

# **Picotest** P9610A & P9611A Mixed Mode DC Power Supply

**Data Sheet** 





## **Key Features**

**Mixed Mode:** Switched Efficiency plus Linear Performance

**Programming Accuracy:** V: 0.05% + 10mV C: 0.2% + 10mA

Line& Load Regulations: V: 0.01% + 2mV

C: 0.01% + 25µA

**Autoranging:** P9610A: 1mV~36V, 1mA~7A P9611A: 10mV~60V, 1mA~6A

Fast Transient Response Time: P9610A: <30µs P9611A: <50µs

**Ripple & Noise:** 20Hz to 20MHz P9610A: <350µVrms P9611A: <500µVrms

#### Master / Slave Control:

Various Connections with 7 pieces P9610As can enlarge the output up to 252V / 49A or stimulate multi-outputs. Sequencing Mode: 8 Programmable Points Control

Save & Recall: 16 memory states

**Remote Sense:** Stable & Accurate Output

Output & Protection: CV, CC / OVP, OCP, OTP

An Optical Knob: Provides a Durable & Precise Control

**Standby Output for Safety:** When turning on the power, the output is disabled.

**Security Lock:** Keypad lock, and physical lock mechanism

Light Weight: Size: 214.6W\*88.8H\*280D mm Weight: 2500g, Approx. 5.5 Lbs



Figure 1. The P9610A 108W and P9611A 150W mixed mode DC power supplies

#### **Advanced Function – Autoranging**

The P9610A features the autoranging capability, while other power supplies require the user to switch ranges to maximize output power.

The P9610A/11A provides the extended operation areas (see below). This means that you have access to 100% power all the time at any voltage or current within the maximum limits. This also means that the P9610A/11A can meet more of your needs, minimizing the number and cost of power supplies you need to purchase.



#### **Versatile Connection – Master / Slave Control**

The P9610A supports Master-Slave connections to increase the maximum output power to 252V / 49A. In addition, this capability can be also used to create sophisticated multi-output power systems, for example:



#### **Cooling System – Evolution Advanced Fan**

The P9610A/11A provides an efficient internal cooling system. The advanced technology fan minimizes distracting and annoying acoustic noise. You won't even notice the fan. Experience the evolution of the cooling system.



#### Fast Recovery – Load Transient Response Time

The P9610A recovers fast from large load current changes. The following oscilloscope images show the power supply response to 7A to 3.5A load change. It recovers to 15mV in 13.6µs. On the contrary, a well-known competitor's model under the same test conditions shows 25.6µs.



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The P9610A also has a smaller excursion and is more stable. Note the recovery undershoot in green in the competitor's power supply below. This does not exist in the P9610A. It is more precise.

#### Elegant Design – Knob & No Shorting Bar

**Knob:** The P9610A/11A provides a precise and durable adjustment knob. This optical knob has a numerical capability. Rotating it with the right or left direction button, you can move the cursor among the digits and numbers on the display. The optical control will not degrade like the potentiometers used in competing products.

**No Shorting Bar:** The P9610A provides a selectable circuit that eliminates the complexity of shorting bars when using remote sensing. The P9610A allows you to implement remote sensing or not at any time, providing the maximum flexibility. With the P9610A, there are no shorting bars to misplace and no time required to install them saving you time and money.

#### **Protection Evolution I – Short-Withstood Circuit**

The P9610A/11A can withstand continuous short circuits or repetitive short circuits up to 13 times per second. This is much more robust than many competing power supplies. The P9610A/11A incorporates a unique design which can protect itself instantaneously from abnormal and unpredictable events.

#### Protection Evolution II – OVP / OCP / OTP

Overvoltage protection (OVP), overcurrent protection (OCP), and over temperature protection (OTP) are exclusively designed to protect both the P9610A/11A and your DUT (Device under Test).









#### Pure Source – Low Noise Output

The P9610A can generate pure source with the low noise around 1.26mVp-p in the bandwidth from 20Hz to 20MHz. The well-known competitor's model under the same test conditions shows 1.98mVp-p.



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#### **Programmable Output – SEQ Function**

Many digital circuits require power supplies to turn on & off in a particular order. The P9610A/11A supports the output voltage sequencing mode. This mode allows you to control the timing to output different voltages and currents.



#### **Other Features – Fast Settling & Compact Size**

**Settling Time:** The advanced driver circuit of the P9610A/11A is very fast (40ms/<50ms) allowing you to improve your production throughput.

**Compact Size:** The P9610A/11A's weight is less than 2.5Kgs. The low weight of the P9610A/11A is less expensive to ship, saving you money.

**Hidden Barrier-Free Carrying Handle:** The handle conveniently stores out of the way allowing equipment to be safely stacked.



#### Features of the P9610A & 9611A



- 1. **Power Switch:** Press the (I) side to turn the power on and the (O) side to turn the power off.
- 2. **Display:** During operation, the display shows information about the output (top row) for voltage, and (bottom row) for current. During configuration, the display shows a control interface.
- 3. **Brand & Model Sticker Area:** This area shows the product manufacturer and model name.
- Navigation Wheel: Rotate this knob to increase or decrease the flashing digit by turning the knob clockwise or counter-clockwise. It is also used to select menu items.
- 5. V/A Button: Press this button to change the output from Volts to Current or Current to Volts. Pressing this button long under the SEQ mode in output condition, the display will show the information of V & A, V & W, or SEQCNT.
- Arrow Buttons: Press ▶ once. The display cursor moves right one digit.
   Press ▲ once. The display cursor moves left one digit. Pressing these buttons under the Store and the Recall, you can see the set parameters.
- 7. **OVP Button:** Enable or disable the overvoltage protection function, set the trip voltage level, and clear overvoltage condition.
- 8. **OCP Button:** Enable or disable the overcurrent protection function, set the trip current level, and clear overcurrent condition.
- Menu: This button accesses the function settings. When the Menu button is pressed, and the knob is rotated, the display will show SENSE, MA/SL, SEQ, SYSTEM, CAL, and GPIB one by one. This button is also used to answer "Yes", i.e. "Confirmed" or "Applied."

- 10. **Store Button:** Store an operating state at the location 0, 1, 2... or 15.
- 11. **Recall Button:** Recall a previously stored operating state from the location 0, 1, 2... or 15.
- 12. **Limit Button:** Press it to show the voltage and current limit values on the display and allow the knob adjustment to set the limit values.
- 13. Lock/Local Button: When pressing the LOCK button, the Lock annunciator on the display is lit, and the Lock function is enabled until the same button is pressed once again. This button can be used as the Local Key when the power supply is operating under the remote interface mode.
- 14. **Output On/Off Button:** Enable or disable the power supply output. This key toggles between on and off.
- 15. **Positive Terminal:** Red terminal outputs positive voltage.
- 16. **Negative Terminal:** Black terminal outputs negative voltage.
- 17. **GND Terminal:** Terminal is at earth potential. Used for measurement of control circuits designed to be operated with one terminal at earth potential.
- 18. **Sensing Terminal (S+/S-):** The Remote Sensing Terminal is used to compensate for load current dependent voltage drops.
- 19. **Transfer Terminal (T+/T-):** Under the Master-Slave Mode, the master unit's T+ connects to the first slave unit's R+. Then its R-connects to the other unit's R+, and so on. The last slave unit's R-connects to the master unit's T-.
- 20. **Recipient Terminal (R+/R-):** Under the Master-Slave Mode, the master unit's T+ connects to the first slave unit's R+. Then its R-connects to the other unit's R+ and so on. The last slave unit's R-connects to the master unit's T-.
- 21. **Remote Sensing Cover:** This cover is used to protect against moisture and dust.
- Note: The P9611A doesn't provide the Items from 18 to 21.

#### Accessories

- 1. USB
- 2. USB + GPIB
- 3. Front & Rear Bumpers

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## P9610A Specifications

Output Ratings (@ 0 °C ~ 40 °C)	Command Processing Time via GPIB
Voltage: 0 to 36 V Current: 0 to 7 A	Read-Back Commands: Maximum time to read-back output by MEASure? < 20 ms commands
Programming Accuracy <sup>1</sup> 1 Year (@ 25 °C ±5 °C),	Output Programming Range (maximum programmable values)
Voltage: 0.05% + 10 mV Current: 0.2% + 10 mA	Voltage: 0 to 37.8 V Current: 0 to 7.35 A
<b>Read-Back Accuracy</b> <sup>1</sup> 1 Year (over USB or front panel with respect to actual output (@ 25 °C $\pm$ 5 °C), (% of Output + Offset)	Temperature Coefficient       ±(% of Output + Offset)         Maximum change in output / read-back per °C after a 30-minute warm-up.         Voltage:       0.01 % + 3 mV
Voltage: 0.05% + 5 mV Current: 0.15% + 5 mA	Current: 0.02 % + 3 mA
Ripple and Noise (with outputs ungrounded, or either output	Maximum change in output / read-back per °C after a 30-minute warm-up.
Voltage: < 0.35 mVrms < 2 mV p-p	Voltage: 0.02 % + 1 mV Current: 0.1 % + 1 mA
Current: < 2 mArms	Voltage Programming Speed
Load Regulation +(% of Output + Offset)	Maximum time required for output voltage to settle within 1 % of its total excursion (for resistive load). Excludes command processing time.
Change in output voltage or current for any load change within ratings.	Full Load Up (0V ~ 36V): < 40 ms
Voltage: < 0.01% + 2 mV	Full Load Down (36V ~ 0V): < 40 ms
Current: < 0.01% + 250 µA	No Load Up (0V ~ 36V): < 20 ms
Line Regulation ± (% of Output + Offset)	No Load Down (36V ~ 0V): < 400 ms
Change in output voltage or current for any load change within ratings.	General Specifications <sup>2</sup>
Voltage: 0.01% + 2 mV Current: 0.01% + 250 ⊔A	Item Limitation & Description
Programming Resolution	Power Supply: 100V ~ 120V (115V Range) 220V ~ 240V (230V Range)
Voltage: 1 mV	Power Line (Hz): 47Hz ~ 63Hz
Current: 0.21 mA	Interfaces: Optional USB / USB&GPIB
Read-Back Resolution Voltage: 1 mV	Power : 400VA Maximum
Current: 0.1 mA	Size & Weight
Meter Resolution	for Rack (WxHxD) 214.6 x 88.6 x 280 mm, <2500 g (5.5 Lbs)
Voltage: 1 mV	1. The accuracy specifications are gained under 1-hour

Current: 0.1 mA

#### **Transient Response Time**

Less than 30 usec for output recover to within 15 mV following a change in output current from full load to half load or vice versa.

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warm-up condition and the calibration at 25°C.

2. For more information, please check the user's manual.

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Less than 50 usec for output recover to within 15 mV following a change in output current from full load to half load or vice versa.



#### P9611A Specifications

Output Ratings (@ 0°C ~ 40°C)	Command Processing Time via GPIB
Voltage: 0 to 60 V Current: 0 to 6 A	Read-Back Commands: Maximum time to read-back output by MEASure? < 20 ms commands
Programming Accuracy <sup>1</sup> 1 Year (@ 25 °C ±5 °C),	Output Programming Range (maximum programmable values)
(% of Output + Offset) Voltage: 0.05% + 10 mV	Voltage: 0 to 60 V Current: 0 to 6 A
Current: 0.2% + 10 mA         Read-Back Accuracy <sup>1</sup> 1 Year (over USB or front panel with respect to actual output (@ 25 °C ±5 °C), (% of Output + Offset)         Voltage: 0.05% + 5 mV         Current: 0.15% + 5 mA	Temperature Coefficient±(% of Output + Offset)Maximum change in output / read-back per °C after a 30-minute warm-up.Voltage:0.01 % + 10 mVCurrent:0.02 % + 3 mA
Ripple and Noise (with outputs ungrounded, or either output terminal grounded, 20 Hz to 20 MHz)	<b>Stability</b> (% of Output + Offset) Maximum change in output / read-back per °C after a 30-minute warm-up.
Voltage: < 0.5 mVrms < 3 mV p-p	Voltage: 0.05 % + 10 mV Current: 0.15 % + 2 mA
Current: < 2 mArms Common Mode Current: < 1.5 µArms	Voltage Programming Speed Maximum time required for output voltage to settle within 1 % of its total excursion (for registive load) Excludes command processing time
Load Regulation ±(% of Output + Offset)	Full Load Up (0V ~ 60V): < 100 ms
Change in output voltage or current for any load change within ratings.	Full Load Down ( $60V \sim 0V$ ): < 50 ms
Current: $< 0.01\% + 250 \mu\text{A}$	No Load Up (0V ~ 60V): < 35 ms
Line Regulation ±(% of Output + Offset)	No Load Down (60V ~ 0V): < 500 ms
Change in output voltage or current for any load change within ratings.	General Specifications <sup>2</sup>
Voltage: 0.01% + 2 mV Current: 0.01% + 250 ⊔A	Item Limitation & Description
Programming Resolution	Power Supply: 100V ~ 120V (115V Range) 220V ~ 240V (230V Range)
Voltage: 1 mV	Power Line (Hz): 47Hz ~ 63Hz
Current: 1 mA	Interfaces: Optional USB / USB&GPIB
Voltage: 1 mV	Power : 400VA Maximum
Meter Resolution	Size & Weight : 214.6 x 88.6 x 280 mm, <2500 g for Rack (WxHxD) : 214.6 x 88.6 x 280 mm, <(5.5 Lbs)
Voltage: 10 mV Current: 1 mA	<ol> <li>The accuracy specifications are gained under 1-hour warm-up condition and the calibration at 25°C.</li> <li>For more information, please check the user's manual.</li> </ol>
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