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SERVICES

Instrument Rentals

Electro-Rents now offers five instrument rental plans with purchase options.

Three-month plan: Option credit of 20% of rental applies to instrument purchase after 3 months: 30% of rental applies after 4 months; 40% applies after 5 months; 50% of rental applies after 6 months. Maintenance and calibration are included. Six-month plan: 75% of current catalog rental applies throughout this plan; after 6 months, credit of 50% of rental applies to purchase; maintenance and calibration included. Six-month plan: 60% of current catalog rental applies; all other terms same as above, except maintenance and calibration are not included. One-year plan: 70% of current catalog rental applies throughout the plan; after 1 year, a purchase credit of 50% of the rental applies to purchase; maintenance and calibration included. One-, 2-, 3-year lease option: Individually tailored plan to provide long-term user the lowest cost per month with the flexibility of purchase on return of the equipment at lease end.

Shipping points and warehouses are located at:

Electro Rents (corporate offices) 4131 Vanowen Place Burbank, California 91504 (213) 843-3131

2351 De La Cruz Boulevard Santa Clara, California 95050 (408) 244-3871

17 Park Place Paramus, New Jersey 07652 (201) 265-7500

Representatives of Electro Rents are:

QPL, Inc. 2710 Grand Avenue, Suite 38 Pacific Beach, California 91504

Measurement Consultants 2535 West Camelback Road Phoenix, Arizona 85017

Measurement Consultants 2785 North Speer Boulevard Denver, Colorado 80211

Measurement Consultants 3707-B 4th N.W. Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107

Scientific Devices, Inc. 312 North Central Expressway Richardson, Texas 75080

Tracking Bibliography

The April 1969 version of the "Bibliography on Tracking

Controls," by Morton H. Mehr, may be obtained by writing Measurement Systems, Inc., 523 West Avenue, Norwalk, Connecticut 06850.

PRODUCTS

Decitrak Data Monitor

The Data Monitor provides continuous digital readout as well as a printed record of remotely located analog variables. The parameter monitored may be an angular rotation, a synchro or resolver output, or the voltage output from a pot or load cell. In addition, the Data Monitor delivers digital outputs for computer interfacing and for driving parallel displays at several locations.

Decimal Output: For remotely located displays. Parallels front panel readout. "0" = 0 V, 0 mA; "1" = -14 V, 120 mA.

BCD Output: For computer interfacing. 1-2-4-8 BCD absolute parallel. "0" = 0 V, 0 mA; "1" = \pm 12 V \pm 10%, 4 mA.

Standard options include multiplexing, various output devices, keyboard, set-point, peak-data sensor, adder/subtractor.

Theta Instrument Corporation Fairfield, New Jersey 07006 (201) 227-1700

Lesion Generator

Radionics Lesion Generator, RFG-4, is a thermometrically controlled instrument that applies rf (radio frequency) power to the extreme tip of the electrode inserted into the brain. A miniature sensor in the tip actuates the thermometer on the instrument panel, so that both rf current flow and the subsequent heating of the tissue are measured accurately. It is possible to continuously produce lesions stereotaxically, and lesions as minute as .7 mm may be generated.

The rf generator allows for continuous, guarded control of the electrode current so that the tissue temperature may be gradually raised, then held at any desired temperature between 38 deg C and the prescribed lesioning temperature ranging from 45 deg C to 90 deg C.

The rf voltage capability of the generator is 30 V rms into 180 ohms (or higher); 22 V rms into 105 ohms. Rf capability is 100 mA rms into 340 ohms; 160 mA rms into 180 ohms; 190 mA rms into 105 ohms. The waveform is unmodulated sine wave at 500 KHz.

The calibrated electrode has a tip diameter of 0.7 mm, tip length of 1.5 mm, and shaft length of 100 mm.

Prices: Radionics Lesion Generator, RFG-4, \$535. Calibrated Electrode, \$150.

David Kopf Instruments 7324 Elmo Street Tujunga, California 91042 (213) 352-3274

Semiconductor Mixers

Semiconductor Mixers are marketed by the companies listed below.

Aertech Industries 815 Stewart Drive Sunnyvale, California 94086

Airtron Division, Litton Industries 200 East Hanover Avenue Morris Plains, New Jersey 07950

Alpha Industries 381 Elliot Street Newton Upper Falls, Massachusetts 02164

American Electronic Labs P.O. Box 552 Lansdale, Pennsylvania 19446

Anaren Microwave 478 East Brighton Avenue Syracuse, New York 13210

Anzac Division, Adams-Russell 39 Green Street Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

Automatic Metal Products 323 Berry Street Brooklyn, New York 11211

G-L Microwave 875 Black Oak Ridge Road Wayne, New Jersey 07470

Hewlett-Packard 1501 Page Mill Road Palo Alto, California 94304

Hyletronics 100 Ainsworth Road Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887

Kevlin Mfg. 26 Conn Street Woburn, Massachusetts 01801

Lorch Electronics 105 Cedar Lane Englewood, New Jersey 07631

Melabs 3300 Hillview Avenue Palo Alto, California 94304

Merrimac R & D 41 Fairfield Place West Caldwell, New Jersey 07006

Microlab/FXR 10 Microlab Road Livingston, New Jersey 07039

Micro-Now 6124 North Pulaski Road Chicago, Illinois 60646

Microphase 35 River Road Cos Cob, Connecticut 06807 Micro State 152 Floral Avenue Murray Hill, New Jersey 07971

Microwave Associates Northwest Industrial Park Burlington, Massachusetts 01803

Mini-Circuits Lab 152 West 42nd Street New York, New York 10036

Omni-Spectra 24600 Hallwood Court Farmingdale, New York 11735

PRD Electronics 1200 Prospect Avenue Westbury, New York 11590

Philco-Ford 500 South Main Street Spring City, Pennsylvania 19475

RF Amplifier P.O. Box 141 Lake Grove, New York 11755

Relcom 2329 Charleston Road Mountain View, California 94040

Sage Labs
3 Huron Drive
Natick, Massachusetts 01760

Sanders Associates P.O. Box 907 Nashua, New Hampshire 03060

SpaceKom P.O. Box 235 Goleta, California 93017

Sylvania Electric Products 100 Sylvan Road Woburn, Massachusetts 01801

Varian Salem Road Beverly, Massachusetts 01915

Western Microwave 16845 Hicks Road Los Gatos, California 95030

Transistor Testers

A number of instruments are available for checking transistors, in or out of circuit. The FET Transistor Analyst Model No. 162 is priced at \$99.95 and produced by B & K, Dynascan Corporation, 1801 West Belle Plaine, Chicago, Illinois 60613. Sencore, 426 South Westgate Drive, Addison, Illinois 60101, markets a transistor-FET tester at \$129.50.

Disposable Skin-Cleaner Swabs

IMI is now marketing a disposable skin-cleaner swab for preparation of electrode sites. Available in boxes of 100, the swab

is specially formulated to remove all insulating elements from the skin surface, and to deposit a conductive film to lower electrode to skin impedance. It combines ingredients including isopropyl alcohol and skin emulsifiers absorbed into a mildly abrasive swab.

IM]
Division of Becton, Dickinson & Co.
4321 Birch Street
Newport Beach, California 92660
(714) 546-0744

Signal Averagers

The Biomation/Datalab 101 and 102 are signal averagers priced at \$3,850 and \$4,350, respectively. Using an all-solid-state digital MOS shift register memory, both models can sample at intervals as fast as $2 \mu \text{sec}$, yet handle slower sweeps with samples taken up to 100 msec apart. Aperture time is 20 nsec, with conversion of the analog signal to a 7-bit binary on all sweep speeds. Either instrument can also be used as a single-shot memory unit. Specifications are as follows.

Number of storage points: 100 for Model 101; 200 for Model 102.

Word length: 16 bits.

Total sweep time: $200 \mu sec$ to 10 sec (101); $500 \mu sec$ to 20 sec 102).

Intersweep delays: Delay before, up to 1 sec; delay after, up to 50 sec; scaling (true average), auto or manual.

A/D converter: Accuracy, 7 bits; signal input, ± 1 V full-scale input impedance 100 K ohms.

Analog display outputs: X-axis, 0 to +5 V; Y-axis, ±1 V; Z-mod, positive or negative +50-V pulse.

Digital output: 16 data lines; control signals, 2.

Biomation 1076 East Meadow Circle Palo Alto, California 94303

In the East:

205-07 Hillside Avenue Hollis, New York

Primate Chairs

XPL-512-SPC is a two-step small primate chair advertised as suitable with infant rhesus monkeys or adult squirrel primates. Neck and waist stocks are adjustable and tooled to minimize chaffing. The unit is a lightweight, acrylic type of plastic and can be sanitized chemically or cleaned in a cage washer. Price: \$125 complete.

XPL-515-SASR is a rhesus chair module with a swing-a-way seat. An enlarged foot-rest plate also includes knee-restraining bars. Module price: \$295. A floor stand is priced at \$95; a table-top stand costs \$50.

PLAS-LABS 917 East Chilson Street Lansing, Michigan 48906 (517) 487-0122

Memory Cell

Eight-bit memory cell 92CU997 (80 transistors and 50 diodes) is priced at \$2.99; technical data included.

Poly Paks P.O. Box 942 South Lynnfield, Massachusetts 01940

Pressure Switch

Air-pressure-actuated switch. Solder a fitting on the attached copper tubing and a rubber tube can be slipped over the device. Adjustable setting allows variation 0.2 in. of mercury to 150 lb. Unused, 10-A contacts. No. 69-18, 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.00.

John Meshna, Jr. Surplus Electronic Material 21 Allerton Street Lynn, Massachusetts 01901

Vibration Pickups

Vibration Pickups may be obtained from the following firms.

Advanced Tech & Sys 199 Sound Beach Avenue Old Greenwich, Connecticut 06870

B & K Instruments, Inc. 5111 West 164th Street Cleveland, Ohio 44135

Biocom, Inc. 5883 Blackwelder Culver City, California 90230

C-E Electronics, Division of Ametek 363 West Glenside Avenue Glenside, Pennsylvania 19038

Consolidated Electrodynamics 360 Sierra Madre Pasadena, California 91107

Dytronics Company, Inc. 4800 Evanswood Drive Columbus, Ohio 43224

Electronics, A Textron Company Box 1825 New Haven, Connecticut 06508

Endevco, Division of Beckman, Dickinson 801 South Arroyo Parkway Pasadena, California 91105

General Radio Company 300 Baker Avenue West Concord, Massachusetts 01781

Geotech, A Teledyne Company 3401 Shiloh Road Garland, Texas 75040

Gilmore Industries, Inc. 3355 Richmond Road Cleveland, Ohio 44122

Gulton Controls & Instruments 1644 Whittier Avenue Costa Mesa, California 94014

Gulton Industries, Inc. Metuchen, New Jersey 08840 Indikon Company, Inc. 76 Coolidge Hill Road Watertown, Massachusetts 02172

Industrial Electronics Corporation 1363 South Patrick Drive Satellite Beach, Florida 32935

International Microwave Corporation 33 River Road Cos Cob, Connecticut 06807

International Research & Development Corporation 6150 Huntley Road Worthington, Ohio 43085

Keinath Instrument Company 810 West 3rd Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43212

Wayne Kerr Corporation 22 Frink Street Montclair, New Jersey 07042

Kistler Instrument Corporation 8947 Sheridan Drive Clarence, New York 14031

MB Electronics, A Textron Company P.O. Box 1825 New Haven, Connecticut 06508

Massa Division Dynamics Corporation of America 280 Lincoln Street Hingham, Massachusetts 02043

Metrix Instrument Company 5760 Rice Avenue Houston, Texas 77036

Miles Reproducer Company 598 Broadway New York, New York 10012

Monrovia Instruments Division of American Standard 1401 South Shamrock Monrovia, California 91016

PCB Pieztronics, Inc. Box 33 Cheektowaga, New York 14225

Pickering & Company, Inc. 101 Sunnyside Boulevard Plainview, New York 11803

Reliance Electronics Company Instruments Division 24701 Euclid Cleveland, Ohio 44117

Robertshaw Controls Company Santa Ana Freeway at Euclid Anaheim, California 92801 Rohde & Schwarz Sales Company 111 Lexington Avenue Passaic, New Jersey 07055

Sonotone Corporation Division of Clevite Old Saw Mill River Road Elmsford, New York 10523

W.F. Sprengnether Instrument Company 4567 Swan Avenue St. Louis, Missouri 63110

Statham Instruments, Inc. 2230 Statham Boulevard Oxnard, California 93030

Systron-Donner Corporation 888 Galindo Street Concord, California 94520

The Vibroscope Company, Inc. Box A
Glenford, New York 12433

Solid-State Trainer Kit

The LVE self-contained Solid-State Trainer System consists of a module case, 10 solid-state modules, built-in power supply, programming leads, and programmed instruction workbooks.

Developed for training with logic programming techniques, the kit may be used for teaching logic, Boolean algebra, and basic control functions. Included with the kit are the following modules: Dual Schmitt Trigger, Dual Negative Key Input, Dual Nand/And Gate, 4 Tri-Input Nand Gate, Single Binary Scaler (2), Adjustable Time Base, One Shot, and a Dual Heavy-duty Power Driver.

Once a workable knowledge of solid state is obtained, the trainer may be returned (you keep the modules) and a refund of \$125 is applied toward purchase of a research system. Price: \$695.

Lehigh Valley Electronics, Inc. Box 125 Fogelsville, Pennsylvania 18051 (215) 285-4211

Semi-Micro Neurological Electrodes

The multicontact probe Model MC-10 is designed to simultaneously record slow wave activity at different levels in the cortex. Materials consist of No. 304 stainless steel wires, insulated with epoxy, and a cable, 1 ft long, that exits from the holder. Number of electrodes and spacing can be varied to specifications; electrodes are flush to the shaft. The holder is 7 cm, with a 1.5-mm diam. The probe tip is 1 cm long.

In Vivo Metric Systems 10709 Venice Boulevard Los Angeles, California 90034 (213) 837-9061

Instrumentation Tape Recorder

The Alpha 434 features the following: 4-channel record/reproduce system; voice annotation; ¼-in. tape; three speeds, electrically switchable; separate FM or Direct record and reproduce module; direct response from 100 Hz to 60 kHz at

15 ips; portable carrying case for rack mount; built-in calibration voltages; remote operation; and built-in loop adapter.

Midwestern Instruments 6422 East 41st Street Tulsa, Oklahoma 74135 (918) 677-1111

Projector

Xenolite with Carousel Projector uses a 1,500- to 2,000-h ozone-free xenon lamp for projecting 35-mm and superslides. Characteristics are full remote control, random access, mirror colorcote, and front or rear screen projection.

Christie Electric Corporation 3414-F West 67th Street Los Angeles, California 90043

Tape Readers and Reader/Spoolers

Remex Photocell Punched Tape Readers and Reader/Spoolers (3000 series) offer a range of reader speeds to 400 characters per second. The reader/spoolers are available in speeds to 300 characters per second, with 7½-in.-diam separable reels. The units are designed to read tapes that vary in color and light transmissivity up to 70% transparent. The photovoltaic cell elements, together with the associated integrated circuit components, automatically compensate, in real time, for these variations. A self-cleaning quartz lamp is the light source and is derated to a life expectancy of 15,000 h. The light is conducted to the reading station through a fiber optic distribution system.

Model RR-3000 Readers cost \$875 with left or right drive, and \$995 with bidirectional control. Unidirectional Model RRS-3000 Reader/Spoolers are \$1,595 each; bidirectional, \$1,715.

Remex Electronics 5250 West El Segundo Boulevard Hawthorne, California 90250 (213) 772-5321

Acceleration Transducers

Acceleration transducers are marketed by the companies listed below.

Airpax Electronics, Inc. P.O. Box 8488 Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33310

Avtron Manufacturing, Inc. 10409 Meech Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44105

B & K Instruments, Inc. 5111 West 164th Street Cleveland, Ohio 44135

Bourns, Inc., Instrument Division 6135 Magnolia Avenue Riverside, California 92506

Bytrex, Inc., Division of Tyco Labs 223 Crescent Street Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

Conrac Corporation 330 Madison Avenue New York, New York 10017 Consolidated Electrodynamics 360 Sierra Madre Pasadena, California 91107

Dytronics Company, Inc. 4800 Evanswood Drive Columbus, Ohio 43224

Electronics, A Textron Company Box 1825 New Haven, Connecticut 06508

Endevco, Division of Beckman, Dickinson 801 South Arroyo Parkway Pasadena, California 91105

The Foxboro Company Neponset Avenue Foxboro, Massachusetts 02035

Genisco Technology Corporation 18435 Susana Road Compton, California 90221

Geotech, A Teledyne Company 3401 Shiloh Road Garland, Texas 75040

Gilmore Industries, Inc. 3355 Richmond Road Cleveland, Ohio 44122

Gulton Controls & Instruments 1644 Whittier Avenue Costa Mesa, California 94014

Gulton Industries, Inc. Metuchen, New Jersey 08840

Humphrey, Inc. 2805 Canon Street San Diego, California 92106

The Impact-O-Graph Corporation 1762 East 18th Street Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Instrument Division, Genisco Technology 1533 26th Street Santa Monica, California 90404

International Microwave Corporation 33 River Road Cos Cob, Connecticut 06807

Kaman Corporation, Nuclear Garden of Gods Road Colorado Springs, Colorado 80907

Kearfott Products, General Precision 1150 McBride Avenue Little Falls, New Jersey 07424

Kistler Instrument Corporation 8947 Sheridan Drive Clarence, New York 14031 Kollsman Instrument Corporation 80-08 45th Avenue Elmhurst, New York 11373

MB Electronics, A Textron Company P.O. Box 1825 New Haven, Connecticut 06508

Massa Division
Dynamics Corporation of America
280 Lincoln Street
Hingham, Massachusetts 02043

Maxson Electronics Division Sunrise Highway Great River, New York 11739

Metrix Instrument Company 5760 Rice Avenue Houston, Texas 77036

Monrovia Instruments Division of American Standard 1401 South Shamrock Monrovia, California 91016

Newark Controls Company 15 Ward Street Bloomfield, New Jersey 07003

PCB Piezotronics, Inc. Box 33 Cheektowaga, New York 14225

Pickering & Company, Inc. 101 Sunnyside Boulevard Plainview, New York 11803

Rohde & Schwarz Sales Company 111 Lexington Avenue Passaic, New Jersey 07055

Schaevitz Engineering U.S. Route 130 & Union Avenue Pennsauken, New Jersey 08110

Setra, Inc. 12 Huron Drive Natick, Massachusetts 01760

Sparton Southwest, Inc. 9621 Coors Road, NW Albuquerque, New Mexico 87114

W.F. Sprengnether Instrument Company 4567 Swan Avenue St. Louis, Missouri 63110

Statham Instruments, Inc. 2230 Statham Boulevard Oxnard, California 93030

Systron-Donner Corporation 888 Galindo Street Concord, California 94520 Tensitron, Inc. Box 185 Harvard, Massachusetts 01451

Trans-Sonics, Inc.
P.O. Box 326
Lexington, Massachusetts 02173

Unholtz-Dickie Corporation 2994 Whitney Avenue Hamden, Connecticut 06514

Vibrac Corporation
11 Alpha Road
Chelmsford, Massachusetts 01824

Whittaker Corporation Instrument Systems Division 9601 Canoga Avenue Chatsworth, California 91311

Winsco Data Sensors 1533 26th Street Santa Monica, California 90404

BRIEFS

Tektronix Revised Price List

Tektronix, Inc., issued a revised price list effective June 22, 1969. The prices supersede all other published prices, including those appearing in advertisements, catalogs, booklets, and all other literature.

Change of Address

The entire family of Fairchild bench instruments—digital voltmeters, electronic counters, digital panel meters, and semiconductor curve tracers—has been acquired by Systron-Donner.

Fairtron Products Division Systron-Donner Corporation 888 Galindo Street Concord, California 94520

Codes

The following manufacturers' codes are often used to identify semiconductors or other components.

CODE	MANUFACTURER
AMP	Amperex
CDV	Continental Devices
ELM	Elmar Electronics
ERI	Electron Research, Inc.
FS	Fairchild Semiconductor
GE	General Electric
GI	General Instrument
HOF	Hoffman
HUG	Hughes Semiconductor
IDC	International Diode Corporation
IRC	International Rectifier Corporation
ITT	International Telephone & Telegraph
MIC	Microwave Associates

MOT Motorola
OHM Ohmite
PHI Philco

PSI Pacific Semiconductor

RAY Raytheon

RCA Radio Corporation of America

SEM Semcor
SPR Sprague
SYL Sylvania
TEK Tektronix
TI Texas Instrument

TRA Transitron
TRW Thompson Ramo Woolridge

TUN Tung-Sol UTR Unitrode VAR Varo WES Westinghouse

Magneto-Optic Displays

Unlike most other display techniques, a magnetooptic display does not emit light. The image is formed by diffracting an external light source shining upon the display. The brighter the light source, the brighter the display. There is no physical restriction on maximum size of the display, and the longterm, stable memory is unaffected by power failures. Edge-lighting may replace the need for an external source of light reflecting off the surface.

Basically, the display contains a thin magnetic film with a domain structure of long separated stripes—the distance of separation is about the wavelength of light. A colloidal suspension of ferromagnetic particles is on top of this magnetic film. The suspension conglomerates at the domain boundaries in the magnetic film to form a diffraction grating. A matrix of row and column electrical conductors is added behind the film, and the structure is sealed between two glass plates. When a current is put through a row and column conductor, the grating reorients 90% near the intersection of the two conductors.

Elements are turned "on" or left "off" to form an image by correctly addressing the conductors. A magnetic pen, or a similar device, may also be used to write on the display.

If a computer tape is brought in contact with the display surface, the particles in the display are actuated and a visual record is produced instantaneously, with no chemical or other processing required.

Magnetic-optical displays researched and developed by the Electronics Laboratory of the General Electric Company have the following characteristics: internal nonvolatile memory; multicolor capability; switching speeds of 0.01-10 µsec; capability of extremely high brightness with adequate external illumination; basically low impedance; a high-current driver requirement; and a measured life of structures of over 1½ years.

Addressable Memories

IBM Systems Development Laboratory, in San Jose, California, is developing light-beam addressable memories that could be many times faster than present magnetic storage methods. The basic device, a digital light deflector, changes the location of a beam rapidly by moving a glass plate in and out of contact with a prism. The glass plate is driven by a piezoelectric disk.

Instrument System for Behavioral Research

Lafayette Instrument Company is now marketing the 5800 Data Cube instrument system for use in human and animal behavioral laboratories. At present, the system consists of 20 units, e.g., drinkometer, data recorder, multiple stimulus display, etc., all identical in size $(6 \times 6 \times 4 \text{ in.})$ and compatible electrically. The solid-state Data Cubes may also be purchased as independent units and are reasonably priced. Specific information covering the 5800 Data Cube series may be obtained from the Lafayette Instrument Company, P.O. Box 1279, Lafayette, Indiana 47902. Request Catalog No. 569.