

# True Three-Phase Transformer Turns Ratio Tester **TRT250**

- Single-phase test voltages up to 250 V AC
- True three-phase test voltages up to  $3 \times 145 \sqrt{3}$  V AC
- Turns ratio range 0,8 – 50 000
- The best turns ratio accuracy of 0,03%
- Large 7" graphical touch screen display
- Automatic vector group detection
- Built-in tap changer control unit
- Interchangeable test leads with Three-phase Winding Ohmmeters & Tap Changer Analyzers TWA



## Description

TRT250 is a true three-phase, fully automatic test set specially designed for turns ratio, phase shift, and excitation current measurements of power, distribution and instrument transformers. TRT250 determines the transformer turns ratio by applying voltages across high voltage windings, accurately measuring voltages across the unloaded transformer windings, and then displaying the ratio of these voltages.

TRT250 is based on a state of the art technology, using the most advanced technique available today. The test set can be used to test single-phase and three-phase transformers, both with and without taps in accordance with the requirements of the IEC 60076-1 standard.

For a three-phase measurement, the test set is connected to all the three phases of a transformer to be tested. If specific vector diagrams are selected for different types of transformers, the TRT250 will run a specific test for each transformer type (i.e., single phase, Delta to wye/star, Wye/Star to delta, Delta to delta, Wye/Star to wye/star, Delta to zig-zag,

etc.) without a need to switch the test hookup cables. In addition, it can perform the test with true three-phase test voltage, allowing testing any transformer type. Following the test, it displays a turns ratio, phase shift, and excitation current obtained with single-phase and/or true three-phase test voltages.

TRT250 lets users enter a transformer's nameplate voltages for the turns ratio deviation calculation. This feature eliminates any error otherwise caused by an operator's manual calculation. The TRT250 also compares the test result with the nameplate ratio and prints out the % of error for each test.

Operating conditions messages or error messages identify incorrect test conditions, abnormal operating condition or transformer problems. TRT250 has a very high ability to cancel electrostatic and electromagnetic interference in HV electric fields. It is achieved by a very efficient filtration. The filtration is made utilizing the proprietary hardware and software design solutions.

## Application

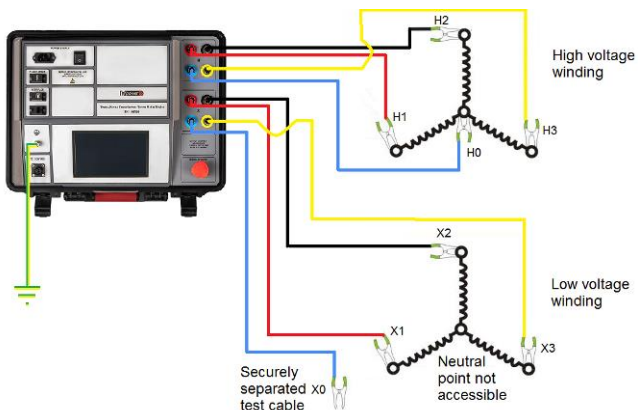
The list of instrument application includes:

- Turns ratio measurement
- Turns ratio deviation calculation
- Excitation current measurement
- Phase angle measurement
- Automatic vector group detection
- Verification of demagnetization process
- Magnetic balance test

## Connecting TRT250 to Test Object

### Three-Phase Transformer

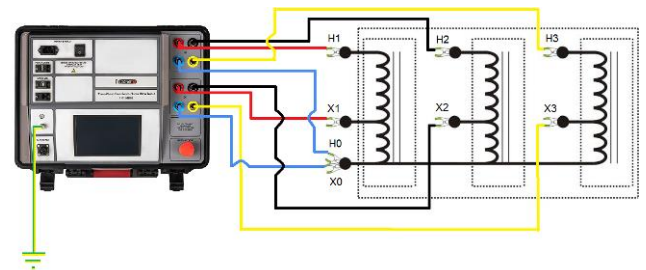
TRT250 is programmed to automatically test turns ratio, phase shift, and excitation current of power and distribution transformer types defined by CEI/IEC, IEEE, and ANSI standards. Using two sets of four cables, all bushings of the primary and the secondary sides are connected only once.



Connecting TRT250 to a three-phase transformer

### Three-Phase Autotransformer

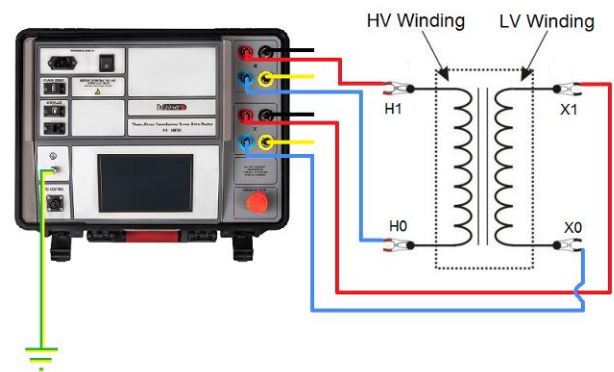
TRT250 is also programmed to automatically test turns ratio, phase shift, and excitation current of autotransformer types defined by CEI/IEC, IEEE, and ANSI standards. Using two sets of four cables, all bushings of the primary and the secondary sides are connected only once.



Connecting TRT250 to a three-phase autotransformer

### Single-Phase Transformer

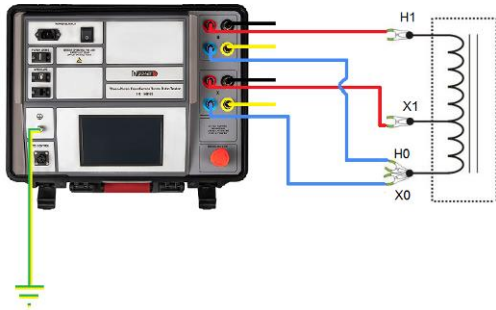
Although a three-phase device, TRT250 is able to test single-phase transformers. Part of the cable set for three-phase transformers/autotransformers can be used for this purpose.



Connecting TRT250 to a single-phase transformer

### Single-Phase Autotransformer

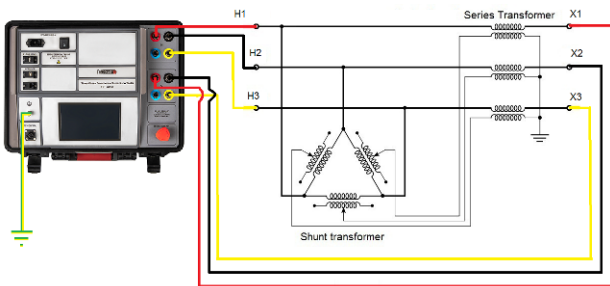
Although a three-phase device, TRT250 is able to test single-phase autotransformers. Part of the cable set for three-phase transformers/ autotransformers can be used for this purpose.



Connecting TRT250 to a single-phase autotransformer

### Phase-Shifting Transformer

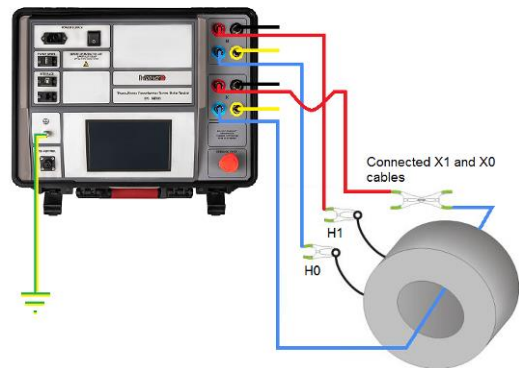
The presence of true three-phase test voltage allows TRT250 to test any type of transformer, even those with irregular vector groups, including phase-shifting transformers.



Connecting TRT250 to a phase-shifting transformer

### Current Transformer

TRT250 can also be used for verifying turns ratio and polarity of current transformers (CTs). CTs are specially constructed transformers – they are instrument transformers with only one, or occasionally two primary turns. Larger number of turns is on the “X” (secondary) side of CTs. For that reason, when verifying CTs, the “X” test cables must be connected to the primary of a CT. If there are no primary terminals, the “X” cables should be slid through the CT core and short-circuited.



Connecting TRT250 to an unmounted current transformer

## Benefits and Features

### True Three-Phase Test Voltage

TRT250 is a true three-phase turns ratio tester. Unlike other so-called “three-phase” testers that allow only connecting to three transformer phases at once, TRT250 also has the ability to output true three-phase test voltage, without any additional devices or modules. This allows testing any transformer type, including special designs such as phase shifting, arc furnace, rectifier transformers, etc. Besides measuring a turns ratio, it can also measure a voltage ratio of three-phase transformers. By applying true three-phase test voltage, and by measuring induced three-phase voltage, TRT250 is able to determine actual phase shifts between HV and LV side voltages, and not just 0 or 180 degrees angle that is obtained by testing transformers with single-phase test voltage in turns.

### Large 7” Graphical Touch Screen Display

TRT250 comes equipped with a large 7” graphical touch screen display. This makes test preparation, test execution, and analysis of test results as easy as possible. Test template can be prepared and saved in the office, making the test execution in the field possible with only a few clicks. All test results are presented both numerically and graphically, for easy and convenient analysis.

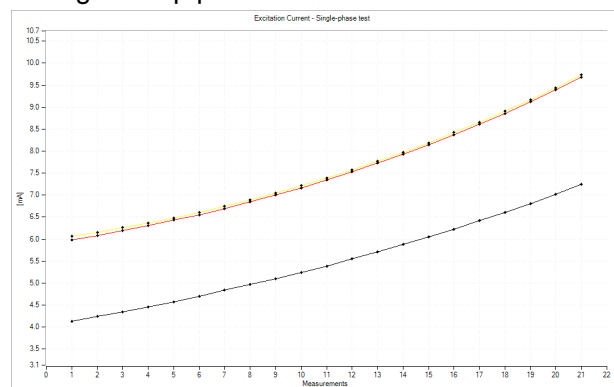


### Accuracy

The highest accuracy in the market, for all three parameters measured – turns ratio, excitation current, and phase angle – makes potential transformer irregularities and faults more visible.

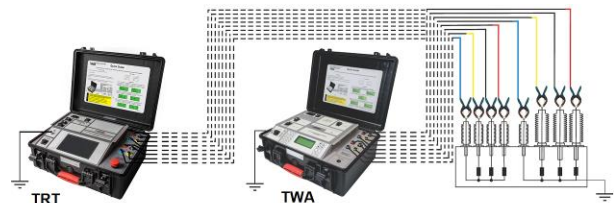
### Resolution

Excitation current measurement is important for determining problems in the transformer magnetic core. High measurement resolution enables better tracking of the current trend through all tap positions.



### Interchangeable cables with TWA

TRT250 uses the same cable set as Three-phase Winding Ohmmeter & Tap Changer Analyzer TWA. This enables one-time cable setup for performing 8 tests: turns ratio, excitation current, phase angle, vector group detection, magnetic balance, winding resistance, OLTC DVtest, and demagnetization, thus making TRT250 and TWA one measurement system.



### Automatic Vector Group Detection

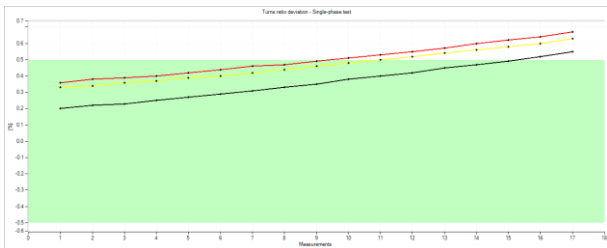
TRT250 is able to automatically detect vector group of three-phase transformers and autotransformers. This is possible both with and without PC software.

## Tap Changer Control Unit

TRT250 has a built-in tap changer control unit, which allows remote on-load tap changer operation. A single operator can perform complete testing very quickly.

## Automated test in multiple OLTC positions

Built-in tap changer control unit allows fully automated turns ratio test in multiple OLTC positions. TRT250 is able to control the entire process of measurements and changing taps automatically.

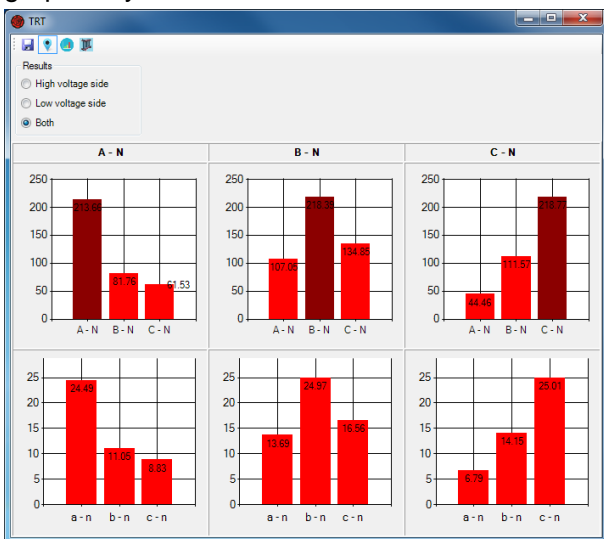


## Memory

TRT250 has internal SD card of 8 GB memory space. This enables saving tens of thousands of results and test templates.

## Magnetic Balance Test

This test helps in detecting possible problems in the transformer magnetic core. The test is completely automatic and requires no changes in cable setup comparing to turns ratio test. Results are presented both numerically and graphically.



## USB Flash Drive

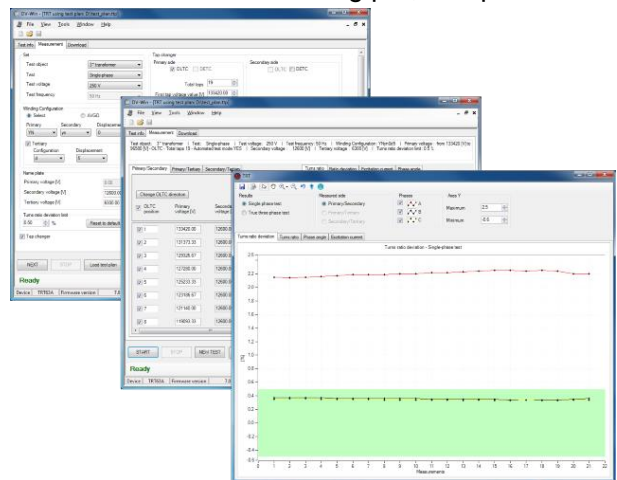
Results can be exported to a USB memory through integrated USB flash drive for further analysis and processing with powerful DV-Win software. Test templates created in DV-Win software can be imported from a USB memory through this integrated USB flash drive.

## Built-in Printer

Built-in thermal printer, 112 mm (4.4 in) wide, is an optional accessory.

## DV-Win Software

The DV-Win software is included in the purchase price, and all its updates are free of charge. The software allows full control of TRT250 functions from a PC, creating and storing test templates. All results are presented both numerically and graphically, for an easy and convenient analysis. Test results can be directly exported to excel document. Customized test report can be generated, edited, saved in several file formats including pdf, and printed.





## Technical Data

### Mains Power Supply

- Connection: according to IEC/EN60320-1; UL498, CSA 22.2
- Mains supply: 90 – 264 V AC, 50/60 Hz
- Input power: 250 VA
- Fuse: 2 A / 250 V, type F, not user replaceable

### Test Voltages

- 1, 8, 10, 40, 80, 100, 170, 250 V AC

### Measurement

- Turns ratio measuring range: 0,8 – 50 000
- Turns ratio resolution: 5 digits
- Typical turns ratio accuracy:

@250 V AC	@170, 100 & 80 V AC
0,8 – 999: ±0,03%	0,8 – 999: ±0,05%
1 000 – 3 999: ±0,05%	1 000 – 3 999: ±0,05%
4 000 – 14 999: ±0,05%	4 000 – 14 999: ±0,1%
15 000 – 19 999: ±0,05%	15 000 – 19 999: ±0,2%
20 000 – 50 000: ±0,1%	20 000 – 50 000: ±0,25%

@40 V AC	@10 & 8 V AC
0,8 – 999: ±0,05%	0,8 – 999: ±0,05%
1 000 – 3 999: ±0,1%	1 000 – 3 999: ±0,1%
4 000 – 14 999: ±0,2%	4 000 – 15 000: ±0,2%

@1 V AC
0,8 – 999: ±0,05%
1 000 – 4 000: ±0,1%

- Excitation current range: 0 – 2 A
- Excitation current resolution:
 

0,0000 – 9,9999 mA	0,1 µA
10,000 – 99,999 mA	1 µA
100,00 – 999,99 mA	10 µA
1,0000 – 2,0000 A	100 µA
- Typical excitation current accuracy: ±(0,25% rdg + 500 µA)

- Phase angle range: 0 – 360°
- Phase angle resolution: 0,01°
- Typical phase angle accuracy: ±0,05°

### Display

- 7" graphical touch screen display

### Interface

- Ethernet
- USB

### Internal Memory

- SD card 8 GB

### Environmental Conditions

- Operating temperature: -10 °C – +55 °C / 14 °F – +131 °F
- Storage & transportation: -40 °C – +70 °C / -40 °F – +158 °F
- Humidity: 5% – 95% relative humidity, non-condensing

### Dimensions and Weight

- Dimensions (W x H x D): 478 x 194 x 390 mm / 18.82 x 7.64 x 15.35 in
- Weight: 9 kg / 19.8 lbs

### Warranty

- 3 years

### Printer (optional)

- Built-in thermal printer
- Paper width 112 mm / 4.4 in
- Printer operating temperature: 0 °C – +50 °C / 32 °F – +122 °F
- Printer density is guaranteed in this range: 5 °C – +40 °C / 41 °F – +104 °F  
20 – 85% relative humidity, non-condensing

### Applicable Standards

- Installation/Overvoltage category: II
- Pollution degree: 2
- Safety: LVD 2014/35/EU (CE Conform)  
Standard EN 61010-1:2001
- EMC: Directive 2014/30/EU (CE Conform)  
Standard EN 61326-1:2006

All specifications herein are valid at ambient temperature of + 25 °C and recommended accessories. Specifications are subject to change without notice.



H winding test cable set



X winding test cable set



Transport case



Plastic transport case



Cable plastic case – large size



Cable plastic case with wheels – large size



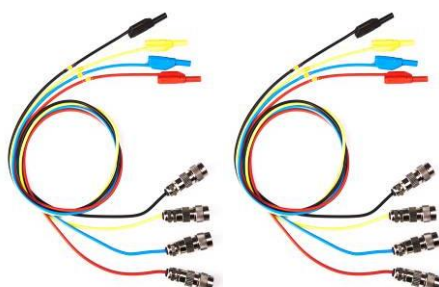
Cable plastic case – medium size



Cable plastic case with wheels – medium size



TRTC Verification Calibrator



TRTC cables with banana plugs



Cable bag

## Ordering Info

Instrument	Article No
True Three-phase Transformer Turns Ratio Tester TRT250	TRT250X-N-01

Included accessories
Windows-based DV-Win PC software including USB cable & Ethernet cable
Tap changer control cable 5 m (16.4 ft)
Mains power cable
Ground (PE) cable
Transport case

Recommended accessories	Article No
H winding test lead set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HC-10-4FMCWC
X winding test lead set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XC-10-4FFCWC
Cable plastic case – large size	CABLE-CAS-03

Optional accessories	Article No
H winding test lead set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HC-05-4FMCWC
X winding test lead set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XC-05-4FFCWC
H winding test lead set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HC-15-4FMCWC
X winding test lead set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XC-15-4FFCWC
H winding test lead set, 4 x 20 m (65.6 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HC-20-4FMCWC
X winding test lead set, 4 x 20 m (65.6 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XC-20-4FFCWC
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HE-05-4FMCFC
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XE-05-4FFCMC
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HE-10-4FMCFC
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XE-10-4FFCMC
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	HE-15-4FMCFC
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) (compatible with TWA and TRT series)	XE-15-4FFCMC
H winding test lead set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	HC-05-4TRTMW



X winding test lead set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	XC-05-4TRTFW
H winding test lead set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	HC-10-4TRTMW
X winding test lead set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	XC-10-4TRTFW
H winding test lead set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	HC-15-4TRTMW
X winding test lead set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	XC-15-4TRTFW
H winding test lead set, 4 x 20 m (65.6 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	HC-20-4TRTMW
X winding test lead set, 4 x 20 m (65.6 ft) with TTA clamps (compatible with TRT series only)	XC-20-4TRTMW
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	HE-05-4TRTMF
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 5 m (16.4 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	XE-05-4TRTFM
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	HE-10-4TRTMF
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 10 m (32.8 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	XE-10-4TRTFM
H winding cable extension set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	HE-15-4TRTMF
X winding cable extension set, 4 x 15 m (49.2 ft) (compatible with TRT series only)	XE-15-4TRTFM
Cable plastic case – small size	CABLE-CAS-01
Cable plastic case – medium size	CABLE-CAS-02
Cable plastic case with wheels – medium size	CABLE-CAS-W2
Cable plastic case with wheels – large size	CABLE-CAS-W3
Transport case	HARD-CASE-LC
Plastic transport case	HARD-CASE-PC
Plastic transport case with wheels	HARD-CASE-PW
Built-in thermal printer 112 mm (4.4 in)	PRINT-112-00
Thermal paper roll 112 mm (4.4 in)	PRINT-112-RO
Inverter 12 V DC to 230 V AC, 50 Hz	IN650-12-230
Verification Calibrator TRTC	TRTC-05-4800
H winding test lead set, 4 x 1 m (3.28 ft) with banana plugs	HC-01-4LMCBP
X winding test lead set, 4 x 1 m (3.28 ft) with banana plugs	XC-01-4LFCBP
Cable bag	CABLE-BAG-00
TWA-TRT safety switchbox with ground cable	SWTCH-BOX-00
H connection between instrument and switchbox, 4 x 0,8 m (2.62 ft)	HE-08-4FMCMC
X connection between instrument and switchbox, 4 x 0,8 m (2.62 ft)	XE-08-4FFCFC