to enter upper voltage limit adjustment menu. The first line says "Over" and the second if the voltage limit setting.



4.7 Enable Output at Power Up

This feature limits the upper level setting of output voltage to prevent inadvertent setting of high voltage, which may damage your application. The value of this upper voltage range limit will be retained until further reset.

1. Press Shift Clear

2. Press the up arrow key *within 3 seconds to enable output on power up.*

4.8 Disable Output at Power Up



2. Press the down arrow key within 3 seconds to disable output on power up.

4.9 LCD Brightness

- 1. Press Shift Clear
- 2. Press on numeric keypad within 3 seconds to enter brightness menu.



4. Press oo/oo Enter to confirm.

4.10 Enable/Disable SCPI

- 1. Press Shift Clear
- 2. Press **4** on numeric keypad within 3 seconds to enter into SCPI enable/disable menu.
- 3. Use the rotary knob to toggle between 'Y' to enable SCPI and 'N' to disable SCPI command protocol and use the extended protocol command set instead.
- 4. Press oro/oro Enter to confirm.

Using Programming Features

5.1 Preset Program



5.2 Setting Timed Program

The unit can be programmed to operate up to 20 timed subprograms (0-19 STEP as shown in the display). Each subprogram is capable of running a preset operation period of 1 second to 99 minutes and 99 seconds with its own preset voltage and current level. The timed subprogram can be set to run in sequence repeatedly from 1 to 9999 cycles or infinity run. You can run the unit through the sequence of subprograms for the input cycles number unless interrupted by pressing the CLEAR key.

- 1. Press Shift Clear then press 1 on the numeric keypad to enter program setting menu.
- Use to select a step to be modified.
 Use the up and down keys to navigate between setting voltage, current, and time
- 4. Press Enter to confirm and exit.

5.3 Run Timed Programming

- 1. Press Shift Clear then press 2 to select step program to run
- 2. Use to select the number of steps to run (2 to 20) and press <u>monon</u> <u>Enter</u>. Ex. Selecting step 3 means run from step 1 to step 3
- 3. Input the desired number of cycles from 0000 to 9999 using the numeric keypad or rotary knob, press **Enter** to confirm and begin timed program. Leave this setting on 0000 for infinite cyclic run. Press **Shift Clear** to terminate the program.

Maintenance

6.1 Recalibration

The purpose of recalibration is to reduce the difference between the set values and the displayed values on the LCD display. Recalibration is only required when this difference is greater than 0.1 V for voltage or -0.01 A / +0.02 A for current.

6.2 Troubleshooting

Keypad and Dial do not work	Check key lock symbol for lock state, unlock unit by pressing Shift Clear then U-set/I-set key, otherwise switch the unit off and then back on to see if the prob- lem persists.
No output power	Check the output for on/off symbol on the display. Press Shift Clear then and the clear then and the clear
Cannot get a high voltage setting within the rated maximum "OUT OF RANGE" keeps appearing	Check the upper voltage limit setting by pressing Shift Clear then O. Adjust the maximum voltage limit with the and keys. Check if the setting is within the rated range. If this occurs during voltage setting, refer to troubleshooting solution to the previous problem.
When keying in operations the unit keeps exiting and does not save inputs	Only 10 seconds are allowed for inputting and 3 seconds for operation mode settings.

PC Software Control and Installation

The PC software provides remote communication, data logging, front panel emulation, and timed programming capabilities using the USB or RS-485 interfaces. The software supports Windows 7, 8, 8.1, 10.

Note: Do not connect both USB and RS-485 simultaneously.

7.1 USB Driver Installation

Remote communication using USB requires the installation of the CP210X USB virtual COM driver available for download at bkprecision.com. The USB driver is only required for Windows 7, 8, 8.1 operating systems. For Windows 10 use the default driver that is automatically installed. If required, download the driver under the "Docs & Software" tab https://www.bkprecision.com/products/power-supplies/1687B-1-36v-0-10a-dc-power-supply.html (See Figure 7.1).

USB Virtual COM Drivers (Supports Windows 7/8/8.1/10) V6.7.5 <u>CP210X_USB_Driver.zip</u>

Figure 7.1 Download Link

- 1. Click "CP210X_USB_Driver.zip" to begin the download
- 2. Whem complete, right click on the .zip folder and click "Extract All..."
- 3. Depending on your system right-click and run the 32-bit or 64-bit installer as administrator to begin installation, see Figure 7.2.

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Figure 7.2 Install as the Administrator

7.2 Software Installation

The PC software is available for download under the Docs & Software tab: https://www.bkprecision.com/products /power-supplies/1696-programmable-dc-power-supply-1-20vdc-0-999a.html

- 1. Click on the .zip file to begin download.
- 2. When complete, right-click on the .zip file and click "Extract All..."
- 3. Right-click on the .exe file and select "Run as administrator". Figure 7.3



Figure 7.3

🔀 Setup - PSCS	– – ×
	Welcome to the PSCS Setup Wizard
	This will install PSCS version 2.9 on your computer.
	It is recommended that you close all other applications before continuing.
	Click Next to continue, or Cancel to exit Setup.
	Next > Cancel



- 4. Click "Next" to continue. Figure 7.4
- 5. Select a destination location for the software. Figure 7.5
- 6. Select a location for the software shortcut. Figure 7.6
- 7. Check the box if you would like to create a desktop shortcut and click "Next" to continue. Figure 7.7
- 8. Click "Install" to begin installation. Figure 7.8

7.3 Multi-Unit Control

7.3.1 Connect Multiple Power Supplies to PC with RS-485

Use the RS-485 interface at the back of the power supply to daisy-chain up to 31 power supplies, see **Figure 7.9**. The USB to RS-485 adapter shown in **Figure 7.10** below is required.

7.4 Software Setup and Configuration

Connect the instrument to the PC with the supplied USB cable and power on the instrument. Ensure the drivers are installed and the device is connected. To install the drivers, refer to **Section 7.1** above for driver installation instructions.

🖲 Setup - PSCS — 🗆 🗙
Select Destination Location Where should PSCS be installed?
Setup will install PSCS into the following folder.
To continue, click Next. If you would like to select a different folder, click Browse.
C:\Program Files (x86)\PSCS Browse
At least 158.5 MB of free disk space is required.
< Back Next > Cancel
Figure 7.5
🕏 Setup - PSCS — 🗆 🗙
Select Start Menu Folder Where should Setup place the program's shortcuts?
Setup will create the program's shortcuts in the following Start Menu folder.
To continue, click Next. If you would like to select a different folder, click Browse.
PSCS Browse

Figure 7.6

Also, the software uses the "SCPI" protocol, this must be enabled, see **Section 7.4.2**. With the instrument connected, open the PC software. **Figure 7.11** shows the screen to expect when the software starts. If there is already a saved connection the software will automatically connect to the instrument.

7.4.1 Setup a new instrument

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		< Back	Next >	Cancel
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Figure 7.8

- Select the "Setting" tab. See Figure 7.12
- Click on "Edit" to access the connection settings. See Figure 7.13

Note: When using USB: Only connection name, connection type, and COMM port are required. See Figure 7.14



Figure 7.9 Connection diagram for multiple power supply control



Figure 7.10 Connection diagram between USB adapter and RS-485 connectors

- Type in a connection name, select USB from the drop down, and select the correct COMM port assigned by your PC. Check the windows the device manager to determine the correct COMM port. In this case Windows has assigned COM port 12. Click "Save" and the black display will light up to indicate a successful connection. See Figure 7.15
- If using RS-485, enter the three digit ID displayed on the RS-485 setting on the instrument.
 - To set the RS-485 ID on the instrument press Shift Clear then RS-485 Program and use the and or numeric keypad entry to edit ID. Press Color Enter to save and exit.

If everything has gone well and the power supply is connected the software should look similar to **Figure 7.16**. *Display Panel*

7.4.2 Enable SCPI protocol



to move the selector down next to the

7.4.3 Internal Timed Program

Configure up to 20 user defined voltage, current, and duration steps save to the instruments internal memory, or read parameters already stored in the internal memory for edit.

- 1. Click on the "Internal Timed Program" tab
- 2. Double-click on the desired cell and use the slider to set voltage and current values.
- 3. Set the number of cycles from 1 to 9999 and click Run to start, or click Save To PS to save the program into the instruments internal memory for future recall.

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16 0.0 0.0 0:00:00	V
17 0.0 0.0 0:00:00	v
18 0.0 0.0 0:00:00	✓



External Timed Program Data Log Setting		
Language: English	Connection:	Edit
Data Log Sampling Time:	38 🔾	
Voltage Upper Limit(UVL) Setting:	0V 0.0	1.0
Current Upper Limit(UCL) Setting:	0A 0.0	1.0
	Default	ОК

Figure 7.12

7.4.4 External Timed Program

External Timed Program is completely controlled by the PC. The PC counts the step time and changes the specific voltage and current levels of the power supply. Configure up to 20 user defined voltage, current, and duration steps.

- 1. Click on the "External Timed Program" tab. See Figure 7.20
- 2. Double-click on the desired cell and use the slider to set voltage and current values. Figure 7.21
- 3. Set step duration with the up/down buttons. The time can be set from 0 up to 9 hours 59 minutes and 59 seconds. If time set left at 0 the step will be skipped. See Figure 7.22
- 4. Set the number of cycles from 0-999. Leave this setting at 0 for continuous loop.
- 5. Click Run to start running the cycle.

7.4.5 Internal Preset Memory

Preset up to 9 voltage and current combinations into memory for quick output. Set voltage and current with the slider bar and click set to confirm. See Figure 7.23

External Timed Program Data Log Setting							
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Connection Name	Description	Connection Type	Remote IP	Remote Port	COMM Port	RS485 ID	
		Save	Exit Edit				

Figure 7.13

External Timed Program Data Log Setting								
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Connection Name Description Connection Type Remote IP Rem						COMM Port	RS485 ID	
Supply 1		USB						
	COM1							
						COM3		
						COM12		
		Save		Exit Edit				

Figure 7.14

7.4.6 Data Logging

Data Log allows can be used to view present or stored output data, see **Figure 7.24**. Data can be saved and exported as .CSV spreadsheet file or sent to a printer.

7.4.7 Data Log Sampling Time and Voltage Upper Limit (UVL) Setting

Under the "Setting" tab:

- Adjust the data log sampling time. 1S means the voltage, current, and power reading will be recorded every 1 second.
- Set the Voltage Upper Limit (UVL) and general output setting and timed programming setting will not exceed this limit. See Figure 7.25
- Click OK to save.

Rating:						-	- 🗆
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0.0W output 🛹	Connection Name	Description	Connection Type	Remote IP	Remote Port	COMM Port	RS485 ID
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Voltage: 9.2 V							
1.0 20.0							
Current 1.12 A 0.01 9.99							
Output: On Off Set							
			Save	Exit Edit			

Figure 7.15





		Fimed Program External Timed Program	n Internal Preset Memory Data Log	Setting
o oooo ●CV 17.5V	Step	Voltage(V)	Current(A)	Time
0.000A 4.07A	1	5.0	9.99	0:00:05
0.0W OUTPUT ~~	2	12.0	1.04	0:00:05
	3	10.0	9.99	0:00:05
-	4	5.0	9.99	0:00:05
oltage: 17.5 V	5	15.4	2.00	0:00:05
1.0 20.0	6	1.0	9.99	0:00:05
urrent: 4.07 A 0.01 9.99	7	2.0	9.99	0:00:05
	8	2.0	9.99	0:05:05
utput: On Off Set	9	3.0	9.99	0:00:02
	10	3.0	9.99	0:00:10
) 🗖 🖶	11	2.0	9.99	0:00:03
	12	2.0	9.99	0:00:04
rnal Timed Program Description:	13	3.0	9.99	0:00:02
	14	2.0	9.99	0:00:03
	15	2.0	9.99	0:00:02
Cycle: 1	16	2.0	9.99	0:00:02
	17	10.0	9.99	0:00:02
	18	1.0	9.99	0:00:02
			0.40	
	R	un Read From PS Save	TOPS	Clear Table

Figure 7.18

	Internal	Timed Program	External Timed Program	Internal Preset Memory	Data Log Setting
0 C.V. 17.5U	Step	Voltage(V)		Current(A)	Time
0.000A 4.07A	1	5.0		9.99	0:00:05
0.0W OUTPUT ~~	2	8.1		1.99	0:00:05
0.0W OUTPUT ~~	3	10.0		9.00	0:00:05
	4	5.0		9.99	0:00:05
oltage: 17.5 V	5	15.4		2.00	0:00:05
1.0 20.0	6	1.0		9.99	0:00:05
urrent: 4.07 A	7	2.0		9.99	0:00:05
0.01 9.99	8	2.0		9.99	0:05:05
itput: On Off Set	9	3.0		9.99	0:00:02
	10	3.0		9.99	0:00:10
3 🗖 🖨	11	2.0		9.99	0:00:03
	12	2.0		9.99	0:00:04
rnal Timed Program Description:	13	3.0		9.99	0:00:02
	14	2.0		9.99	0:00:03
	15	2.0		9.99	0:00:02
Cycle: 1	16	2.0		9.99	0:00:02
	17	10.0		9.99	0:00:02
	18	1.0		9.99	0:00:02
	F	tun Rea	d From PS Save T		Clear Table



0.00 (SETTING) 0.00 00.00 7.30	Step	Voltage(V)	Curr	ent(A)	Time	Output	T
0.000A 1.86A	1	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	4
0.0 10 output ~~	2	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
OUTPUT 🔨	3	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
	4	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
oltage: 7.3 V	5	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
1.0 20.0	6	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
urrent: 1.86 A	7	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
0.01 9.99	8	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	\checkmark	
Output: On Off Set	9	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
	10	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
3 🗁 🚍	11	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
	12	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
ernal Timed Program Description:	13	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
	14	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	\checkmark	
	15	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
nning Cycle: 0 🔾	16	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
Output off when end of cycle	17	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	T
	18	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	\checkmark	
		~ ~				-	



	Internal	Timed Program	External Timed Program	Internal Preset Memory	Data Log Set	ing	
●●●●● ●C.V. 7.3U	Step	Voltage(V)	Curr	rent(A)	Time	Output	
0.000A 1.86A	1	5.1	4.01		0:00:00	✓	4
0.0 6 output 🗠	2	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	\checkmark	
	3	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
	4	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
oltage: 7.3 V	5	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	1	
1.0 20.0	6	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	✓	
urrent: 1.86 A	7	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	v	
0.01 9.99	8	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	v	
utput: On Off Set	9	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
	10	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
3 🗖 🖨	11	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
	12	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
ternal Timed Program Description:	13	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
	14	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
	15	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
nning Cycle: 0	16	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
Output off when end of cycle	17	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	
output on when one of type	18	0.0	0.00		0:00:00	V	-
						~	1

Figure 7.21

Step	Voltage(V)	Current(A)	Time	Output	
1	5.1	4.01	0:01:00 🖨	\checkmark	
2	0.0	0.00	0:00:00	\checkmark	
3	0.0	0.00	0:00:00	\checkmark	
4	0.0	0.00	0:00:00	\checkmark	



Rating:			– – ×
	Internal Timed Program	External Timed Program	Internal Preset Memory Data Log Setting
0 0 0 0 0 2 3U	Select	Voltage(V)	Current(A)
0.000A 0.01A	Preset 1	2.9	0.84
0.00	O Preset 2	7.3	0.90
	O Preset 3	5.6	9.00
	O Preset 4	9.0	9.00
Voltage: 2.3 V	O Preset 5	2.3	0.01
1.0 20.0	Preset 6	13.3	7.08
Current 0.01 A	Preset 7	13.0	5.94
0.01 9.99	Preset 8	20.0	6.00
Output: On Off Set	Preset 9	6.8	3.99
Preset Memory Description:			
	Set Read F	rom PS	Clear Table
			Sampling: 5S UVL: 20.0V Ver: 3.0.1

Figure 7.23



Figure 7.24



Figure 7.25

Specifications

Note: All specifications apply to the unit after:

- 1. A temperature stabilization time of 15 minutes over an ambient temperature range of 23 $^\circ\text{C}$ \pm 5 $^\circ\text{C}.$
- 2. Short correction operation performed before making measurement.

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

Specifications

Note: All specifications apply to the unit after a temperature stabilization time of 30 minutes over an ambient temperature range of 23 °C ± 5 °C.

Model	1696B 1697B 1698B							
Output Rating								
Voltage	I to 20 V I to 40 V I to 60 V							
Current	0 to 10 A 0 to 5 A 0 to 3.3 A							
Max Output Power	200 W							
Load Regulation								
Voltage	≤ 200 mV ≤ 200 mV ≤ 100 mV							
Current	≤ 25 mA ≤ 15 mA ≤ 10 mA							
Line Regulation								
Voltage	≤ 10 mV							
Programming/Readback Resolution	olution							
Voltage	10 mV							
Current	I mA							
Power	I mW							
Meter Accuracy								
Voltage Meter	\pm (1% + 2 counts for V > 5 V)							
Current Meter	\pm (1% + 2 counts for 1 > 0.5 A)							
Ripple & Noise								
Voltage	\leq 30 mVp-p / \leq 6 mVrms							
Current	≤ 10 mArms							
General								
Efficiency	≥ 70%							
AC Input		100 to 240 VAC ±10%, 50/60 Hz						
Display Meter		4-digit voltage, current and power meter						
I/O Interface		USB (type B), RS485						
Operating Temperature		32 °F to 104 °F (0 °C to 40 °C), $\leq 80\%$ R.H						
Safety		LVD: EN61010-1:2010						
Electromagnetic Compatibility	E	N55011, EN61000-3-2, EN61000-3-3, EN61000-6	5-1					
Dimensions		7.6" x 3.85" x 8.46" (193 mm x 98 mm x 215 mm))					
Weight		6.6 lbs. (3 kg)						
Warranty		2 years						
Included Accessories	PC	software, RS485 adapter, USB cable, and test re	port					
Optional Accessories		RS232 to RS485 adapter (ATR-2485)						

Service Information

Warranty Service: Please go to the support and service section on our website at bkprecision.com to obtain an RMA #. Return the product in the original packaging with proof of purchase to the address below. Clearly state on the RMA the performance problem and return any leads, probes, connectors and accessories that you are using with the device.

Non-Warranty Service: Please go to the support and service section on our website at bkprecision.com to obtain an RMA #. Return the product in the original packaging to the address below. Clearly state on the RMA the performance problem and return any leads, probes, connectors and accessories that you are using with the device. Customers not on an open account must include payment in the form of a money order or credit card. For the most current repair charges please refer to the service and support section on our website.

Return all merchandise to B&K Precision Corp. with prepaid shipping. The flat-rate repair charge for Non-Warranty Service does not include return shipping. Return shipping to locations in North America is included for Warranty Service. For overnight shipments and non-North American shipping fees please contact B&K Precision Corp.

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Include with the returned instrument your complete return shipping address, contact name, phone number and description of problem.

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B&K Precision Corp. warrants to the original purchaser that its products and the component parts thereof, will be free from defects in workmanship and materials for a period of **one years** from date of purchase.

B&K Precision Corp. will, without charge, repair or replace, at its option, defective product or component parts. Returned product must be accompanied by proof of the purchase date in the form of a sales receipt.

To help us better serve you, please complete the warranty registration for your new instrument via our website www.bk-precision.com

Exclusions: This warranty does not apply in the event of misuse or abuse of the product or as a result of unauthorized alterations or repairs. The warranty is void if the serial number is altered, defaced or removed.

B&K Precision Corp. shall not be liable for any consequential damages, including without limitation damages resulting from loss of use. Some states do not allow limitations of incidental or consequential damages. So the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

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