

# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

## REGULATED DC POWER SUPPLY PS-A SERIES

PS6-66A	PS6-133A	
PS10-40A	PS10-80A	PS10-120A
PS20-20A	PS20-40A	PS20-60A
PS40-10A	PS40-20A	PS40-30A
PS60-6.6A	PS60-13.3A	PS60-20A

## OPTIONAL INTERFACE UNITS FOR PS-A SERIES

IF-71RS	IF-70GU	IF-70PS
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## USING THE PRODUCT SAFELY

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### ■ Preface

To use the product safely, read instruction manual to the end.

Before using this product, understand how to correctly use it.




If you read the manuals but you do not understand how to use it, ask us or your local dealer.

After you read the manuals, save it so that you can read it anytime as required.

### ■ Pictorial indication

The manuals and product show the warning and caution items required to safely use the product.

The following pictorial indication and warning character indication are provided.

<Pictorial indication>	
	<p>Some part of this product or the manuals may show this pictorial indication. In this case, if the product is incorrectly used in that part, a serious danger may be brought about on the user's body or the product. To use the part with this pictorial indication, be sure to refer to the manuals.</p>
 	<p>If you use the product, ignoring this indication, you may get killed or seriously injured. This indication shows that the warning item to avoid the danger is provided.</p> <p>If you incorrectly use the product, ignoring this indication, you may get slightly injured or the product may be damaged. This indication shows that the caution item to avoid the danger is provided.</p>

Please be informed that we are not responsible for any damages to the user or to the third person, arising from malfunctions or other failures due to wrong use of the product or incorrect operation, except such responsibility for damages as required by law.

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### ■ Do not remove the product's covers and panels

Never remove the product's covers and panels for any purpose. Otherwise, the user's electric shock or fire may be incurred.

### ■ Warning on using the product

Warning items given below are to avoid danger to user's body and life and avoid the damage or deterioration of the product. Use the product, observing the following warning and caution items.

### ■ Warning items on power supply

#### ● Power supply voltage

The rated power supply voltages of the product are 100, 120, 220 and 240VAC. The rated power supply voltage for each product should be confirmed by reading the label attached on the back of the product or by the "rated" column shown in the instruction manual. The specification of power cord attached to the products is rated to 125VAC for all products which are designed to be used in the areas where commercial power supply voltage is not higher than 125VAC. Accordingly, you must change the power cord if you want to use the product at the power supply voltage higher than 125VAC. If you use the product without changing power cord to 250VAC rated one, electric shock or fire may be caused. When you used the product equipped with power supply voltage switching system, please refer to the corresponding chapter in the instruction manuals of each product.

#### ● Power cord

**(IMPORTANT) The attached power cord set can be used for this device only.**

If the attached power cord is damaged, stop using the product and call us or your local dealer.

If the power cord is used without the damage being removed, an electric shock or fire may be caused.

#### ● Protective fuse

If an input protective fuse is blown, the product does not operate. For a product with external fuse holder, the fuse may be replaced. As for how to replace the fuse, refer to the corresponding chapter in the instruction manual.

If no fuse replacement procedures are indicated, the user is not permitted to replace it. In such case, keep the case closed and consult us or your local dealer. If the fuse is incorrectly replaced, a fire may occur.

### ■ Warning item on Grounding

If the product has the GND terminal on the front or rear panel surface, be sure to ground the product to safely use it.

### ■ Warnings on Installation environment

#### ● Operating temperature and humidity

Use the product within the operating temperature indicated in the "rating" temperature column.

If the product is used with the vents of the product blocked or in high ambient temperatures, a fire may occur.

Use the product within the operating humidity indicated in the "rating" humidity column.

Watch out for condensation by a sharp humidity change such as transfer to a room with a different humidity.

Also, do not operate the product with wet hands. Otherwise, an electric shock or fire may occur.

#### ● Use in gas

Use in and around a place where an inflammable or explosive gas or steam is generated or stored may result in an explosion and fire. Do not operate the product in such an environment.

Also, use in and around a place where a corrosive gas is generated or spreading causes a serious damage to the product. Do not operate the product in such an environment.

#### ● Installation place

Do not insert metal and inflammable materials into the product from its vent and spill water on it.

Otherwise, electric shock or fire may occur.



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### ■ Do not let foreign matter in

Do not insert metal and inflammable materials into the product from its vent and spill water on it. Otherwise, electric shock or fire may occur.

### ■ Warning item on abnormality while in use

If smoke or fire is generated from the product while in use, stop using the product, turn off the switch, and remove the power cord plug from the outlet. After confirming that no other devices catch fire, ask us or your local dealer.

### ■ Input / Output terminals

Maximum input to terminal is specified to prevent the product from being damaged.

Do not supply input, exceeding the specifications that are indicated in the "Rating" column in the instruction manual of the product. Also, do not supply power to the output terminals from the outside.

Otherwise, a product failure is caused.

### ■ Calibration

Although the performance and specifications of the product are checked under strict quality control during shipment from the factory, they may be deviated more or less by deterioration of parts due to their aging or others.

It is recommended to periodically calibrate the product so that it is used with its performance and specifications stable.

For consultation about the product calibration, ask us or your local dealer.

### ■ Daily Maintenance

When you clean off the dirt of the product covers, panels, and knobs, avoid solvents such as thinner and benzene. Otherwise, the paint may peel off or resin surface may be affected. To wipe off the covers, panels, and knobs, use a soft cloth with neutral detergent in it.

During cleaning, be careful that water, detergents, or other foreign matters do not get into the product.

If a liquid or metal gets into the product, an electric shock and fire are caused.

During cleaning, remove the power cord plug from the outlet.

Use the product correctly and safely, observing the above warning and caution items.

Because the instruction manual indicates caution items even in individual items, observe those caution items to correctly use the product.

If you have questions or comments about the manuals, ask us or E-Mail us.

# 1. PS-A SERIES

## 1-1. About This Manual

This manual applies to the following PS-A series power supply units and optional interface units.

- PS-A series:

Rated Voltage	Rated Current		
	400W	800W	1200W
6V	PS6-66A	PS6-133A	-
10V	PS10-40A	PS10-80A	PS10-120A
20V	PS20-20A	PS20-40A	PS20-60A
40V	PS40-10A	PS40-20A	PS40-30A
60V	PS60-6.6A	PS60-13.3A	PS60-20A

- Optional interface units for the PS-A series

IF-71RS, IF-70GU, IF-70PS

## 1-2. Outline of Product

The PS-A series are small-sized and lightweight switching type regulated DC power supply units. Because the PS-A series power supply units are highly reliable and have a variety of protective functions, they are ideally suited for industrial use, such as for performing reliability tests, durability tests, and the aging of electronic components.

The PS-A series offer a variety of functions for a variety of applications: preset function (3 setting points); protective functions against output overvoltage, under voltage and overcurrent; output discharge circuit cancel function; output off timer function; CC priority mode while the output is on; sequence function; and operation by external analog signal.

There are 2 types of optional interface boards, IF-71RS and IF-70GU. These boards replace the standard board equipped with the unit and provide communication functions.

## 1-3. Features

### 1-3-1. PS-A Power Supply Unit

- **Selection of setting digits for voltage and current setting**

The output voltage and current are indicated by 4 digits. You can select a digit to set the voltage and the current.

The PS-A power supply unit is also equipped with a fine adjustment function for instances in which more precise setting capabilities are required.

- **Preset function**

The unit has a preset memory for 3 setting points in which different voltage and current settings can be stored. This function enables you to easily change the voltage and current settings.

- **Output HI-R function**

This function stops the output discharge circuit of the unit while the output is off.

When used as a power unit for charging batteries or for electroplating, this function minimizes battery discharge and the peeling of plating caused by charge removal while output is off.

- **Output off timer function**

To prevent battery overcharge etc., this function automatically turns the output off after a preset amount of time has passed while the output is on.

- **CC priority mode**

Compared to general switching power supply units, the PS-A power supply unit is better able to reduce current overshoot, thanks to our original current-overshoot inhibit circuit. This circuit produces a load that enables the unit to operate at a constant current while the output is on.

- **Sequence function**

Sequence programs can be written in the unit from a computer via the optional interface board (IF-71RS, IF-70GU).

Sequence programs can be executed by performing panel or computer operations.

You can also perform sequence operations with a maximum of 1000 steps by using a program written by the computer. The minimum step unit is 50ms.

- **Remote sensing function**

This function uses the remote sensing terminal to compensate for voltage drop caused by the wires.

- **Protective functions**

The PS-A power supply unit has protective functions against overvoltage, under voltage and overcurrent for the primary side, and overvoltage, overcurrent, remote sensing terminal open, and internal heat for the secondary side. The unit is also equipped with OVP (over-voltage protection), UVP (under-voltage protection), and OCP (over-current protection). The setting values for these protective functions are changeable.

- **Master-slave operation**

The PS-A power supply unit can perform master-slave operation.

Master-slave operation can be performed at a maximum of 2400W with the same voltage models parallelly connected (maximum 800W with 6V type models), and with a maximum of two units of the same model serially connected.

- **External analog signal operation**

When setting the voltage and current by external voltage and resistance, the setting values set externally will be superimposed on the setting values set on the panel.

The external setting values can be adjusted on the panel.

The output can be turned on and off by entering external terminal.

- **Dispersion circuit for rush current prevention**

The PS-A power supply unit is able to restrain and minimize the primary side current and voltage distortions caused by rush current on the primary side at the time the unit is switched on, thanks to the main relay's on/off operation and our original dispersion circuit for rush current prevention.

- **Power factor correction circuit, as well as voltage and current range for worldwide use**

The PS-A power supply unit is equipped with a power factor correction circuit that has a rated output of approximately 0.99.

It is operable with supply voltages ranging from 100VAC to 240VAC, without changing the settings.

- **CE Marked.**

### 1-3-2. IF-71RS (option)

- Units equipped with the IF-71RS can be connected to a computer and controlled by RS-232C. As an expansion, the IF-71RS can also control 31 PS-A power supply units via a local bus connection.
- Units equipped with the IF-71RS can be substituted and used for our PSR series and PSR-M series.

### 1-3-3. IF-70GU (option)

- The IF-70GU is connected to a computer through a GP-IB or USB. Fourteen units may be connected with a computer through GP-IB, or 32 units may be connected through USB.
- Units connected to the computer can be connected with 31 PS-A power supply units via a local bus connection.

### 1-3-4. IF-70PS (option)

- IF-70PS is an option unit that enables the PS-A power supply unit to send and receive the same signal as that of the external input & output of our PS series.

### 1-3-5. Cable for master-slave operation (option)

- Cable for parallel master-slave
  - OP-23P3 : Connectable with three PS-A power supply units.
  - OP-23P6 : Connectable with six PS-A power supply units.
- Cable for in-series master-slave
  - OP-23S : Connectable with two PS-A power supply units.



**When connecting cables, make sure to connect the correct cables.  
Connecting the wrong cables may cause product failure.**

### 1-3-6. Handle (option)

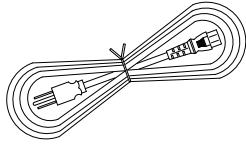
- HK-11 : Attachable with 800W and 1200W models.

## 2. Prior to Use

### 2-1. Accessories

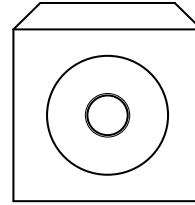
Make sure the accessories are attached correctly. If there are any problems, please contact one of our sales branches. Accessories vary by model.

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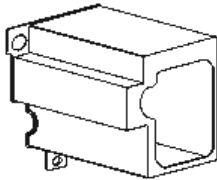


Power cable: 1 pc

<Example> The above figure shows the cable for  
400W and 800W models: [E30-5632] (125V model)  
400W and 800W models: [E30-5643] (250V model)  
1200W model: [E30-5637]

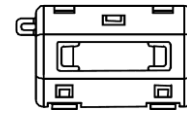


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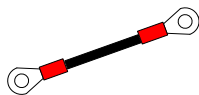
Rear output terminal cover: [F07-1586] 1 pc

◆ See "2-3-3. Attaching the rear output terminal cover "



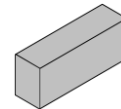
Ferrite core for power cable: [L92-0310] 1 pc

◆ See "2-2. Connecting the power cable"



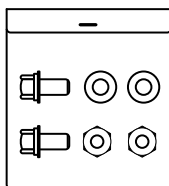
Output grounding cable: [E38-3353] 1 pc

◆ See "2-3-3. Attaching the rear output terminal cover "



Cushion for ferrite core: [G13-0750] 1 pc

◆ See "2-2. Connecting the power cable"



Contents:

Hexagon head bolt (P-3): 2 pcs

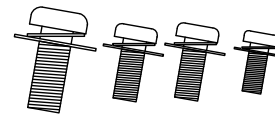
Flat washer : 2 pcs

Hexagon nut : 2 pcs

Bolt set: [N99-0416] 1 set

(For connect the load cable to the rear output terminals)

◆ See "2-3. Connecting to the output terminals"



M3 Small screw washer : [N67-3006-41] 1 set

(For attach the grounding cable to one of the rear output terminals)

◆ See "2-3-1. Attaching the output grounding cable"

M3 Large screw washer : [N66-3008-41] 2 sets

(For attach the rear output terminal cover.)

◆ See "2-3-3. Attaching the rear output terminal cover"

M4 Small screw washer : [N67-4008-41] 1 set

(For Connecting the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face)

◆ See "2-5. Connecting the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face"

※The cushion for ferrite core is not included with products that have a 1200W type power cable [E30-5637].

## 2-2. Connecting the power cable

The power cable should be connected to an AC inlet or an input terminal block. Make sure to use a power cable that matches the input voltage of the unit. Because the voltage rating of the supplied power cable is 125VAC, you must use a different cable when a power voltage greater than 125VAC is used.



**WARNING**

**Make sure to properly connect the power cable. Failure to do so may result in electric shock or fire.**

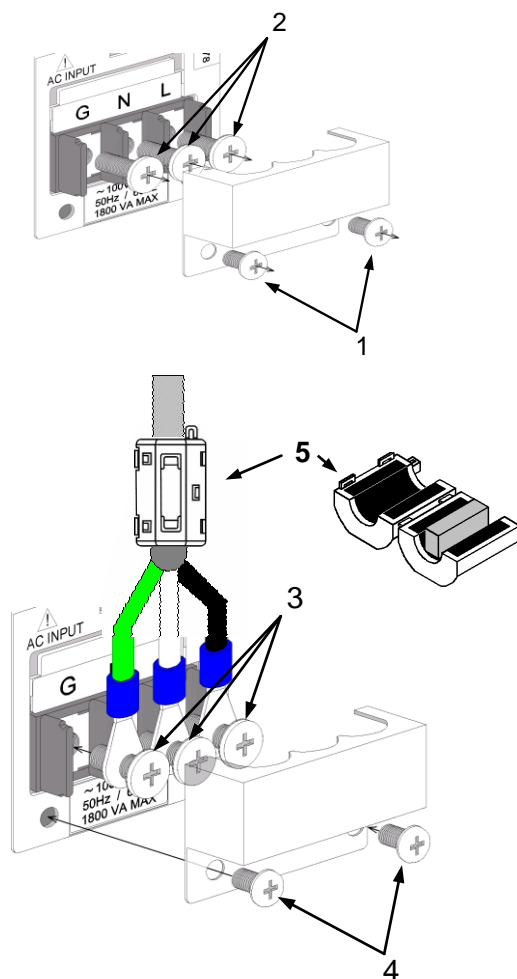
**Using the unit without the AC input terminal cover may result in electric shock or fire.**

Perform this operation before connecting the power cable to an AC outlet or the distribution panel.

- 400W and 800W models

Insert the cushion in the ferrite core and attach it to the power cable. Then fully insert the cable into the AC inlet of the unit.

- 1200W models



1. Unfasten the two screws that fix the AC input terminal block cover of the unit, and then remove the cover.

2. Unfasten the three screws from the AC input terminal block.

3. Use the three screws that were just unfastened to attach the accessory power cable to the AC input terminal block of the unit, as indicated below in Figure 2-1. "Connecting the power cable for 1200W models".

Tightening torque of screw: 10kgf/cm

Low tightening torque may result in electric shock or fire.

The wire colors of the power cable are as follows:

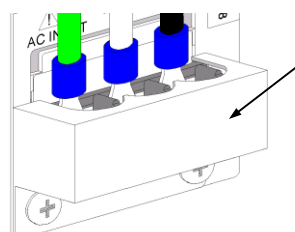
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N	White or light blue
L	Black or brown

4. Use the two screws that were removed from the AC input terminal block cover to reattach the cover.

Tightening torque of screw: 5kgf/cm

5. For the 1200W power cable [E30-5637], only attach the accessory ferrite core. Do not attach the cushion.

For the other types of power cables, insert the cushion in the core, as shown in the figure on the left, then attach the cushion to the cable.



**Make sure to attach the AC input terminal block cover before using the unit.**

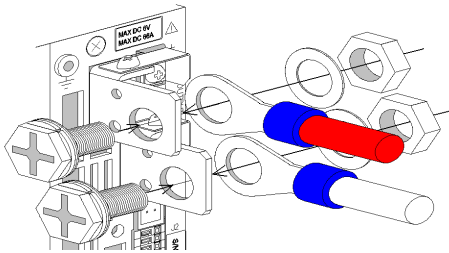
Fig. 2-1 Connecting the power cable for 1200W models

## 2-3. Connecting to the output terminals

Use the supplied bolt set to connect the load cable to the rear output terminals.

Adjust the tightening torque of each bolt to 25 kgf/cm.

Check the connection between the load and the output terminals of the unit. Make sure that the polarity is not inverted, and that no short circuits have occurred.



Attach a round crimp-style terminal (inner diameter of at least 6.4 mm) to the load cable.

Insert the bolt into the hole from left side of the output terminal.

From the right side of the output terminal, first attach the load cable (with the round crimp-style terminal attached), followed by the washer and then the nut.

Finally, secure the bolt.

Fig. 2-2 Connecting the load cable to the rear output terminals



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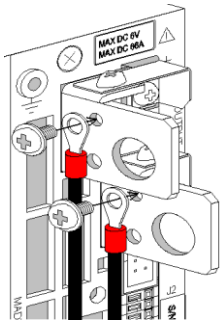
**Make sure the voltage of the unit's output terminals has sufficiently fallen before touching and operating the load or output terminals. Failure to do so may result in electric shock.**

### 2-3-1. Attaching the output grounding cable

(You do not need to perform this operation if the output is not to be grounded.)

Use the M3 Small screw and washer to attach the grounding cable to one of the rear output terminals.

Tightening torque of screw: 5kgf/cm.



From the left side of the rear output terminals, attach the grounding cable to the M3 hole of one of the output terminals.

Attach the grounding cable to either the positive output terminal or the negative output terminal. Do not attach the cable to both.

**If you attach the grounding cable to both the positive and negative output terminals, the unit output will short circuit.**

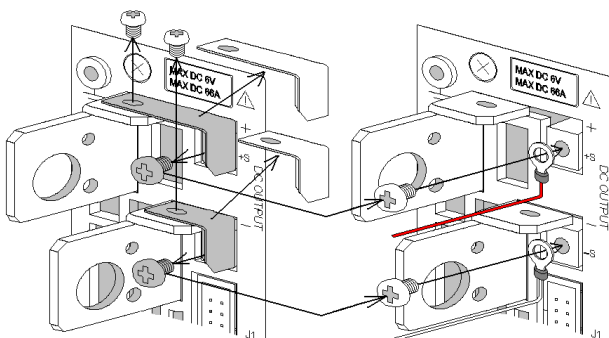
### 2-3-2. Connecting the voltage remote sensing cables

You only need to perform this operation if you plan to use the voltage remote sensing function of the unit.

Use the removed M3 screws to attach the voltage remote sensing cables to the voltage remote sensing terminals.

Tightening torque of screw: 5kgf/cm

Carefully store the positive and negative shorting bars and the two M3 screws that were removed.



Remove the M3 screws (4 screws) from the positive and negative rear output terminals and the positive and negative voltage remote sensing terminals, and then remove the positive and negative shorting bars.

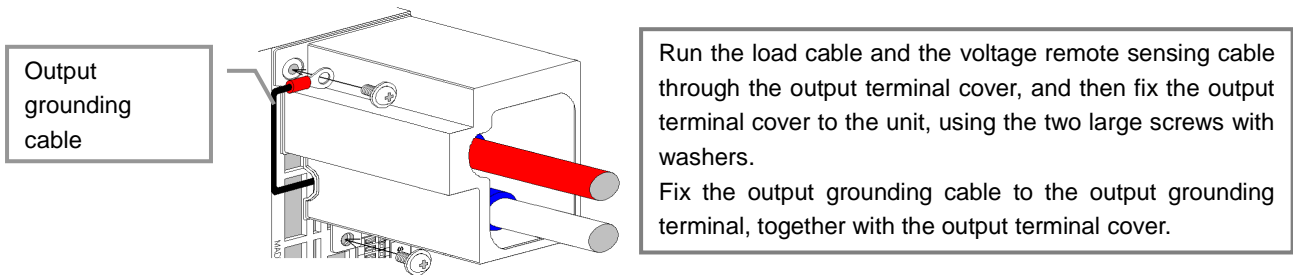
Attach the positive and negative voltage remote sensing cables to the positive and negative voltage remote sensing terminals.

Attach a round crimp-style terminal (inner diameter of at least 3.2mm, with the smallest possible outer diameter) to the voltage remote sensing cables.

### 2-3-3. Attaching the rear output terminal cover

The rear output terminal cover should always be attached even when rear output terminals of the unit are not in use. Use the M3 Large screw with washer to attach the rear output terminal cover.

Tightening torque of screw: 5kgf/cm.



### 2-4. Caution on Connecting to a Capacitive Load

To maintain an output voltage of approximately 0 V when the output is off, the unit is equipped with a discharge circuit for removing the electric charge from the output capacitor.

When the output is off, it takes approximately 1 second for the discharge circuit to remove the electric charge from the output capacitor when the capacitor is fully charged to its rated voltage.

If a capacitive load, such as a battery or capacitor, is connected to the unit and used, it takes longer to lower the output voltage when the output is off. If the output is turned off while a capacitive load is connected, be sure to use a voltmeter to confirm that the voltage has sufficiently fallen before touching the output terminal or the load.

The discharge circuit for the output capacitor does not work if the unit's output HI-R function is used.

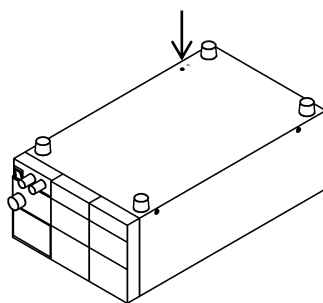
Compared to when the output HI-R function is not used, it takes longer for voltage to fall when a capacitive load is used.

### 2-5. Connecting the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face

There is a protective grounding terminal on the bottom face of this unit.

To ensure the safe use of this product, follow the procedure below to connect the protective grounding terminal.

1. Attach the wire (recommended by the manufacturer) for round crimp-style terminals V1.25-M4 (JST) or equivalent.
2. Attach the round crimp-style terminal to the cable.
3. Attach the cable with round crimp-style terminal to the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face of the unit, using the accessory M4 screw for the grounding connection to secure the cable.



**Make sure to properly connect the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face. Failure to do so may result in electric shock. If you do not connect the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face, it will come off from the CE conformity.**

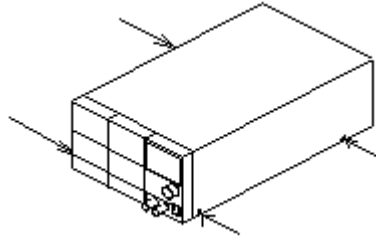
## 2-6. Caution on mounting the unit in a rack

When mounting the unit in a rack, use one of the following attachments:

- Rack mount adapter RM-608J (for JIS rack)
- RM-608E (for EIA rack) and rack mount frame attachment RJ-608-1/2 (for 1/2 rack width)
- RJ-608-1/3 (for 1/3 rack width)

When mounting the unit in a rack, replace the screws on the left and right sides of the unit (two on each side) with the flat countersunk head screws (N32-3006-41) that are included with RJ-608-1/2 or RJ-608-1/3.

When mounting the unit in a rack, remove the screw for the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face of the unit. For your own safety, make sure to securely connect the rack to the ground before using the unit.



## 2-7. Connecting the Power Cable to the Primary Power

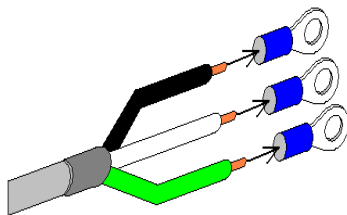
Be sure to turn off the power switch before connecting the power cable to the AC outlet or distribution panel.

Because the voltage rating of the supplied power cable is 125VAC, you must use a different cable when a power voltage greater than 125VAC is used.



**Plugging the power cable into an outlet or distribution panel that is not properly grounded may result in electric shock or fire. Be sure to ask a qualified engineer to connect the power cable to the distribution panel.**

- Connecting 400W and 800W models  
Be sure to plug the supplied power cable into an AC outlet with earth ground.
- For 1200W models and when connecting to the distribution panel
  - Strip the coating off the supplied power cable and connect round crimp-style terminals that fit the distribution panel.
  - Connect the power cable, with the round crimp-style terminals attached to the wires, to the grounded distribution panel, making sure that L, N, and G wires are properly connected.



The wire colors of the power cable must be as follows:

G	Green or green/yellow
N	White or light blue
L	Black or brown

Fig. 2-5 Attaching round crimp-style terminals to the power cable

## 2-8. Installation Environments

- If the unit is used in a hot place and the internal temperature of the unit rises, the built-in overheat protection circuit activates and turns off the output. Do not use the unit in a location where the grill in the front panel or air outlet port in the rear panel is blocked. Blocking these ports will cause the internal temperature to rise. Maintain sufficient distance between these ports and objects. In some conditions, hot air may blow out of the air outlet port in the rear panel. Be careful.
- Do not use the PS-A power supply unit in a place with a lot of dust or corrosive gas. These substances can cause the product to deteriorate.
- Do not use the unit on an incline or a place subject to vibration. Doing so can cause the unit to fall off the rack or fall over, which may result in damage to the unit or personal injury.



### 3. Panels

#### 3-1. Front Panel



Fig. 3-1 Front Panel (The above figure shows the front panel of the PS40-30A.)

1. Power switch
  - Turns the AC power on and off.
2. Front output terminals
  - Front output terminals with a current limit of 20A. Use the unit within the current limit
3. Rotary encoder
  - Changes the set voltage and current, and is used to set functions.
4. Grill
  - Air intake port.  
Push up the ▽ mark in the bottom center of the grill to detach the cover when cleaning or replacing the dust filter inside.
5. Rubber shoes
  - Detachable.  
If the unit is mounted in a rack and the shoes are not needed, they may be removed.

### 3-2. Operation Panel



Fig.3-2 Operation Panel (The above figure shows the operation panel of the PS40-30A.)

#### 6. Voltage indicator (red LEDs): 4-digit display, unit indication

- Indicates the set voltage, output voltage, output power, and MENU items.
- “W” is lit in red when the indicator displays the output power.

#### 7. Current indicator (red LEDs): 4-digit display, unit indication

- Indicates the set current, output current, output power, and MENU items.
- “W” is lit in red when the indicator displays the output power.

#### 8. CV/CC LED (green/red)

- When the output is on, the LED is lit in green when CV is in operation, and red when CC is in operation.
- Turns off when output is off. It blinks red when the CC priority mode is selected.

#### 9. OUTPUT key (red/amber)

##### Manual operation

- Lit in red when the output is on.
- Alternately blinks red and amber when the output off timer is set and the output is on.
- Pressing this key turns the output on and off.
- It is not possible to turn the output on and off when the MENU key is lit in green.

##### Sequence operation

- If this key is pressed while a sequence manual/automatic operation is being executed, the output will turn off and the sequence will be interrupted.

#### 10. V key (green/amber)

##### The voltage is set by operating this front panel key

- Pressing this key causes it to turn off or light in green.
- When this key is lit in green, it is possible to change the blinking digit of the set voltage in the voltage indicator.
- Pressing and holding down this key switches the voltage display to the power display. Pressing and holding down this key again switches the display back to the voltage display.
- The key is lit in amber when the voltage is set by external analog signals.

#### 11. A key (green/amber)

The current is set by operating this front panel key

- Pressing this key causes it to turn off or light in green.
- When the key is lit in green, it is possible to change the blinking digit of the set current in the current indicator.
- Pressing and holding down this key switches the current display to the power display. Pressing and holding down this key again switches the display back to the current display.
- The key is lit in amber when the current is set by external analog signals.

#### 12. MENU key (green)

Manual operation

- Able to operate and confirm the MENU setting or selection when this key is lit in green.
- Unable to configure the MENU setting when the output is on.

Sequence operation

- This key lights in green when it is pressed, and the voltage and current indicators display the setting of the sequence steps to be executed.

#### 13. PROTECT key (green)

- Pressing this key when it is turned off sets OVP (over-voltage protection).
- When this key is lit, OVP (over-voltage protection), UVP (under-voltage protection), and OCP (over-current protection) can be selected and set. Press the ESC key to finish setting the protections.

#### 14. CHECK key (green)

Manual operation

- When this key is lit, the voltage and current indicators display the set voltage and current. When it is not lit, the indicators display the output voltage and current.  
In the power indication, the voltage and current indicators display "- - -".
- Pressing this key displays the output voltage/current and the set voltage/current alternately.  
Operate the MENU key to display the output voltage and current when the output is off.

Sequence operation

Changes the voltage and current indicators from the sequence steps to the output voltage and current, and vice versa.

The sequence steps are displayed when this key is lit, and the output voltage and current are displayed when it is not lit.

#### 15. DIGIT KEY ◀

Manual operation

- Pressing this key moves the digit of the set voltage, current, OVP, UVP, or OCP value to be changed to the left.

Sequence operation

- Returns to the previous step while the sequence program is being executed.
- If this key is pressed when execution is stopped, the execution STEP can be set to the START STEP (execution mode: 0 and 1) and the END STEP (execution mode: 2 and 3) in the sequence program.

#### 16. DIGIT KEY ▶

Manual operation

- Pressing this key moves the digit of the set voltage, current, OVP, UVP, or OCP value to be changed to the right.

Sequence operation

- Moves forward to the next step while the sequence program is being executed.  
If this key is pressed when execution is stopped, the execution STEP can be set to the END STEP (execution mode: 0 and 1) and the START STEP (execution mode: 2 and 3) in the sequence program.

17. ENTER/MEM/STEP key (green/amber)

Manual operation

- Memory function : Pressing this key causes the PRESET 1, 2, and 3 keys to blink, and places the memory on standby to store the setting.  
Pressing this key again cancels the memory's standby state.
- Initialization : Pressing and holding down this key then turns power on the unit and initializes the data stored in the unit.

Sequence operation

- This key lights in green. Pressing this key again causes it to light in amber, and the voltage and current indicators display the STEP value.

18. PRESET 1/STOP key (green/amber)

Manual operation

- Stores and reads out the set voltage and current.
- When this key blinks green, it is on standby to store the setting. When it is lit in green, it reads out the data stored in PRESET 1.

Sequence operation

- Lit in amber during the sequence operation. Pressing this key stops the execution of the sequence program.

19. PRESET 2/PAUSE key (green/amber)

Manual operation

- Stores and reads out the set voltage and current.
- When the key blinks green, it is on standby to store the setting. When it is lit green, it reads out the data stored in PRESET 2.

Sequence operation

- Lit in amber during the sequence operation. Pressing this key suspends the execution of the sequence program.

20. PRESET 3/START key (green/amber)

Manual operation

- Stores and reads out the set voltage and current.
- When the key blinks green, it is on standby to store the setting. When it is lit in green, it reads out the data stored in PRESET 3.

Sequence operation

- Lit in amber during the sequence operation. Pressing this key starts the execution of the sequence program.

21. ESC/KEYLOCK LOCK/RMT key (green)

- Lit in green when the unit is in remote operation or key lock state. When this key is lit, the unit cannot be operated from the front panel (although the OUTPUT key can still be operated).
- ESC function: Pressing this key cancels the display of the voltage/current setting, OVP/UVP/OCP setting, MEMORY setting, and MENU setting.
- Pressing and holding this key while it is lit in green cancels remote operation or key lock. After remote operation or key lock is cancelled, the light turns off.
- Pressing and holding this key while the light is off locks the key. After the key is locked it lights in green.

### 3-3. Rear Panel

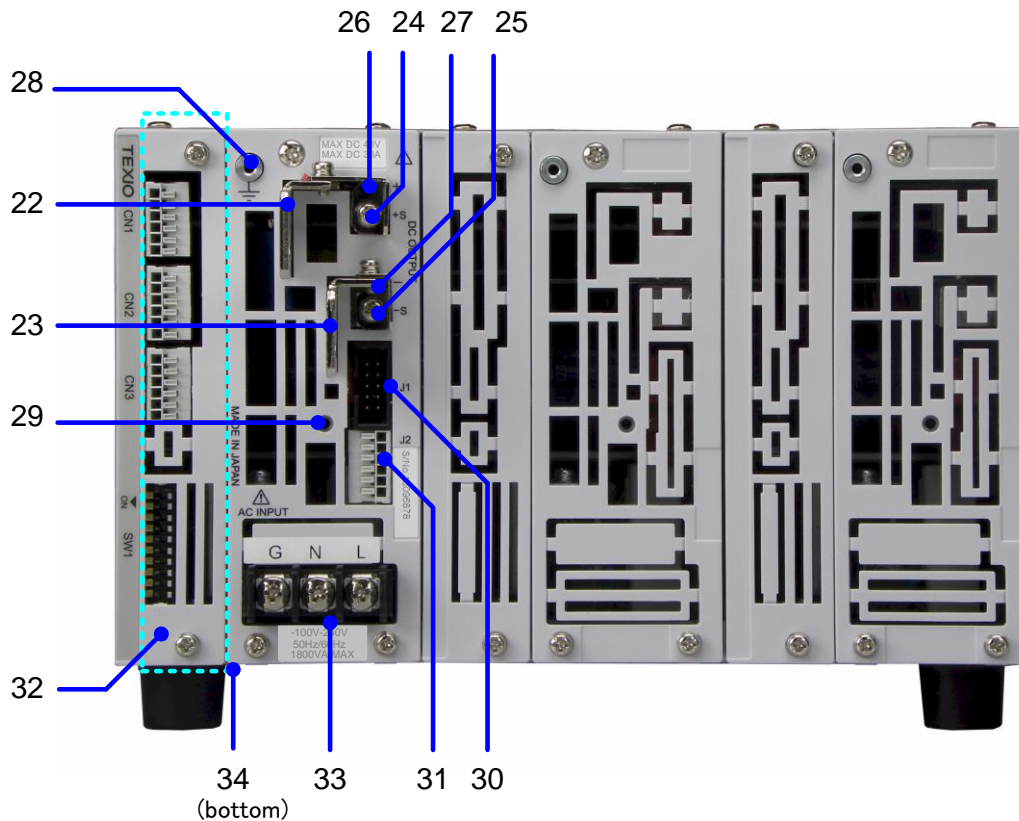


Fig. 3-3 Rear Panel (The above figure shows the rear panel of the PS40-30A (1200W model).)

#### 22,23. Output terminals

- Output terminals of the PS-A series power supply unit. 22: Positive output, 23: Negative output  
Use the supplied bolt set when connecting to the load cable.
- Voltage is output from the rear output terminals even when the front output terminals are used.  
Be sure to attach the supplied rear output terminal cover to the unit when the rear output terminals are used.  
The rear output terminal cover should be fixed at the following two points: the output terminal grounding terminal (28) and the output terminal cover attachment hole (29)

#### 24,25. Remote sensing terminals

- Remote sensing terminals of the PS-A series power supply unit. 24: Positive terminal, 25: Negative terminal  
To use the remote sensing function, remove the shorting bars (26 and 27).
- When using the remote sensing function, connect the positive remote sensing terminal (24) to the part where the positive output terminal of the load is connected, and the negative remote sensing terminal (25) to the part where the negative output terminal of the load is connected.  
**Incorrectly connecting the terminals may damage the unit or apply overvoltage to the load.**

#### 26,27. Shorting bars

Short-circuits the output terminals and remote sensing terminals.

26: Positive shorting bar 27: Negative shorting bar

When the remote sensing function is not used, attach the shorting bars to the output terminals and remote sensing terminals to operate the unit. Failure to securely attach the short bar may cause the output to become unstable.

#### 28. $\perp$ Output grounding terminal

- Used to ground the positive or negative output terminal of the unit.  
Use the output ground cable to ground output terminals.
- This terminal is also used to fix the output terminal cover.

#### 29. Output terminal cover attachment hole

- Used to fix the output terminal cover.  
Use the supplied M3 Large screws with washers.

### 30. J1 connector

- Used for master-slave operation.

The parallel master-slave cable and series master-slave cable are different. Use the cable appropriate for the operation.



**Do not connect any cables other than the master-slave cable.  
Connecting other cables may damage the unit.**

### 31. J2 connector

- The connector for the monitor output of the unit output and the slave control signal input for series master-slave operation.

The terminal is a screw-less connector.

Use AWG24 – 26 cables to connect.

No.	Description
1	Output current monitor output: Output current 0A → Rated current approx.0V → Output 10V.
2	Output voltage monitor output: Output voltage 0V → Rated voltage approx. 0V → Output 10V.
3	Common terminal for 1 and 2. The terminal is connected to the negative output terminal.
4	When the unit is used as the slave machine for series master-slave operation, connect to the negative output terminal of the master machine.
5,6	Not used. Do not connect anything to these terminals because they are for internal connection.

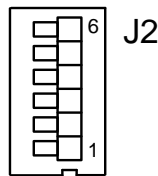


Fig3-4. J2 connector's pin No.

### 32. Interface slot

- An analog signal control unit (hereinafter standard board) is equipped as standard.
- The standard board can be replaced with an interface board (hereinafter IF board) that controls the unit via external signals.

Remove the two upper and lower screws from the marked area to install the IF board. Make sure to refasten the two upper and lower screws after installing the board.

If the upper and lower screws are not fastened, contact failure between the unit and IF board may cause the unit to malfunction.

33. AC inlet (400W and 800W models)

AC input terminal block (1200W models)

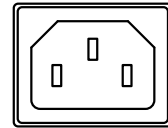
● 400W and 800W models

- Use the supplied power cable. Connect the power cable to the AC outlet.
- If the supplied power cable is used, the AC input voltage range of the unit will be 125V or lower (products for Japan only).

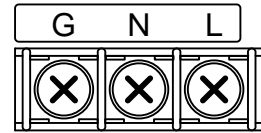
● AC input terminal block (1200W models)

- Use the supplied power cable. Connect the power cable to the distribution panel. Be sure to attach the terminal cover to the terminal block after installing the power cable.
- Be sure to connect the power cable to the unit before connecting the power cable to the distribution panel.

400W,800W model



1200W model




Supplying AC power to the unit that exceeds the specified input range may result in failure, electric shock, or fire.

Performing wiring work while the power cable is connected to the AC outlet or distribution panel may result in electric shock or fire.



For optimal air ventilation, maintain a distance of at least 30cm between the rear panel and nearby objects.

If the rear panel is blocked, the internal temperature may rise.

34.  Protective grounding terminal

The product is equipped with a protective grounding terminal on the bottom face. For your own safety, make sure to connect the unit to ground before use.

- ◆ See [“2-5. Connecting the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face”](#) for details.



Make sure to properly connect the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face. Failure to do so may result in electric shock. If you do not connect the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face, it will come off from the CE conformity.

## 4 GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

### 4-1. Connecting loads

- When connecting loads to the unit, use round crimp-style terminals, etc. to ensure loads are securely connected to the output terminals.
- Use cables that have sufficient current capacity for the wiring to be connected.
- Be sure to turn off the unit (output off) before connecting or disconnecting cables to and from the wiring.
- The unit is equipped with a capacitor of several thousands of  $\mu\text{F}$  that is connected to output terminals, and a circuit for discharging the charged capacitor while the unit is turned off (output off).

The unit also features the HI-R function for cutting off the discharge circuit. However, low-ampere current flows through the circuit of the voltage monitor, etc. When the battery is charged and the unit is turned off (output off), the low-ampere current causes the voltage of the battery to fall.

When the unit is used for charging batteries or a similar purpose, to prevent the load from discharging to the unit, connect a diode in series to the load, as shown in Fig. 4-1 "Connecting load with energy".

Connect a diode that meets the following conditions:

- It must have sufficient reverse voltage resistance against the rated voltage of the unit.
- It must have sufficient forward current capacity against the rated current of the unit.
- Take proper measures for the radiating heat generated by the elements.

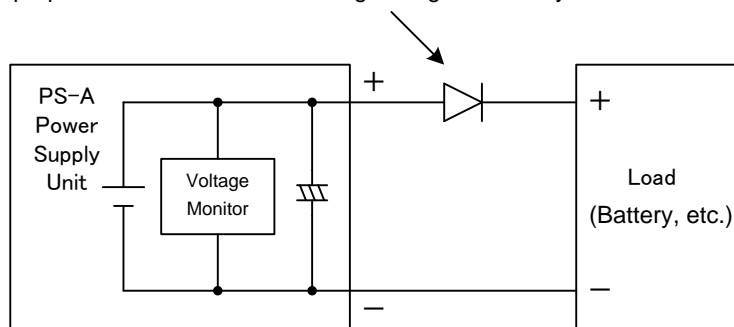


Fig. 4-1 Connecting load with energy

#### Current capacity of load cable

The cable used as a load cable must have sufficient current capacity against the rated output current of the unit

AWG	Sectional area $\text{mm}^2$	Recommended A
14	2	10
1	38	100
3/0	80	200

(Reference values at an ambient temperature of 30°C.)



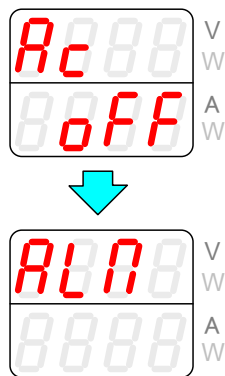
## 4-2. Alarm

The hardware detects abnormal states and displays “AC oFF” or “ALΠ” on the voltage and current indicators.

### Alarm causes

	Cause	Recoverable
1	Over input voltage: Supply voltage of 270VAC or greater	No
2	Under input voltage: Supply voltage of 80VAC or less	No
3	Wrong number of power units used in parallel master-slave operation	No
4	The voltage between the output terminal and the remote sensing terminal exceeds the sensing compensating voltage range.	Yes
5	Front output over current: Current from the front output is 30A or greater	Yes
6	Internal overheat: Internal heat sink temperature of approx. 110°C or higher	Yes
7	Over output voltage: 115% of maximum voltage or greater	Yes
8	Over output current: 115% of maximum current or greater	Yes

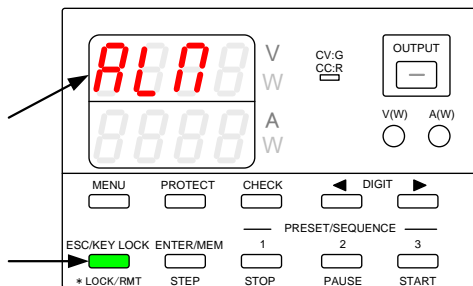
### ● Unrecoverable alarm



If the voltage and current indicators display “AC oFF” and then “ALΠ”, and the power switch has not been turned off, there may be a unit malfunction. Perform the following steps:

1. Turn off the power switch.
2. Disconnect the power cable from the AC outlet or distribution panel.
3. Check whether any of the causes described in 1 through 3 have occurred.

### ● Recoverable alarm



If the voltage indicator displays “ALΠ”, and the ESC key is lit in green, press the ESC key.

This makes it possible to turn the power of the unit on or off.

Check whether any of the causes described in 4 through 8 have occurred.

If the cause of the alarm was one of the causes described in 6 through 8, the unit may need to be repaired or recalibrated.

## 5 FUNCTIONS AND OPERATION PROCEDURES

### 5-1. Operation modes












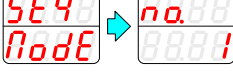
The unit has four basic operation modes, which are as follows:

Operation Mode	Description
Manual mode	Setting by manual operation on the panel.
Sequence mode	Setting changes over time according to the sequence program stored in the internal memory.
External analog control	Setting via external analog signals and ON/OFF signal.
External digital control	Setting via external communication device.

### 5-2. Turning On Power

#### 5-2-1. Display when power is turned on

Properly connect the AC power cable of the PS-A power supply unit, confirm that power is being supplied, and then turn on the power switch. The following characters are displayed on the voltage and current indicators until the unit is ready for normal operation.

	These characters are displayed after the power switch is turned on.
	The rated voltage is displayed in the upper row, and the rated current in the lower row. (The rating is displayed while the internal test is performed.)
	The software version is displayed.
	Display of the interface board installation and operation.
	The standard board is installed. (The standard board is installed in all models.)
	The installed interface board IF-70GU is in the GP-IB setting.
	The installed interface board IF-70GU is in USB setting.
	The interface board IF-70PS is installed.
	The installed interface board F-70RS is in the RS-232C (local bus) setting.
	The installed interface board IF-71RS is in the RS-232C (PSR bus) setting.
	The installed interface board IF-71RS is in the RS-232C (PSR-M bus) setting.
	The unit can be operated. Manual mode.
	The unit can be operated. Sequence mode. After displaying the seq mode, step No. is displayed.

## 5-2-2. Recalling Settings When Turning on Power, and Saving the Setting Data

The PS-A power supply unit saves setting data in a non-volatile memory when the unit is turned off, or before the power is cut. The settings are recalled when the unit is turned on. The default settings and the settings after initializing the memory for the stored setting items are shown below.

Table 5-1. Stored setting items: Manual mode

Manual mode	Initial setting
Output HI-R function	Off
Sequence mode	Off
Preset data recalled when power is turned on	Last
Output Off display	Set value
Output On setting when power is turned on	Off
Master-slave	Single-unit operation
CC priority output	Off
Output Off timer	0 min.
Setting cancellation time	3 min.
Set OVP	Maximum
Set UVP	Minimum
Set OCP	Maximum
Set voltage (including stored Preset voltages)	0V
Set current (including stored Preset currents)	0A
System address	1
PC address	1

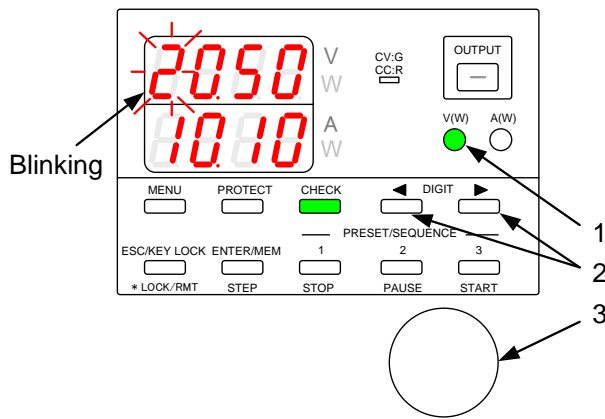
Table 5-2. Stored setting items: Sequence mode

Sequence mode	Initial setting
Set voltage for each step	0V
Set current for each step	0A
Output for each step	Off
OVP for each step	Maximum
UVP for each step	Minimum
OCP for each step	Maximum
Execution time for each step	00h00m00s000
Pause operation for each step	OFF
Output HI-R setting for each step	OFF
Start step	1
End step	1000
Number of repeating programs	1
Execution mode	0

※ A battery cell is not used to store setting data.

## 5-3. Basic Operation

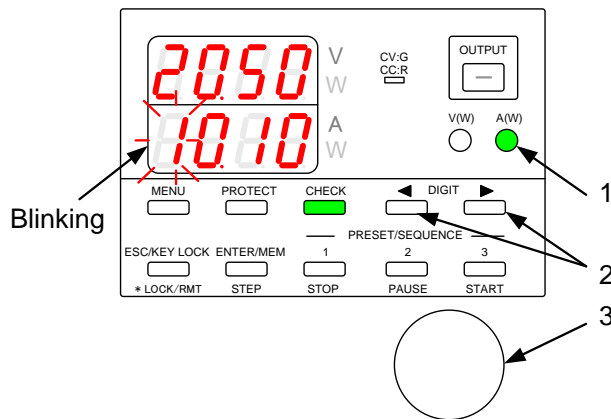
### 5-3-1. Voltage setting procedure



#### Operation procedure

1. Press the V key, which is then lit in green.  
One of the voltage setting digits starts blinking.  
Only the digit that is blinking can be modified.
2. Press one of the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ to move to another digit and make it blink.
3. Use the setting rotary encoder to set the voltage value.
4. Press the V key to exit the setting mode.

### 5-3-2. Current setting procedure

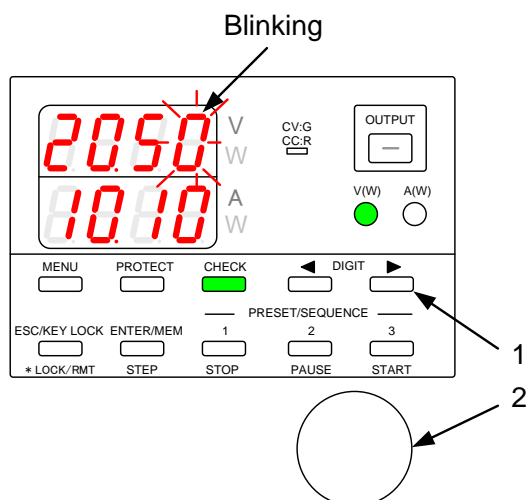


#### Operation procedure

1. Press the A key, which is then lit in green.  
One of the current setting digits starts blinking.  
Only the digit that is blinking can be modified.
2. Press one of the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ to move to another digit and make it blink.
3. Use the setting rotary encoder to set the current value.
4. Press the A key to exit the setting mode.

### 5-3-3. Fine adjustment of voltage/current

Function: Fine-adjusting the output voltage/current to a digit lower than the displayed digits.



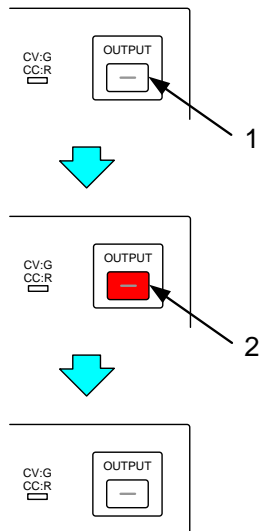
#### Operation procedure

1. Confirm that the rightmost digit is blinking, and press the DIGIT key ▶ to move the modifiable digit to the right.  
The rightmost digit stops blinking and then remains lit.
2. With the rightmost digit lit, turn the setting rotary encoder to adjust the voltage/current to one digit lower than the lowest displayed digit.

The digit lower than the displayed digit is not visible. You must connect an external device to confirm the actual output. Note that the amount of change made by one click of the rotary encoder might differ by model.

The setting accuracy in SPECIFICATIONS is not guaranteed for fine adjustment.

## 5-4. Output Functions



### Operation procedure

1. Press the unlit OUTPUT key, which is then lit in red. After this key is lit, voltage is output.
2. Press the red-lit OUTPUT key. The light goes out, and the voltage output is turned off.

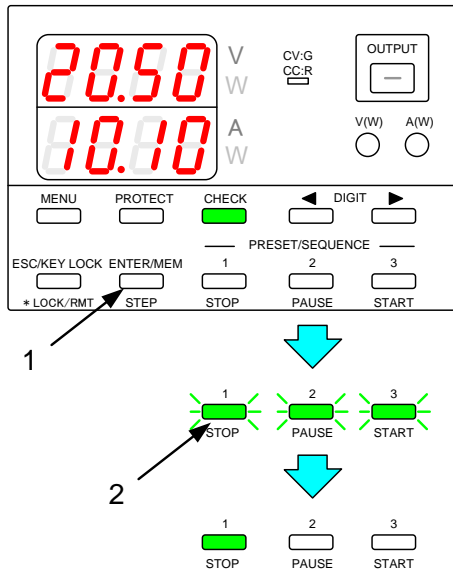


**Make sure the wires are connected to the output terminals before turning the output on.**

## 5-5. Memory Function

### 5-5-1. Storing and recalling preset voltage/current data

#### ● Storing preset data



#### Operation procedure

1. Set the voltage and current values, following the steps described in  
“5-3-1. Voltage setting procedure”  
“5-3-2. Current setting procedure”  
Press the ENTER/MEM key.

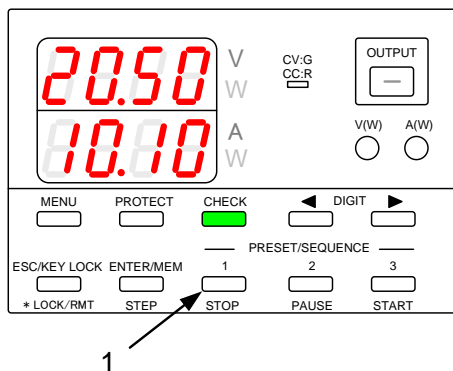
PRESET keys 1 to 3 all blink green.

2. Press the PRESET key (1, 2, or 3) where you want to store the set value.

The PRESET key you pressed lights in green.  
The voltage and current values are stored in the selected PRESET key.

※ To cancel storing the set values, press the ENTER/MEM key again while PRESET keys 1 to 3 are all blinking green.

#### ● Recalling preset data

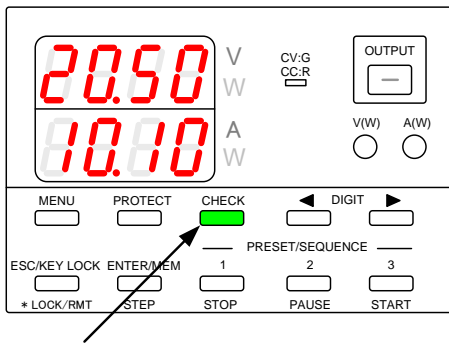


#### Operation procedure

1. Press a PRESET key (1, 2, or 3) to recall the voltage and current values stored in that key.

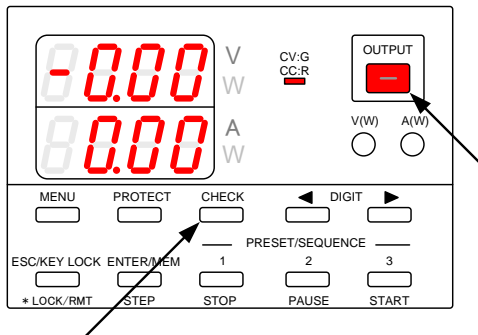
## 5-6. Switching the display in the Voltage/Current Indicator Display.

### 5-6-1. Switching between the set voltage/current display and output voltage/current display



#### Operation procedure

When the CHECK key is lit in green, the set voltage and current are displayed.



When the CHECK key is unlit, the output voltage and current are displayed.

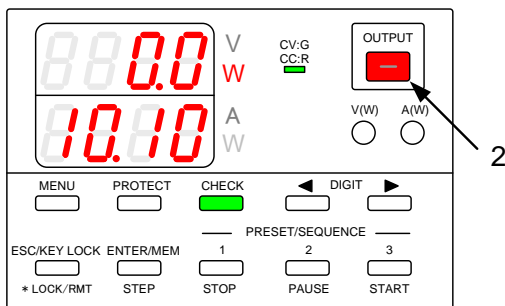
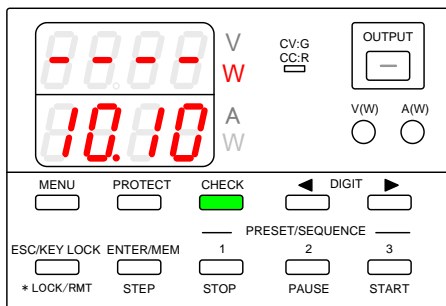
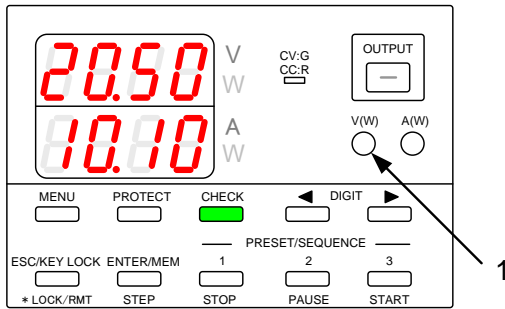
When the output is off, the CHECK key remains lit in green.

(No CHECK key operations can be performed.)

When the OUTPUT key is pressed and then lit in red (turning the output on), the CHECK key light goes out.

## 5-6-2. Displaying Power in the Voltage and Current Indicators

- Displaying output power in the voltage indicator:



### Operation procedure

1. When voltage is displayed, press and hold the V key to display the output power.

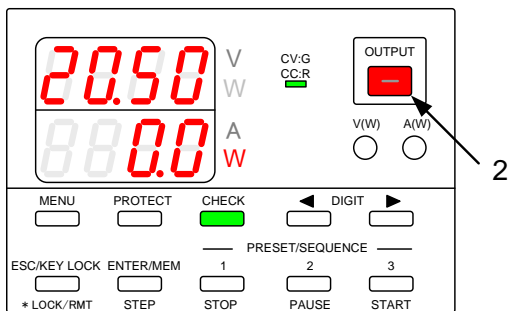
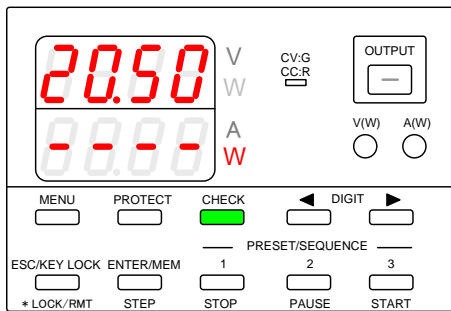
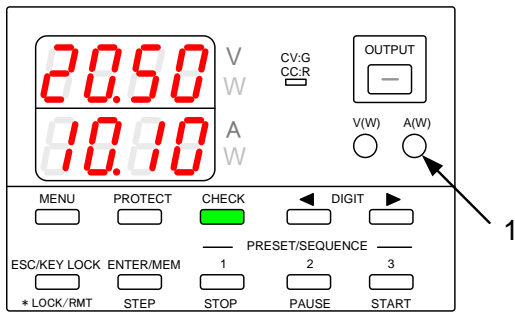
When the output is off, the output power is displayed as "----".

Press and hold the unlit V key to display the voltage again.

2. Press the OUTPUT key to display the output power.



● Displaying output power in the current indicator:



Operation procedure

1. When current is displayed, press and hold the A key to display the output power.

When the output is off, the output power is displayed as “----”.

Press and hold the unlit A key to display the current again.

2. Press the OUTPUT key to display the output power.

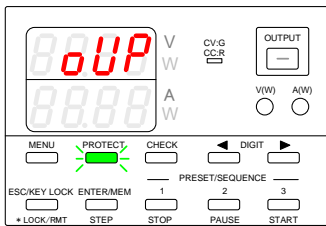
When the V and A keys are lit, the display cannot be switched to the output power display.

## 5-7. Protective Functions

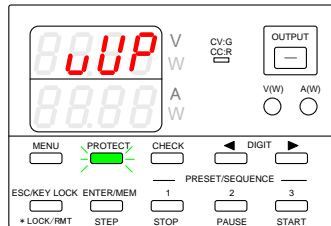
The PS-A power supply unit has 3 different protective functions (OVP, UVP, and OCP). Set the value for each of the protective functions to fit the intended use of the unit.

Function	Description
OVP	Turns the output off when the output voltage exceeds the set voltage for OVP.
UVP	Turns the output off when the output voltage falls below the set voltage for UVP.
OCP	Turns the output off when the output current exceeds the set current for OCP.
For the UVP and OCP functions, the software detects output voltage and current and turns the output off if needed.	

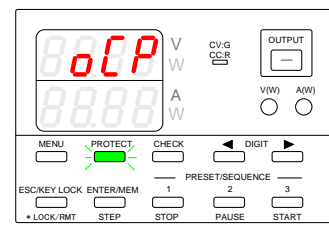
### 5-7-1. Display when protective functions are activated



OVP (Overvoltage protection)



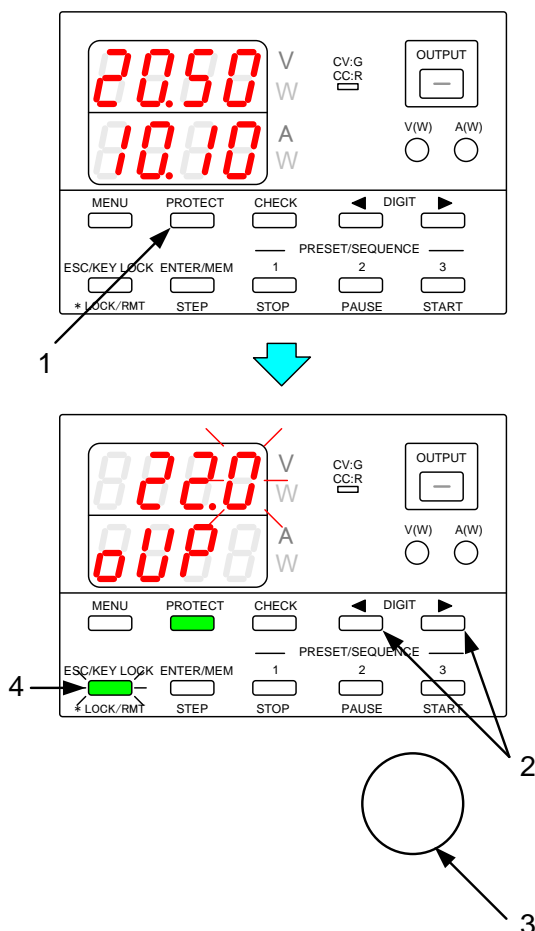
UVP (Undervoltage protection)



OCP (Overcurrent protection)

### 5-7-2. Modification of the Set Values of Protective Functions

When modifying the set value of a protective function, press the PROTECT key and select the protective function to be modified. Modify the set values by using the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ and the rotary encoder.



#### Operation procedure

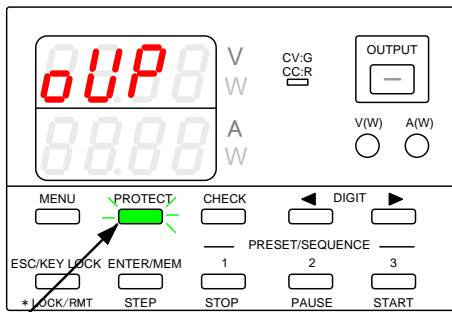
1. Press the PROTECT key, which is then lit in green. The protective function type is displayed in the current indicator, and the modifiable digit blinks in the voltage indicator.
2. Press the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ to select the digit to be modified. Only the digit that is blinking can be modified.
3. Use the rotary encoder to modify the set value.
4. After setting the protective function, press the blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to store the set value of the protective function.

Press the green-lit PROTECT key to change the display. The display changes in the following order: OVP setting → UVP setting → OCP setting.



### 5-7-3. Deactivating Protective Functions

When some protective functions are activated, it is displayed and the output is turned off.



#### Operation procedure

1. When the activated protection is displayed, press the PROTECT key, which is blinking green, to deactivate the protective function.

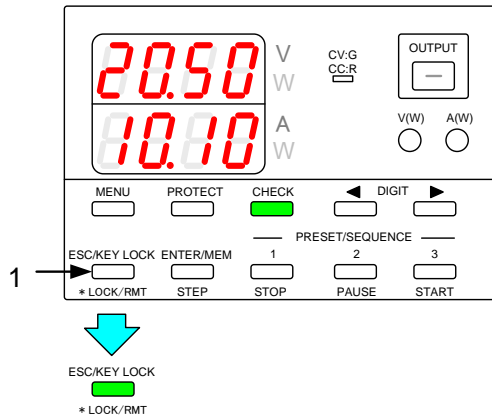
After deactivating the protective function, the unit can be operated while output is off.

## 5-8. Key Lock / Local Function

Status	Non-operational keys
KEY LOCK	All keys, excluding the ESC/KEY LOCK key, OUTPUT key (only when turning the output off), and the rotary encoder.
REMOTE	All keys, excluding the ESC/KEY LOCK key and rotary encoder.

### 5-8-1. Key lock and unlock procedures

#### ● Key lock procedure

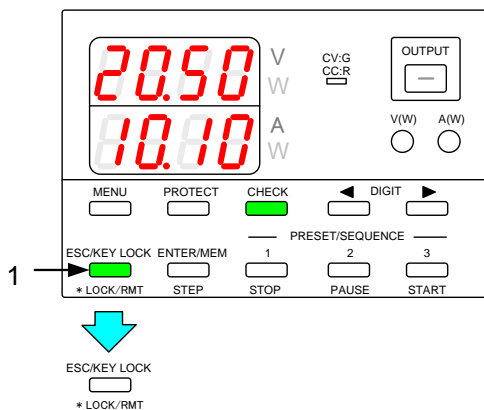


#### Operation procedure

1. When the MENU key and the PROTECT key are unlit, press and hold the ESC/KEY LOCK key, which is then lit in green.

This activates key lock. After key lock is activated, you cannot operate the keys and the rotary encoder.

#### ● Key unlock procedure



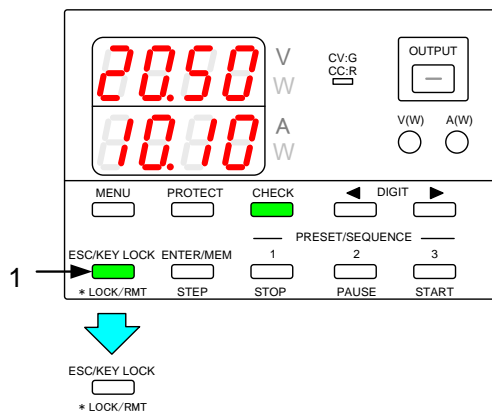
#### Operation procedure

2. Press and hold the green-lit ESC/KEY LOCK key. The light then goes out.

This deactivates key lock. After key lock is deactivated, you can operate the keys and the rotary encoder.

While key lock is activated, the output can be turned off. However, if the output is already off, it cannot be turned on.

### 5-8-2. Remote mode deactivation procedure



#### Operation procedure

When the unit is operated via external digital control, the ESC/KEY LOCK key is lit in green and the unit is remotely controlled.

When the unit is remotely controlled, you cannot operate the keys and the rotary encoder.

1. Press and hold the green-lit ESC/KEY LOCK key. The light then goes out.

This returns the unit to local mode. You can operate the keys and the rotary encoder after the unit returns to local mode.

Even if the unit is in local mode, it returns to remote mode when it is operated via external digital control.

## 6 SETTING WITH THE MENU KEY

- The following items can be set by using the MENU key:

Setting item	Explanation in the manual	Page
Setting the output HI-R function	<a href="#">6-1-1. Setting the output HI-R function</a>	29
Setting the output off timer	<a href="#">6-1-2. Output on/off operation while output HI-R function is activated</a>	30
Specifying the automatic cancellation time of the setting menu display	<a href="#">6-3. Specifying the automatic cancellation time of the setting menu display</a>	33
Confirming that output is off	<a href="#">9-2-6. Checking the status when the output is off</a>	73

- The following items can be set when turning on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key:

Setting item	Explanation in the manual	Page
Recalling preset values when the power is turned on	<a href="#">6-4-1. Recalling preset values when the power is turned on</a>	34
Setting the output when the power is turned on	<a href="#">6-4-2. Setting the output when the power is turned on</a>	35
Setting the CC priority mode	<a href="#">6-4-3. Setting the CC priority mode</a>	36
Setting the display while the output is off	<a href="#">6-4-4. Setting the display while the output is off</a>	39
Configuring the master and slave units	<a href="#">7-1-1. Configuring the master and slave units</a>	43
Setting sequence operation	<a href="#">8-1. Setting of Sequence Operation</a>	49
Address settings	<a href="#">11-1-4. Address settings</a>	78

- The following items can be set when turning on the power switch while pressing and holding the ENTER/MEM key:

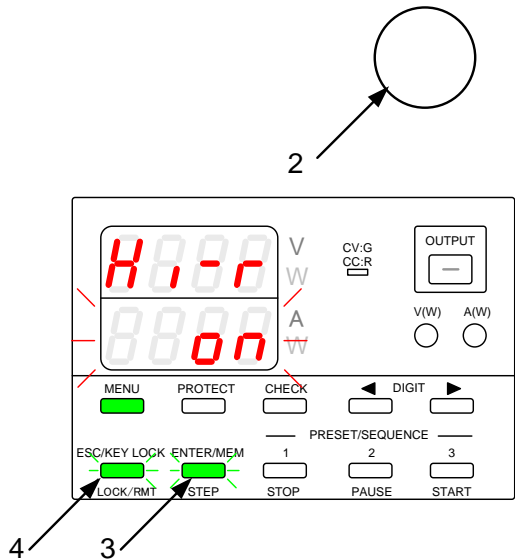
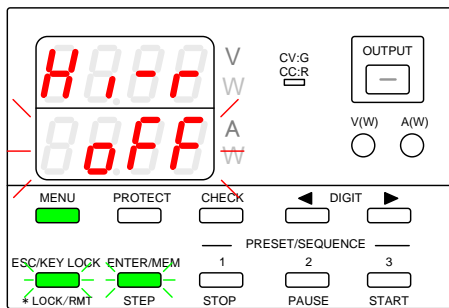
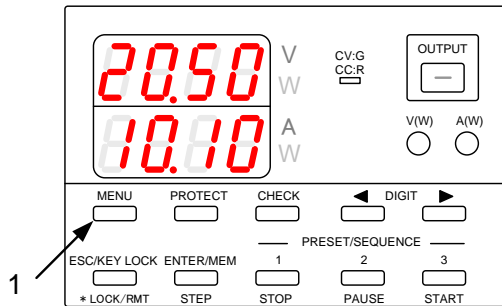
Setting item	Explanation in the manual	page
Memory clear	<a href="#">6-5. Clearing the Memory</a>	40

## 6-1. Output HI-R Function

The PS-A power supply unit is equipped with a discharge circuit for removing the electric charge from the output capacitor in order to maintain an output voltage of 0V while the output is off.

The discharge circuit for the output capacitor does not activate while the output HI-R function of the unit is "ON". Use the output HI-R function when the unit is employed as a power unit for charging batteries or for electroplating.

### 6-1-1. Setting the output HI-R function



#### Operation procedure

1. Press the MENU key while the output is off. The key is then lit in green.

The ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key then blink green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Turn the rotary encoder so that "ON" is displayed in the current indicator.



The discharge circuit is activated while the output is off (HI-R: OFF).



The discharge circuit is NOT activated while the output is on (HI-R: ON).

3. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

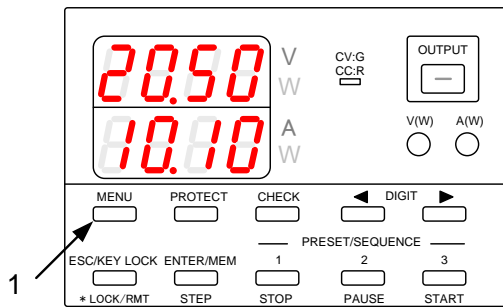
After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

4. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. Normal operation of the unit is then available.

## 6-1-2. Output on/off operation while output HI-R function is activated

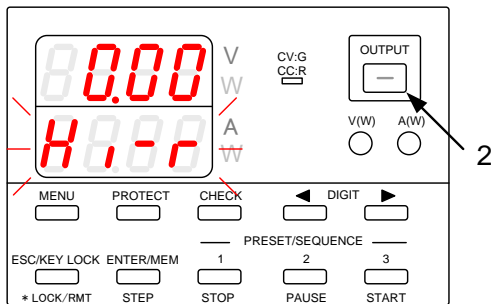
### Operation procedure

Set the output HI-R function of the unit to "ON".  
For details about how to set this function, see "Setting the output HI-R function" on the preceding page.



1. The discharge circuit does not activate if the MENU key is used to turn the HI-R function "ON" while the OUTPUT key is off.

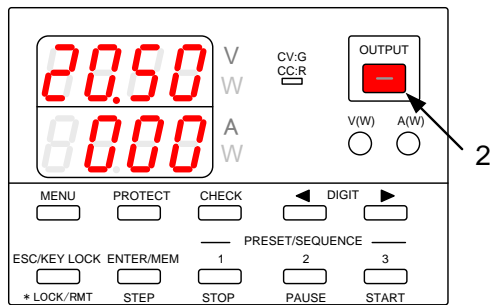
When the output HI-R function is "ON", the output current is displayed (blinking) as "Hi-r" in the current indicator.



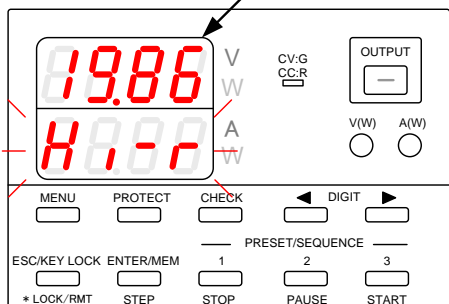
The voltage indicator displays the voltage of the output terminals.

2. If the OUTPUT key is turned on and then off, the electric charge of the output terminals will not be removed. The voltage is still applied to the terminals.

※ The internal impedance of the output circuit causes the electric charge to gradually decrease, thus causing the output voltage to also decrease.



The output voltage decreases.



When the output HI-R function is "ON", voltage is applied to the output for a long time. If a capacitive load is connected, voltage is applied for an even longer period of time.

If the output is turned off when the output HI-R function is "ON", be sure to use a voltmeter or check the voltage indicator to confirm that the output voltage of the unit has sufficiently fallen before touching the output terminals or loads.

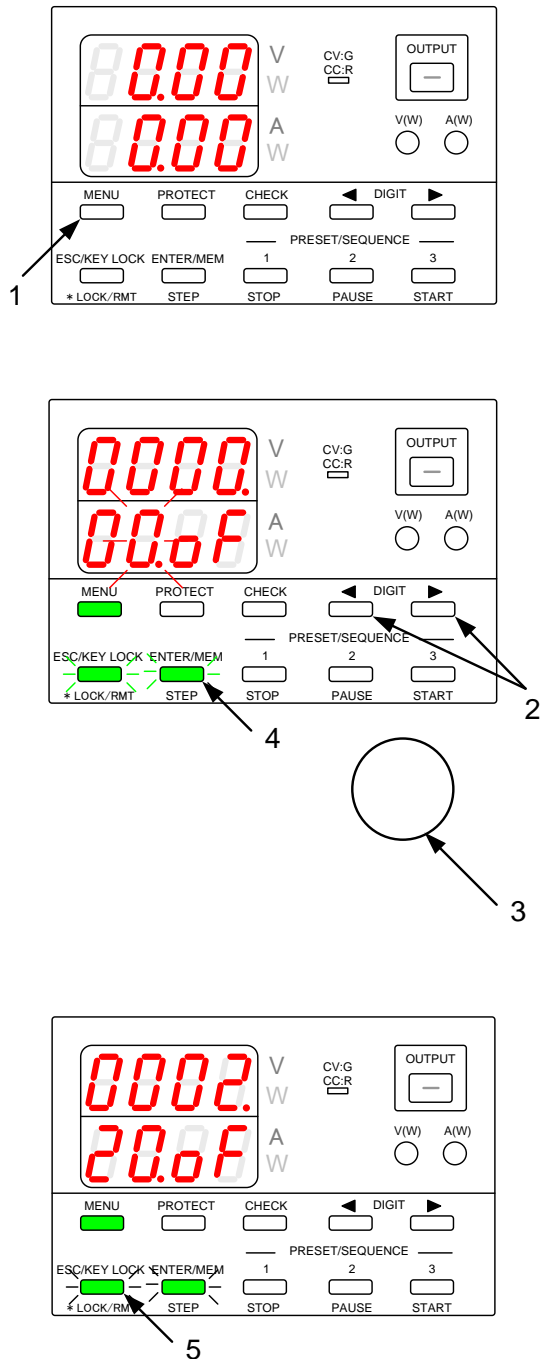


**CAUTION** Make sure the voltage of the output terminals of the unit has sufficiently fallen before touching the output terminals or loads. Failure to do so may result in electric shock.

## 6-2. Outout Off Timer

This function is used to automatically turn off the output after a preset amount of time has passed since the output was turned on.

### 6-2-1. Setting the output off timer



#### Operation procedure

1. Turn the output off, then repeatedly press the MENU key until the current indicator displays "\*\*.oF".

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

2. Press the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ to select the digit to be modified. Only the digit that is blinking can be modified.

Press the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ a few times to move the blinking digit from the voltage indicator to the current indicator.

3. Use the rotary encoder to specify the desired setting.

The hours are set in the voltage indicator, and the minute are defined in the current indicator. In the left figure, the output off timer is set for 2 hrs. and 20 min.

The timer range is from 1 min. to 1000 hrs. and 59 min, and can be adjusted in 1 min. increments. Specifying 0 min. for the timer deactivates the output off timer function.

4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

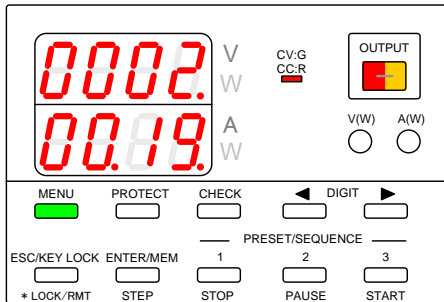
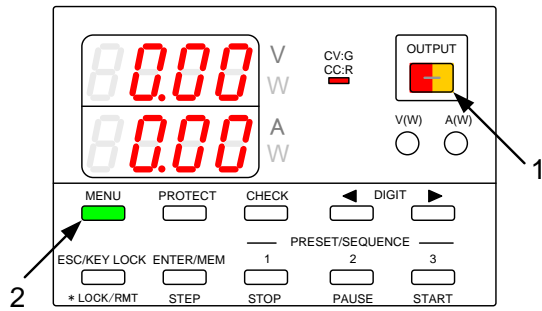
5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit.

Normal operation of the unit is then available.

This setting must be specified while the output is off.



## 6-2-2. Operating the output off timer



### Operation procedure

1. Press the OUTPUT key to turn the output on.

The CV/CC LED is lit in green when the output on status is CV, and red when it is CC.

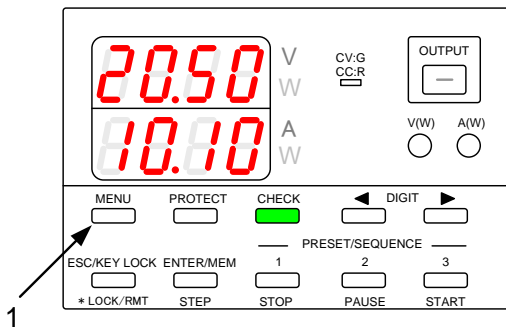
If the output off timer has been set for a certain amount of time, the OUTPUT key is alternately lit in red and amber.

2. Press the MENU key, which is then lit in green. This starts the countdown for the set time specified in "6-2-1. Setting the output off timer".

After the set time has passed, the OUTPUT key light goes out, and the output is turned off.

### 6-3. Specifying the automatic cancellation time of the setting menu display

Specifies the time to cancel the setting automatically after the PS-A unit has been left alone for a certain amount of time in each setting menu (voltage, current, OVP, UVP, and OCP).

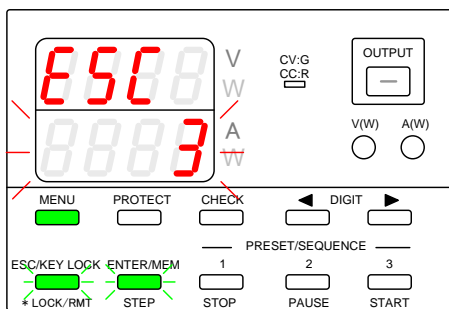


#### Operation procedure

1. Turn the output off, then repeatedly press the MENU key until "ESC" is displayed in the voltage indicator.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

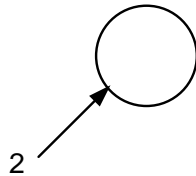
The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.



2. Turn the rotary encoder to set the display time, which is displayed in the current indicator.

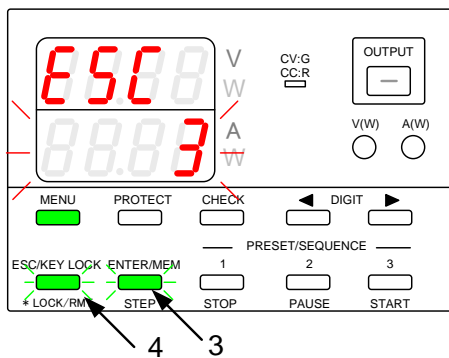
The display time range is from 0 min. to 10 min., and can be adjusted in 1 min. increments.

(If 0 min. is set for the display time, the setting display is not disabled automatically.)



3. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.



4. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit.

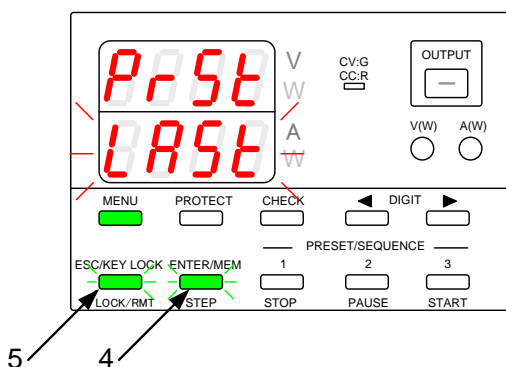
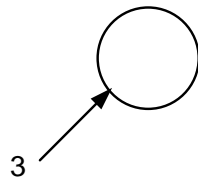
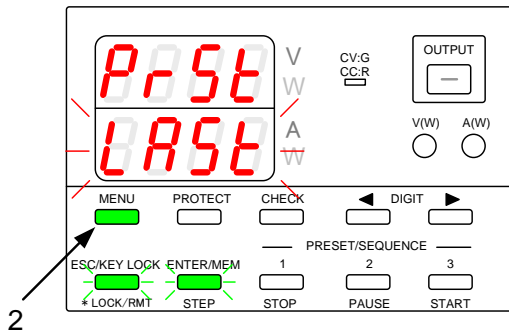
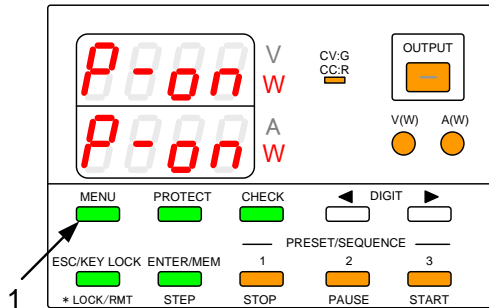
Normal operation of the unit is then available.

## 6-4. Specifying Settings when the Power Is Turned On

### 6-4-1. Recalling preset values when the power is turned on

The voltage and current values can be set when the power is turned on.

The voltage and current values that can be selected are the set values from when power was last turned off, and the data stored in PRESET keys 1, 2, and 3.



#### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until "PrSt" is displayed in the current indicator.
3. Turning the rotary encoder displays the following. Select the values you want to recall.



The set values from when the power last turned off.



The values stored in the PRESET 1 key.



The values stored in the PRESET 2 key.



The values stored in the PRESET 3 key.

4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

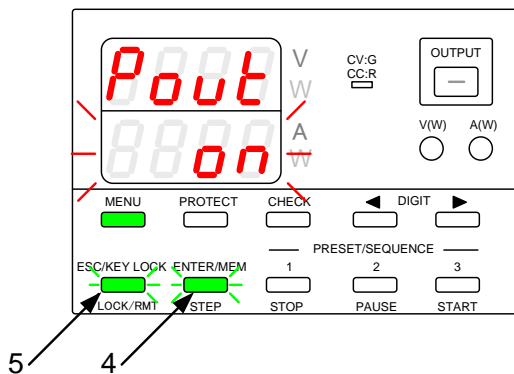
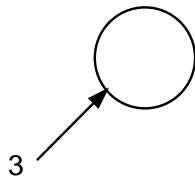
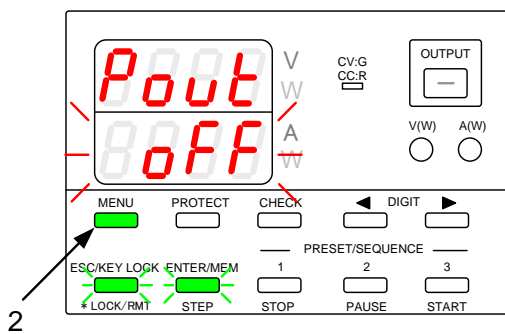
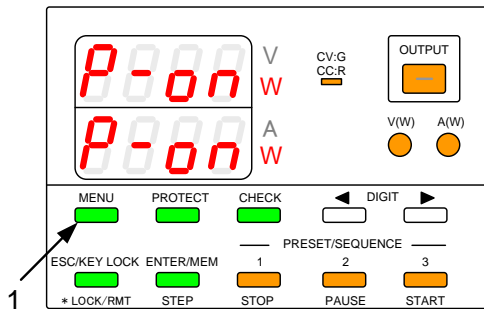
After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. Normal operation of the unit is then available.

Turn the power switch off and then back on to reflect the selected PRESET values.

## 6-4-2. Setting the output when the power is turned on

When the power is turned on, the PS-A power supply unit can turn the output on, without needing to push the OUTPUT key.



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### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

Release the MENU KEY when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until "Pout" is displayed in the voltage indicator.
3. Turning the rotary encoder displays the following in the current indicator. Select the desired setting.

off OUTPUT OFF

on OUTPUT ON

4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. Normal operation of the unit is then available.

Turn the power switch off and then back on to display the entered voltage and current.



**By specifying the above setting, the unit will start with the output on when the power is turned on. However, this may destroy loads if the wrong voltage or current have been set.**

**Be sure to confirm the set voltage and current values before turning the power off. If a standard board or IF-70PS has been installed, this setting can only be performed when the external output is on.**

### 6-4-3. Setting the CC priority mode

#### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

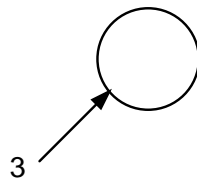
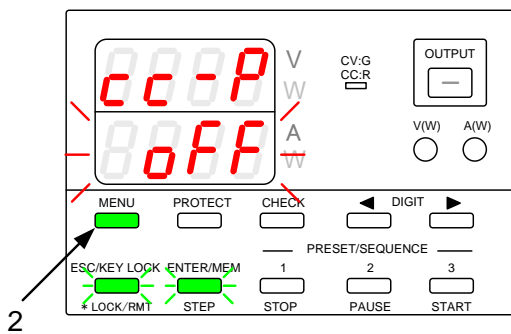
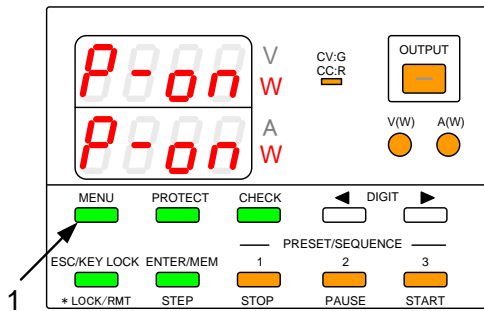
Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until " cc-P" is displayed in the current indicator.

3. Turning the rotary encoder displays the following in the current indicator. Select the desired setting.

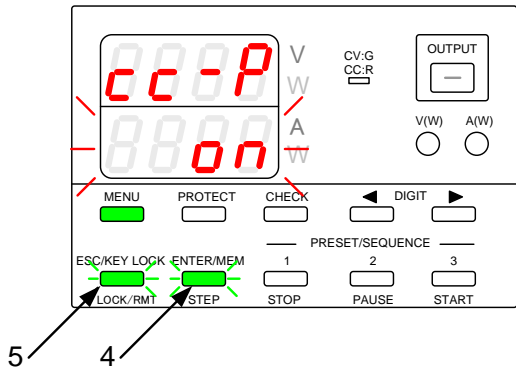


CC priority mode off  
(When the unit is operated with a load in CV mode while the output is on.)



CC priority mode on  
(When the unit is operated with a load in CC mode while the output is on.)





#### Operation procedure

4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM KEY to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

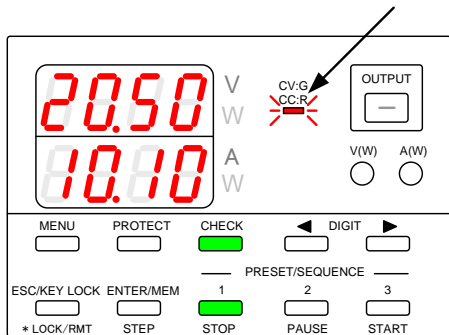
5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. Normal operation of the unit is then available.



Turn the power switch off and then back on to display the voltage and current that were entered.

If CC priority mode is off, the CV/CC LED remains unlit while the output is off.

If CC priority mode is on, the CV/CC LED blinks red while the output is off.

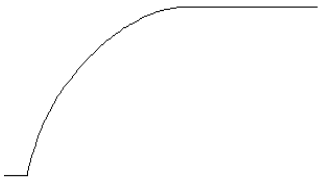
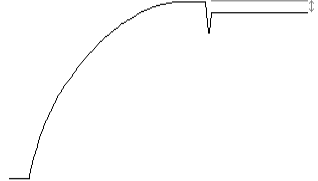
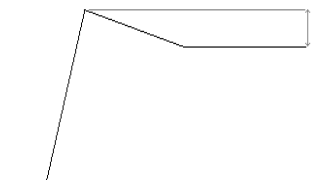
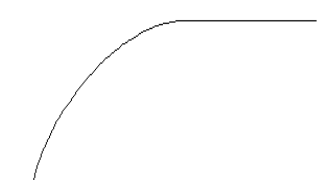


Turning the output on when CC priority mode is selected

The PS-A power series is a switching-type DC stabilized power supply unit. A switching-type CV/CC power supply unit consists of circuit in which transition from constant-voltage (CV) mode to constant-current (CC) mode, and vice versa, is slower than the CV/CC power supply unit of the CV series regulator type.

Because of the slow transition from constant-voltage (CV) mode to constant-current (CC) mode, and vice versa, voltage/current overshoot is generated in the switching-type CV/CC power supply unit when the output is turned on. If it is determined beforehand that the loads connected to the unit are controlled in CV mode or CC mode, the voltage/current overshoot generated while output is on can be eliminated by using CC priority mode.

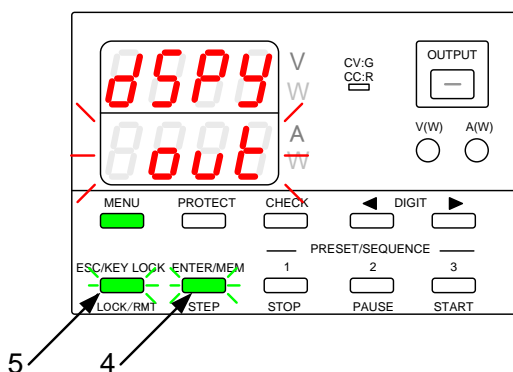
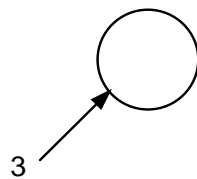
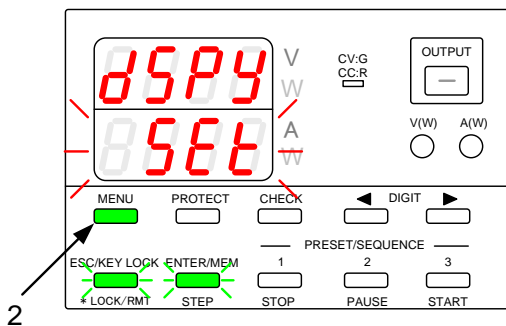
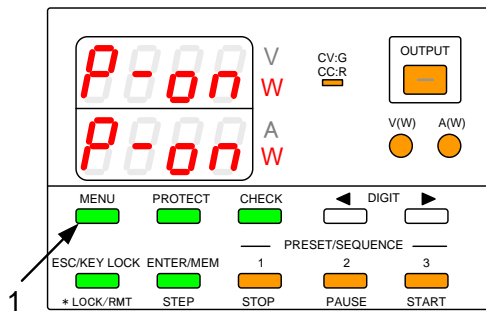
The following are the output voltage and current waveforms, according to the status of CC priority mode, while the output is on.

CC mode priority function	Output voltage waveform for when a load causes the unit to operate in CV mode	Output current waveform for when a load causes the unit to operate in CC mode
OFF	 <p data-bbox="592 925 986 987">Almost no overshoot in the output voltage.</p>	 <p data-bbox="1011 925 1406 1016">An overshoot of approx. 10% of the rated current is generated in the output current.</p>
ON	 <p data-bbox="592 1346 986 1408">An overshoot may be generated in the output voltage.</p>	 <p data-bbox="1011 1346 1406 1408">Almost no overshoot in the output current.</p>

The above voltage and current waveforms assume that the resistance is the load of this unit. If other loads are used for resistance, the voltage and current waveforms may differ from those shown above.

#### 6-4-4. Setting the display while the output is off

The voltage and current indicators can display either the set values or output values while the output is off.



#### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until "dSPY" is displayed in the voltage indicator.
3. Turning the rotary encoder displays the following in the current indicator. Select the desired setting.



Displays set values.



Displays output values.

4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM KEY to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. Normal operation of the unit is then available.

Turn the power switch off and then back on again to display the selected values

When the output HI-R function is on, the setting of this function is invalid. The voltage indicator displays the output voltage, and the current indicator displays "Hi-r" (blinking) when the output is off.

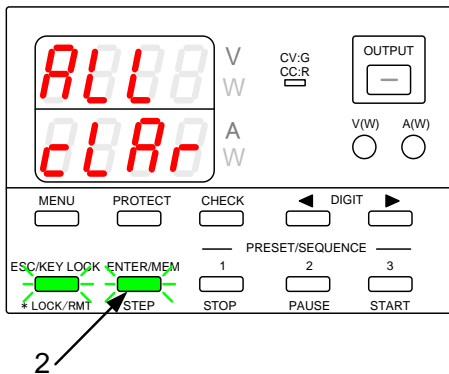
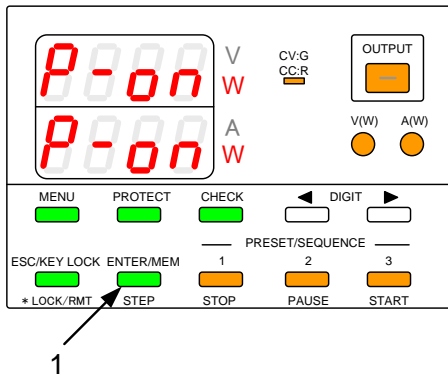


## 6-5. Clearing the Memory

There are 3 different ways to clear the data memory:

- (1) Clearing all the setting data stored in the unit, returning the settings to their factory defaults (factory reset).
- (2) Clearing the setting data for manual operation.
- (3) Clearing the setting data for sequence operation.

(1) Clearing all the setting data stored in the unit



### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the ENTER/MEM key.

Release the ENTER/MEM key when the panel is lit.

The ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key then start blinking green.

The type of memory to be cleared is displayed.

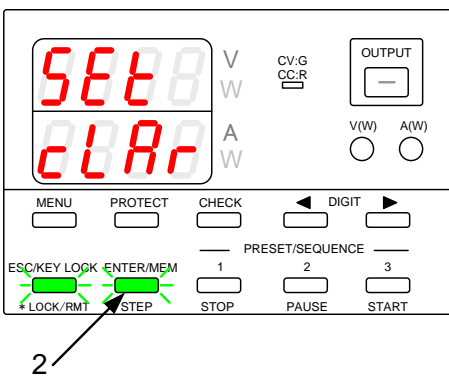
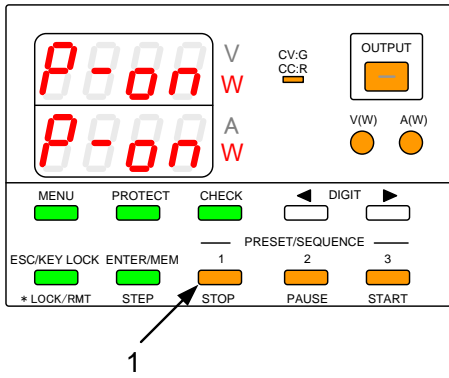
2. Press the ENTER/MEM key.

Pressing the ENTER/MEM key clears the memory.

Pressing the ESC/KEY LOCK key cancels the memory clear.

The message shown in the figure on the left is displayed. The unit is then restarted automatically.

(2) Clearing the setting data for manual operation



Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the PRESET 1 key.

Release the PRESET 1 key when the panel is lit.

The ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key then start blinking green.

The type of memory to be cleared is displayed.

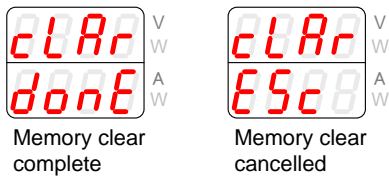
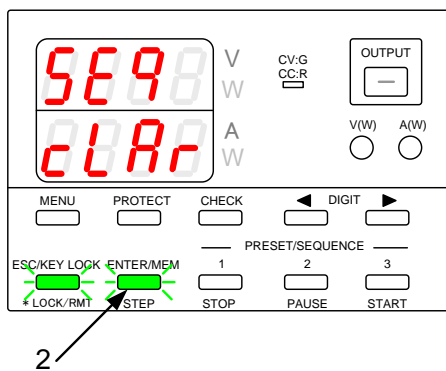
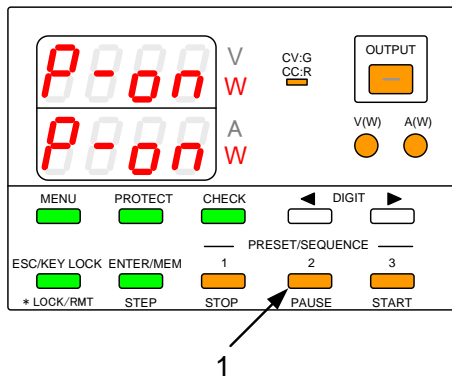
2. Press the ENTER/MEM key.

Pressing the ENTER/MEM key clears the memory.

Pressing the ESC/KEY LOCK key cancels the memory clear.

The message shown in the figure on the left is displayed. The unit is then restarted automatically.

(3) Clear the setting data of sequence operation



Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the PRESET 2 key.

Release the PRESET 2 key when the panel is lit.

The ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key then start blinking green.

The type of memory to be cleared is displayed.

2. Press the ENTER/MEM key.

Pressing the ENTER/MEM key clears the memory.

Pressing the ESC/KEY LOCK key cancels the memory clear.

The message shown in the figure on the left is displayed. The unit is then restarted automatically.

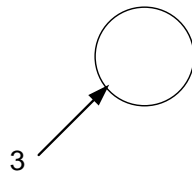
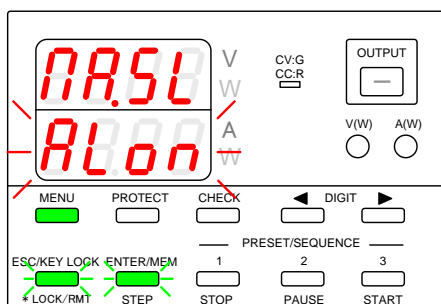
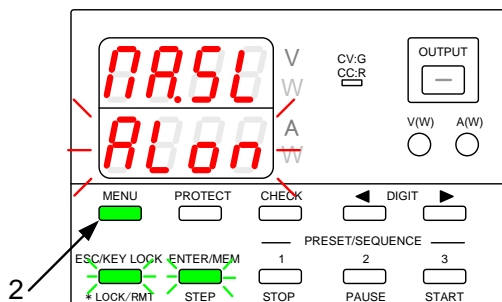
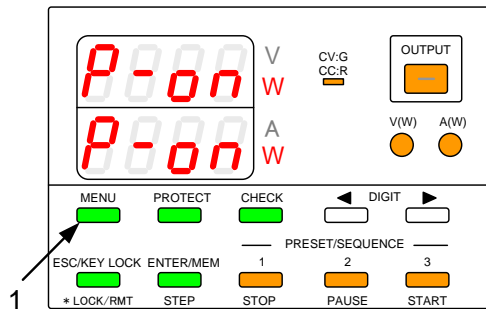
## 7 MASTER-SLAVE OPERATION

The PS-A power supply unit can be used for parallel master-slave operation and serial master-slave operation.

### 7-1. Configuration of Master and Slave Units

When used for parallel master-slave operation and serial master-slave operation, the unit must be configured to operate as a stand alone unit, serial master unit, serial slave unit, parallel master unit, or parallel slave unit.

#### 7-1-1. Configuring the master and slave units



#### Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until "NA.SL" is displayed in the voltage indicator.
3. Turn the rotary encoder to change the setting displayed in the current indicator.



Stand alone:

Not used for serial or parallel master-slave operation.

Serial master unit:



The unit is used as the master unit for serial master-slave operation.

Serial slave unit:



The unit is used as the slave unit for serial master-slave operation.

Parallel master unit: <sup>※1</sup>



The unit is used as the master unit for parallel master-slave operation.

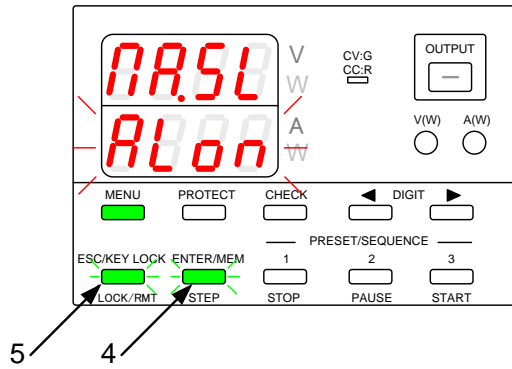
Parallel slave unit:



The unit is used as the slave unit for parallel master-slave operation.

<sup>※1</sup> The number of units must be specified when configuring the unit to be the parallel master unit.

◆ For details about the setting procedure, see the following section "7-1-2. Specifying the number of units".



#### Operation procedure

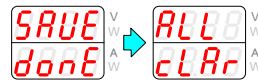
4. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

5. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. Normal operation of the unit is then available.



When the mode is changed, the following message is displayed:



Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to restart the unit.



When the unit is configured to be the serial or parallel slave unit, the display shown in the figure on the left appears.

When this display appears, turn off the power switch.

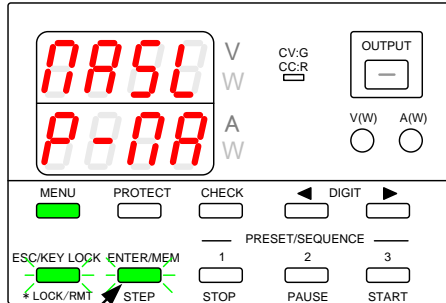
## 7-1-2. Specifying the number of units

Specify the number of units when configuring the unit to be the parallel master unit. If the number of units is incorrectly specified, the unit cannot be operated in parallel master-slave operation.

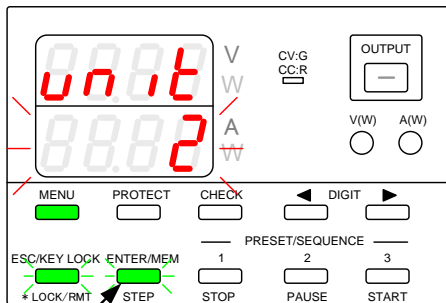
Unit number: 1 unit is equal to a rated output power of 400W.

An 800W model is equal to 2 units, and a 1200W model is equal to 3 units.

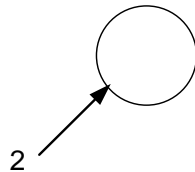
When using a 400W model and an 800W model in parallel master-slave operation, the total number of units must be 3.



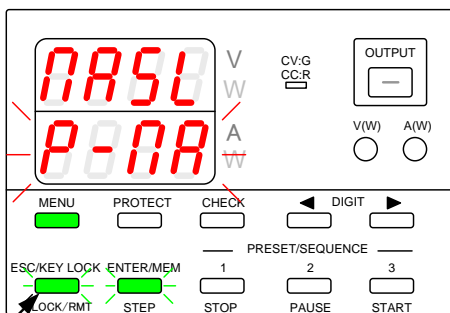
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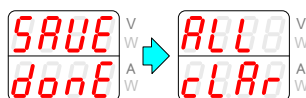
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### Operation procedure

Follow the steps in "7-1-1. Configuring the master and slave units" to configure the unit as the parallel master unit.

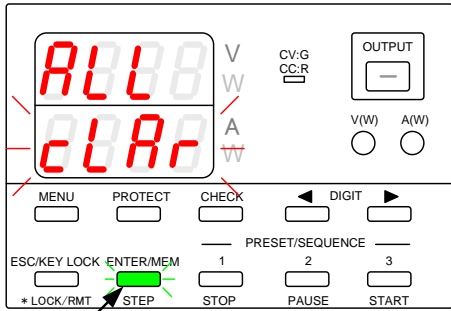
1. Press the ENTER/MEM key.
2. Turn the rotary encoder to specify the number of units (including the master unit) for parallel master-slave operation 2 to 6 units can be selected.
3. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

4. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key. The message shown in the figure on the left appears.

If the same number of units has already been specified for "P-NA", the following message is displayed. The unit then restarts.





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### Operation procedure

5. Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key.  
The message shown in the figure on the left appears, and then the unit restarts. All the settings, except for the communication address and master-slave operation settings, are cleared. Normal operation of the unit is then available.

If the specified number of units does not match the number that is internally read out by the unit, "SCAn" and "Err.N" are displayed.



Number of units detected

After configuring the unit to be the parallel master unit, turn off the power switch, and then connect the unit with the parallel slave unit(s).

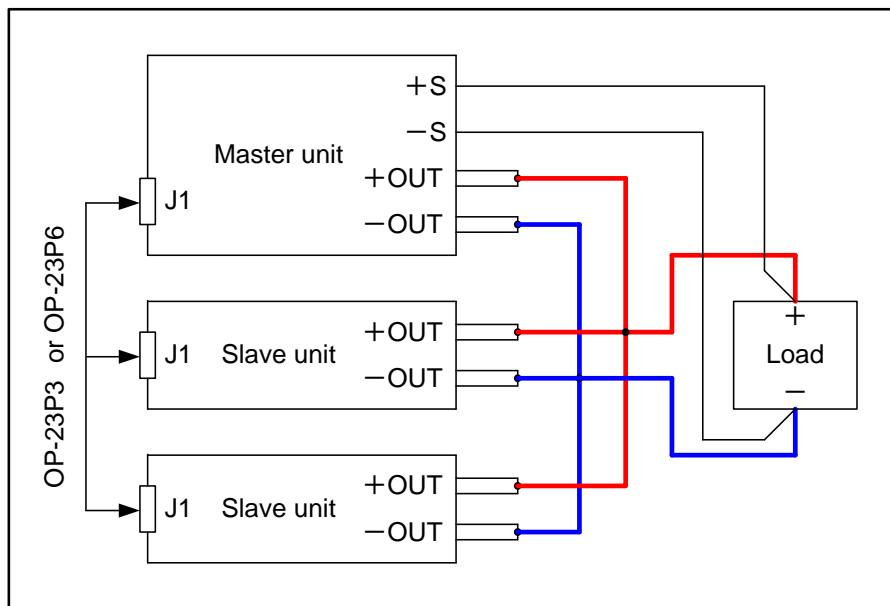
## 7-2. Parallel Master-Slave Operation

In PS-A power supply units, only models that have the same rated output voltage can be used for parallel master-slave operation. This means that models with different rated output power can be connected as long as they have the same rated output voltage. For example, a 400W model and a 1200W model can be used together for parallel master-slave operation. In parallel master-slave operation, the total rated power sum can be no more than 2400W.

However, the total rated power sum can be no more than 800W for models with a rated output voltage of 6V.

Do not connect models with different rated output voltage for parallel master-slave operation. Doing so may cause the unit to malfunction.

One PS-A power supply unit should be configured as the parallel master unit, and the other units as the parallel slave units.



- Connect OP-23P3 or OP-23P6 (optional) to the J1 connector, which is located on the rear panel. This is the connector used to connect the master unit to the slave units.
- When applying the voltage remote sensing function, use the voltage remote sensing terminal of the master unit



### Precautions for connecting the master unit and slave units:

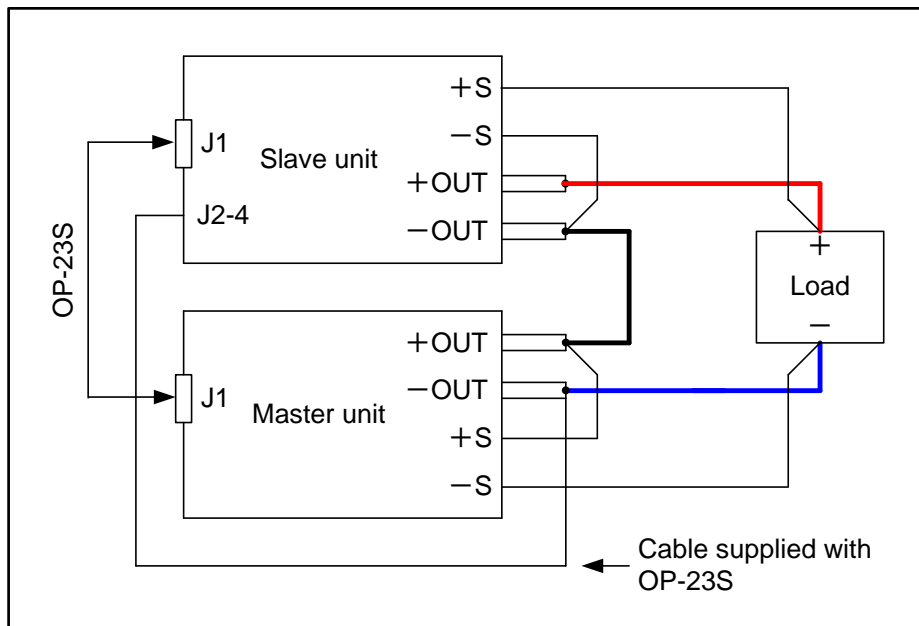
- **DO NOT use OP-23S.** This cable is used for serial master-slave operation. If the OP-23S cable is used, the control signals from slave units will become unstable and slave units may reach maximum output. This may cause the unit to malfunction or destroy the load.
- Use low-resistance cables to connect to the positive and negative output terminals of the master and slave units. If there is large potential difference between the output terminals of the master and slave units, particularly the negative terminals, there may be a difference between the actual current and the current displayed.



### 7-3. Serial Master-Slave Operation

In PS-A power supply units, only the same models can be used for serial master-slave operation. Do not use models with different rated current for serial master-slave operation, even if their output voltage is the same. Doing so may cause the unit to malfunction.

One unit should be configured as the serial master unit, and another unit as the slave unit.



1. Connect the positive output terminal of the master unit to the negative output terminal of the slave unit, and connect the negative output terminal of the master unit to the negative side of the load. Connect the positive output terminal of the slave unit to the positive side of the load.
2. Use OP-23S (optional) to connect the J1 connectors of the master and slave units.  
The J1 connectors are located on the rear panels.
3. Use the cable supplied with OP-23S to connect pin No.4 for the J2 connector of the slave unit to the negative output terminal of the master unit. The J2 connector is located on the rear panel.
4. When applying the voltage remote sensing function, use the voltage remote sensing terminals on the master and slave units.



#### Precautions for connecting the master unit and slave units:

- **DO NOT use OP-23P3 or OP-23P6.** These cables are used for parallel master-slave operation.  
If OP-23P3 or OP-23P6 is used, the positive and negative outputs of the master slave will short-circuit. This may cause the unit to malfunction.
- If 2 PS-A power supply units are connected as shown in illustration above, the 2 units will perform serial master-slave operation, even if the master unit is set for stand-alone. In this situation, double the amount set voltage will be output from the units. This may cause an accident or destroy the load. Be sure to configure the master unit as the serial master unit.

## 8 SEQUENCE OPERATION

The PS-A power supply unit itself cannot set sequence programs.

To set sequence programs, mount the optional digital IF board (IF-70GU or IF-71RS) and set the sequence programs in the unit via a personal computer, etc.

After setting the sequence programs, the programs can be executed without using the digital IF board.

Sequence programs can be executed in both parallel and serial master-slave operation.

If the master-slave setting is modified, the settings for sequence programs stored in the unit will be cleared.

◆ See “7-1-1. Configuring the master and slave units”.

During sequence operation, the voltage/current setting function, preset functions, and the output off timer are not available. In addition, the output cannot be turned on via the OUTPUT key.

### 8-1. Setting of Sequence Operation

#### 8-1-1. Turning on the power switch with sequence operation

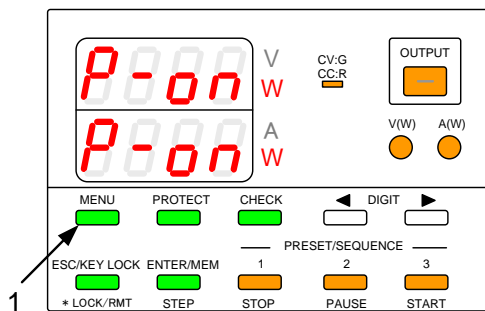
Following the steps in “8-1-2. Setting the unit to start in sequence operation by turning the power switch on” enables sequence operation after turning on the power switch. When the unit is set for manual operation, turn on the power switch while pressing the PRESET 3 key.

#### 8-1-2. Setting the unit to start in sequence operation by turning the power switch on

Setting the unit to operate in sequence mode when the power switch is turned on.

Operation procedure

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

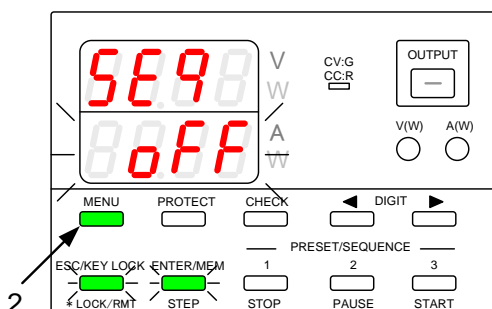


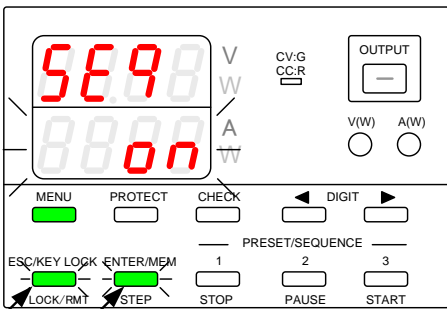
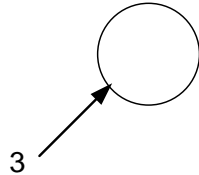
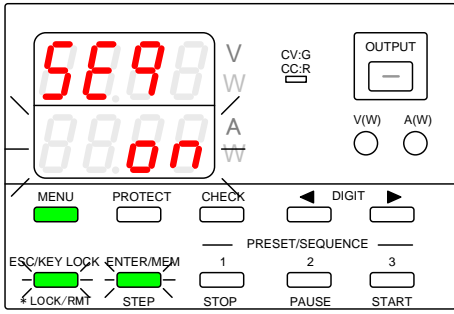
Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and the ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

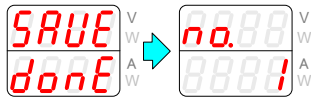
2. Repeatedly press the MENU key until "SEq" is displayed in the voltage indicator.





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### Operation procedure

- Turn the rotary encoder to display "on" in the current indicator.



- Press the green-blinking ENTER/MEM key to enter the setting.

After the setting is entered, the current indicator stops blinking, remains lit for a short while, and then starts blinking again.

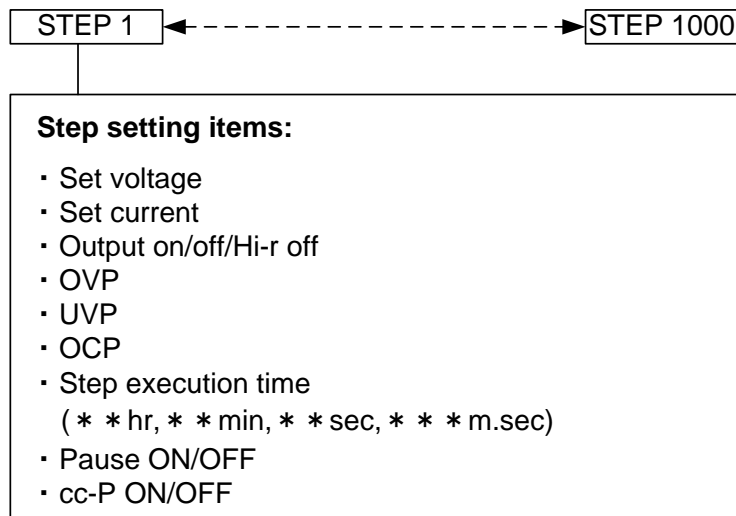
- Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK. The message shown in the figure on the left appears. The display then exits setting mode and switches to sequence mode.

## 8-2. Sequence Programs

A sequence program consists of the settings for each step, and the step execution settings.

### 8-2-1. Step No. and setting items

There are 1000 steps. The following items must be specified for each step.

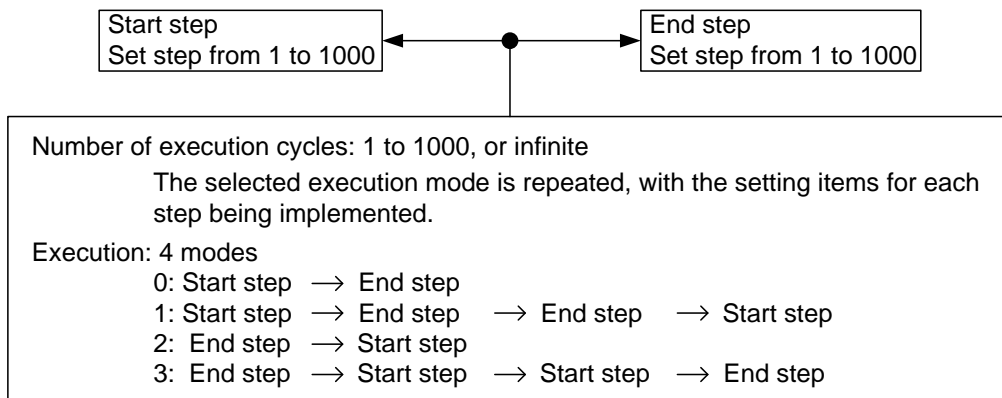


### 8-2-2. Setting step execution

The step execution range is from "start step" to "end step".

The number of execution cycles can be from 1 to 1000, or infinite.

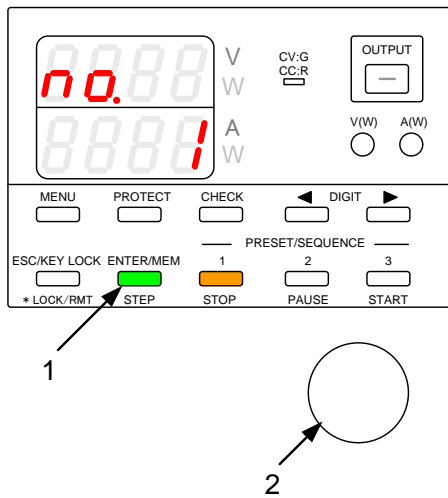
There are four execution modes available. Select the desired mode.



### 8-3. Confirming the Step No. and the Step Being Executed

The step No. and step being executed can be confirmed while the STEP LED is lit in green.

#### 8-3-1. Confirming the step No. while the sequence program is stopped



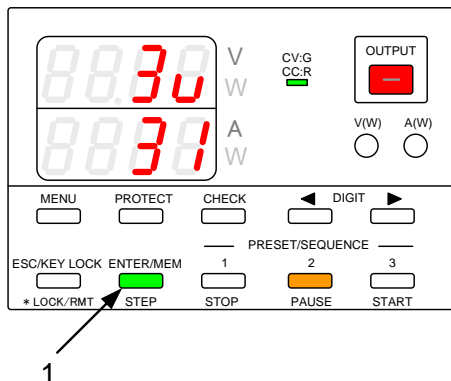
#### Operation procedure

1. Press the STEP key when the STOP key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped). The STEP key is then lit in green.

The voltage indicator displays "no".  
The current indicator displays the step No.

2. Turn the rotary encoder to change the step No. Only the step numbers from start step to end step are displayed.

#### 8-3-2. Confirming the step No. being executed during sequence program execution



#### Operation procedure

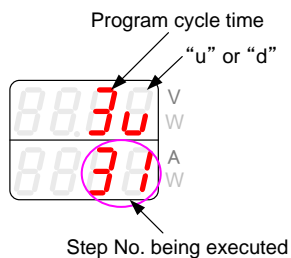
1. Press the STEP key while the PAUSE key or START key is lit in amber (while a sequence program is being executed). The STEP key is then lit in green.


The voltage indicator displays the number of executed program cycles, and the direction in which the program is being executed.  
The current indicator displays the step No. being executed.


The figure on the left indicates that the program is in the 3<sup>rd</sup> execution cycle, from the start step to the end step, and that step 31 is being executed.

The maximum number of execution cycles for a sequence program is "999".

The 1000<sup>th</sup> cycle is displayed as "0".

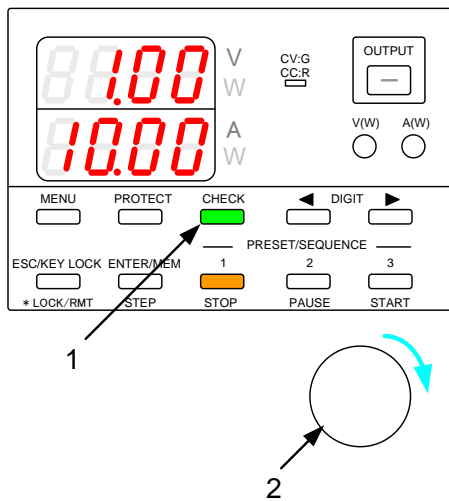


 Step execution direction  
Start step → End step

 Step execution direction  
End step → Start step

## 8-4. Confirming the Setting Items for Steps

You can confirm the step setting items.



### Operation procedure

1. Press the CHECK key, which is then lit in green.

The voltage and current indicators display the step setting items.

2. While the STOP key or PAUSE key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped or paused), turn the rotary encoder clockwise 1 click to switch between the different step setting items. The setting items are displayed in the voltage and current indicators.

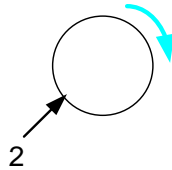
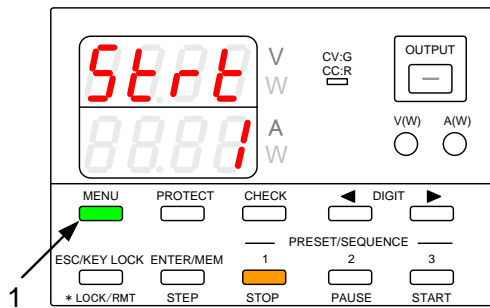
See the table below for details about the step setting items.

Voltage indicator	Current Indicator	Setting item	Remarks
Set voltage	Set current	Voltage/current	
Out	on	OUTPUT	When the output HI-R function is on, the output is set to off.
	oFF		
	Hi-r		
Set OVP	oVP	OVP value	
Set UVP	uVP	UVP value	
Set OCP	oCP	OCP value	
H	n	Execution time (hr, min)	The execution time can be set to the m sec. However, the set time is rounded up to 10m sec. when applying setting items.
Sec.	m sec.	Execution time (sec, m sec)	If the execution time is 0 hr 0 min 0 sec 0m sec, the step is skipped and the setting items are not executed.
PAuS	oFF	PAUSE	If the pause setting is on, the sequence program will pause when the step is finished.
cc-P	on/oFF	CC priority output setting	

While a sequence program is being executed automatically (while the START LED is lit in amber), only the set voltage and current can be confirmed. The other step setting items cannot be confirmed.

## 8-5. Confirming the settings for sequence program execution

The setting items for sequence program execution can be confirmed while the MENU key is lit in green.



### Operation procedure

1. Press the MENU key, which is then lit in green.

The voltage and current indicators display the setting items for sequence program execution.

2. While the STOP key or PAUSE key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped or paused), turn the rotary encoder clockwise 1 click to switch between the setting items for sequence program execution. The setting items are displayed in the voltage and current indicators.

See the table below for details about the setting items for sequence program execution.

Voltage indicator	Current indicator	Setting item for sequence program execution	Remarks
StAt	STEP No.	START STEP	
End	STEP No.	END STEP	
cycL	Number of execution cycles	Number of execution cycles	The number of execution cycles that can be displayed is 1 to 1000. "InF" indicates an infinite number of execution cycles.
ΠodE	Execution mode	Execution mode	The execution modes are as follows: 0: START STEP→END STEP 1: START STEP→END STEP→END STEP →START STEP 2: END STEP→START STEP 3: END STEP→START STEP→START STEP →END STEP

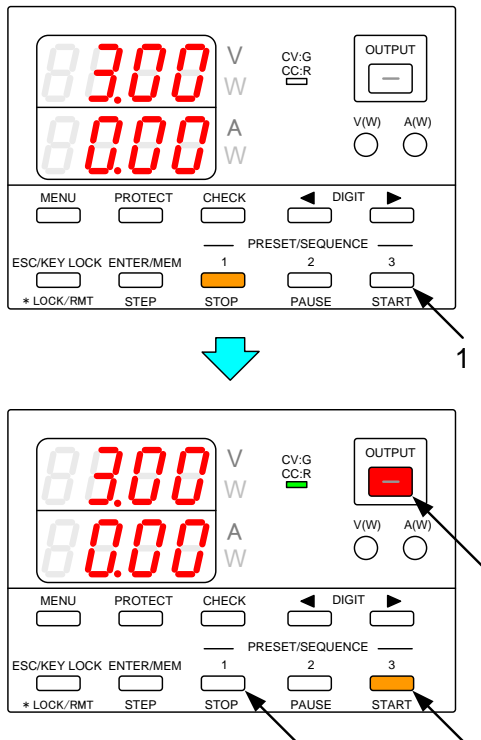
When a sequence program is being executed automatically (while the START LED is lit in amber), only the execution time of the step being executed can be confirmed. The other setting items cannot be confirmed. The voltage indicator displays the hour, and the current indicator displays the minutes and seconds.

## 8-6. Executing Sequence Programs

The START, PAUSE, STOP, and OUTPUT keys are used to execute sequence programs.

### 8-6-1. Automatic execution of sequence programs

A sequence program can be set to execute automatically from the first step of the program.



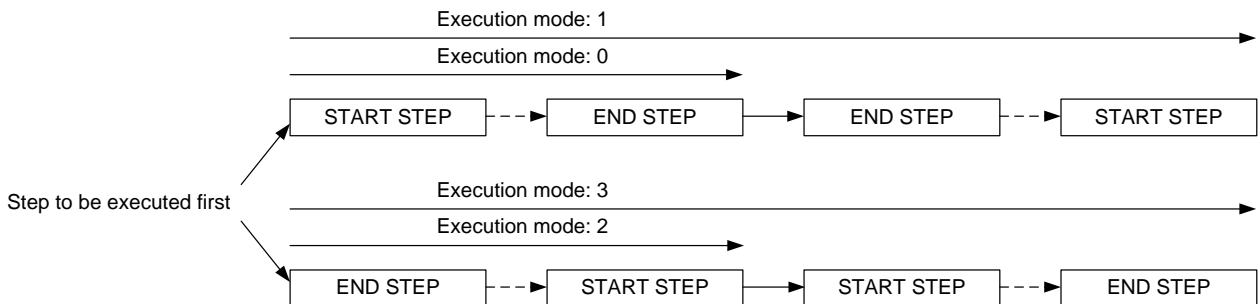
#### Operation procedure

1. While the STOP key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped), press the START key. The START key is then lit in amber.

When a sequence program is set to execute automatically, the voltage and current indicators display the output values.

When a sequence program is executed automatically, the step to be executed first varies according to the execution mode that has been selected.

◆ See the figure below for details.

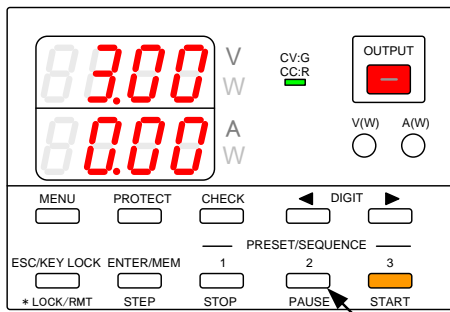


Automatic execution cannot start from a step that is in the middle of the sequence program.

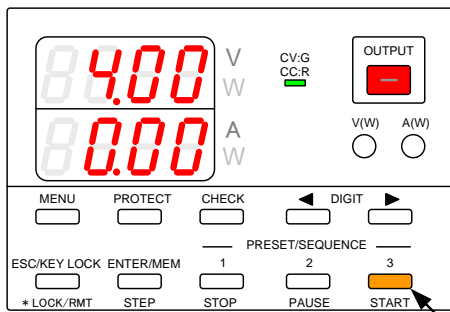


## 8-6-2. Paused and resumed sequence programs

A sequence program can be paused and resumed.



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### Operation procedure

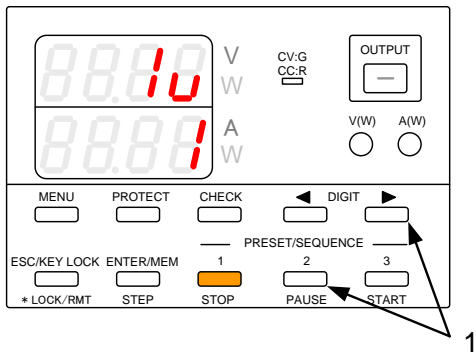
1. While the START key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is being executed automatically), press the PAUSE key. The PAUSE key then is lit in amber, and the sequence program is paused.
2. While the sequence program is paused, press the START key to resume automatic execution of the program (the START key is then lit in amber again).

The step resumes from the time where it stopped when the PAUSE key was pressed in operation procedure 1.

While a sequence program is paused, only the step execution time is paused. The other step setting items continue being executed. If the output is set to be on for the step being executed, the unit output will be on.

### 8-6-3. Manual execution of sequence programs

The PAUSE key and DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ are used to manually execute sequence programs.



#### Operation procedure

1. While the STOP key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped), press the PAUSE key or DIGIT key ▶ to pause the sequence program at the first step (if the PAUSE key is pressed, it is then lit in amber).

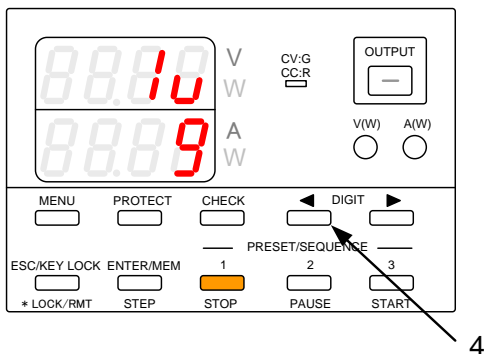
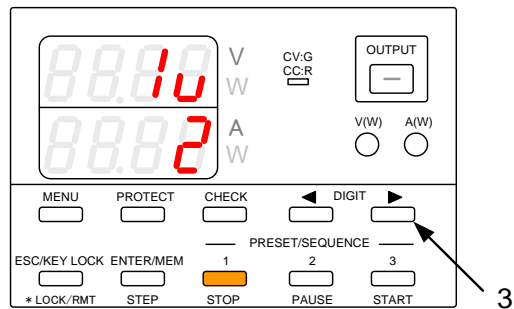
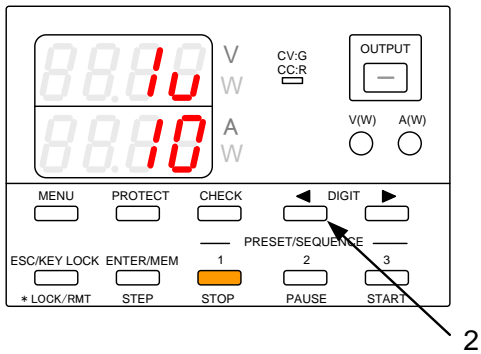
See next page for details about the steps to be executed.

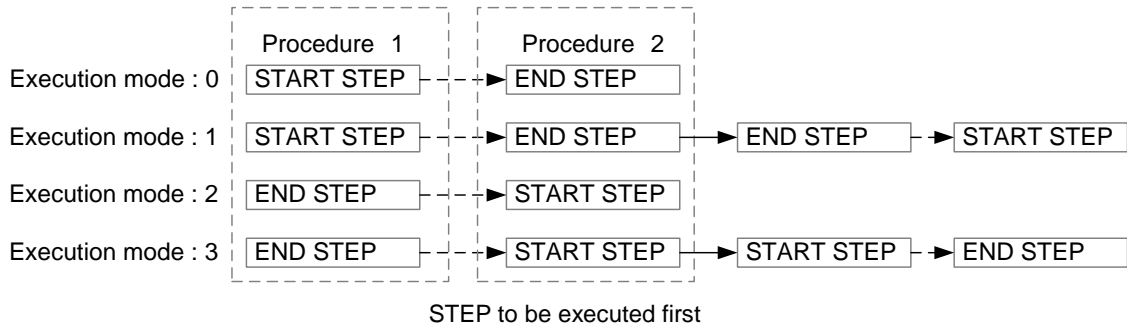
2. While the STOP key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is stopped), press the DIGIT key ◀ to pause the sequence at the last step.

See next page for details about the steps to be executed.

3. Press the DIGIT key ▶ to pause the program at the next step.

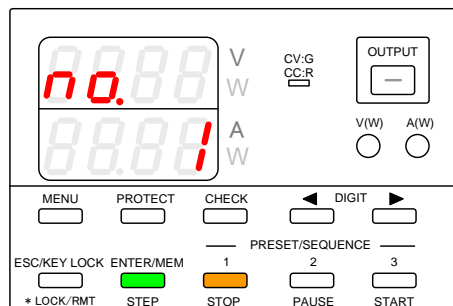
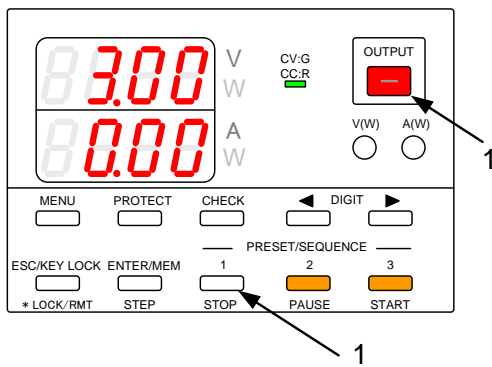
4. Press the DIGIT key ◀ to pause the program at the previous step.





When the DIGIT keys ◀ ▶ are pressed to move to the next step or back to the previous step, if the execution time of the step to be executed next is 0 hr 0 min 0 sec 0 m.sec, the step will not be executed. The following step will be executed.

## 8-6-4. Stopping sequence programs



### Operation procedure

1. To stop the sequence program, press the STOP key while the START key is lit in amber (while the sequence program is being executed automatically) or while the PAUSE key is blinking amber (while the execution time of the sequence program step is paused).

When the sequence program is stopped, the voltage and current indicator display the step No. that was being executed.

Both the STOP key and OUTPUT key can be used to stop the sequence program.

When a sequence program is stopped, the output will be turned off, even if the output is set to be on for the stopped step.

If a sequence program is stopped, it cannot be restarted from the stopped step.

## 9 OPERATION BY EXTERNAL ANALOG SIGNAL

The PS-A series unit can be operated by using an analog signal from an external device.

Replace the interface board according to the type of operation signal used.

The following IF boards can be used with the PS-A power supply unit:

- **Standard board** :Used when the PS-A power supply unit is operated by using an analog signal from an external device.  
This IF board is installed in the unit as standard.
- **IF-70PS** : Used when the PS-A power supply unit is operated by using an analog signal from an external device.  
The IF-70PS connector is compatible with the external-operation analog signal connector of the PS power supply unit (except for certain functions).  
Use the IF-70PS board when a PS-A power supply unit is used in place of the PS power supply unit.  
The IF-70PS is an optional interface board.

### 9-1. Analog Interface Boards

The following operations can be performed by using the standard board or IF-70PS (hereinafter these two types of interface boards are referred to as “analog IF boards”) that has been installed in the PS-A power supply unit:

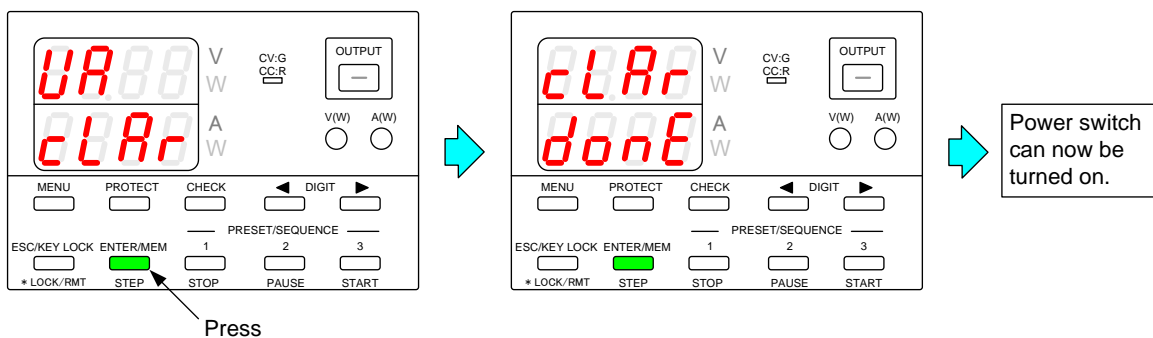
- Turn the output on/off and the main relay on/off through external contacts.
- Change set voltage and current by external voltage or external resistance.
- Output various status signals (alarm, CV, CC, and protection).

#### 9-1-1. Cautions on applying analog IF boards

Be sure to observe the following points when using and installing an analog IF board in the unit.

- When using an external analog signal to operate the unit, the outer contact, voltage, and resistance applied for the operation must be float-mounted.  
If the outer contact, voltage, and resistance are not float-mounted, the unit's output may short-circuit. This may cause the unit to malfunction.
- The SW 1 (switch 1) of the analog IF board is read out when the power switch of the unit is turned on.  
Be sure to turn off the power switch before specifying the settings for SW 1.  
Specifying settings for SW 1 while the power switch is on may cause the unit to malfunction.
- The set voltage/current value represents the externally set voltage/current value, which is superimposed by the internally set voltage/current value. When the power switch is turned on and the status of the analog IF board is read out, if it is detected that the dip switch setting has been modified or that the analog IF board has been replaced, all the set current and voltage values will be 0V and 0A, including the set voltage and current values stored in PRESET 1 to 3. This is done to prevent the set voltage and current from reaching values that may put the load at risk.

When the power switch is turned on and "VA cLAr" appears in the voltage and current indicator displays, as shown in the figure below, press the blinking MEM/ENTER key. The message “cLAr donE” appears in the indicator, and it is now possible to turn the power switch on or off.



### 9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board

See the figure below for details about how to wire an analog signal to the standard board, and how to select the logic and different functions.

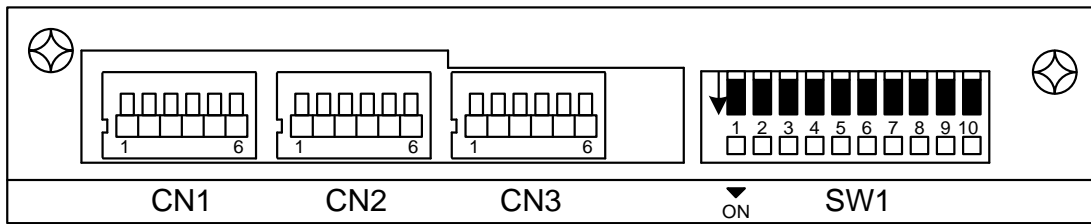
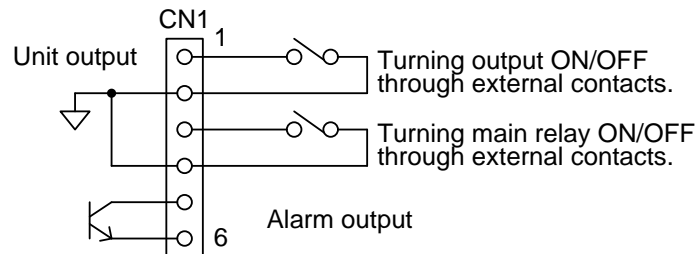


Fig. 9-1. Standard Board Connector and Dip Switch

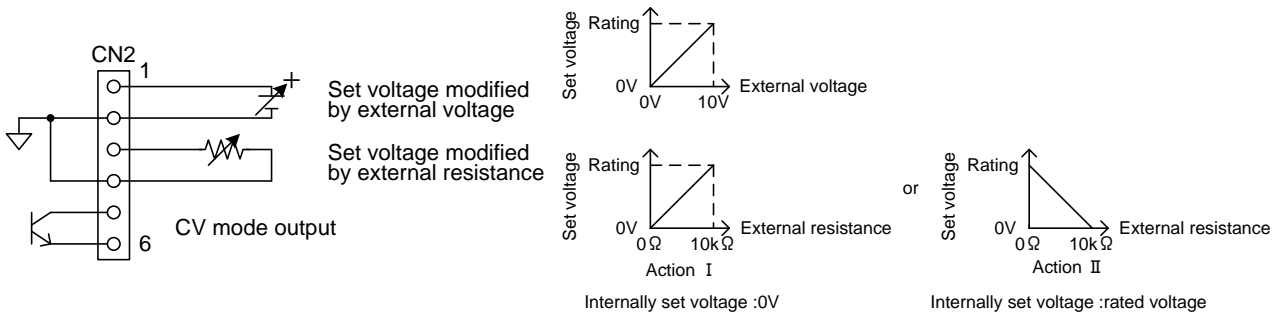
While the unit is in operation, connect the applicable outer contact, voltage, and resistance to the negative output of the unit.

Note that the outer contact, voltage, and resistance must be float-mounted.

The photo-coupler, which is used to output alarms and the status of CV mode and CC mode, must be used at a current of 5mA or lower when it is on, and at a voltage of 10V or lower when it is off.

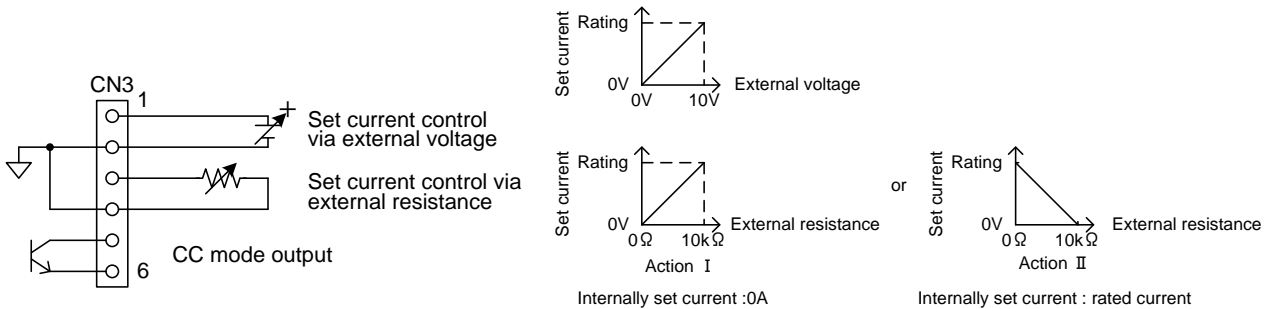


Function	Connection terminal	SW1		Action
		Pin No. of SW1	Position	
Main relay on/off	Pin No.3 to 4 of CN1	Pin No.1 of SW1	OFF	Close circuit: Main relay off Open circuit: Main relay on
			ON	Close circuit: Main relay on Open circuit: Main relay off
Output on/off	Pin No.1 to 2 of CN1	Pin No.2 of SW1	OFF	Close circuit: Output off Open circuit: Output on
			ON	Close circuit: Output on Open circuit: Output off
Alarm output	Pin No.5 to 6 of CN1	Pin No.3 of SW1	OFF	Photo-coupler on when status is alarm Photo-coupler off when status is normal
			ON	Photo-coupler off when status is alarm Photo-coupler on when status is normal



Set voltage control via external signal (Valid when pin No.4 of SW1 is on)

Function	Connection terminal	Pin No.5 of SW1	Pin No.6 of SW1	Action
External voltage control	Pin No.1 to 2 of CN2	ON	ON	External voltage 0V → 10V Set voltage 0V → Rated voltage
External resistance control: Action I	Pin No.3 to 4 of CN2	ON	OFF	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set voltage 0V → Rated voltage
External resistance control: Action II		OFF	ON	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set voltage: Rated voltage → 0V
CV mode output	Pin No.5 to 6 of CN2			Photo-coupler is on while in CV mode



Set current control by external signal (Valid when pin No.7 of SW 1 is on)

Function	Connection terminal	Pin No.8 of SW1	Pin No.9 of SW1	Action
External voltage control	Pin No.1 to 2 of CN3	ON	ON	External voltage 0V → 10V Set current 0A → Rated current
External resistance control: Action I	Pin No.3 to 4 of CN3	ON	OFF	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set current 0A → ated current
External resistance control: Action II		OFF	ON	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set current: Rated current → 0A
CC mode output	Pin No.5 to 6 of CN3			Photo-coupler is on while in CC mode

◆ See "9-2-2. Adjusting the set voltage" and "9-2-3. Current setting" for details about how to set the internal voltage and current.

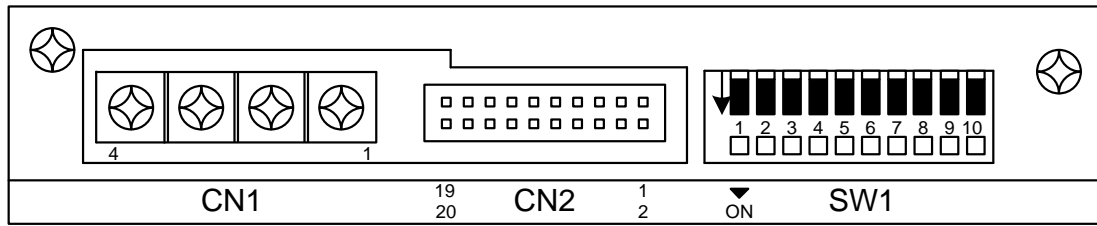
If the standard board has been installed in the unit, the connectors (CN1, 2, 3), are arranged in the same way as shown in the above figure.

The board features screwless connectors. Press the button of the connector and insert the cable (from which 10 mm of the isolation coat has been stripped) into the hole on the left side of the button.

Use the AWG#24 - #28 cables (UL1007 stranded wire).

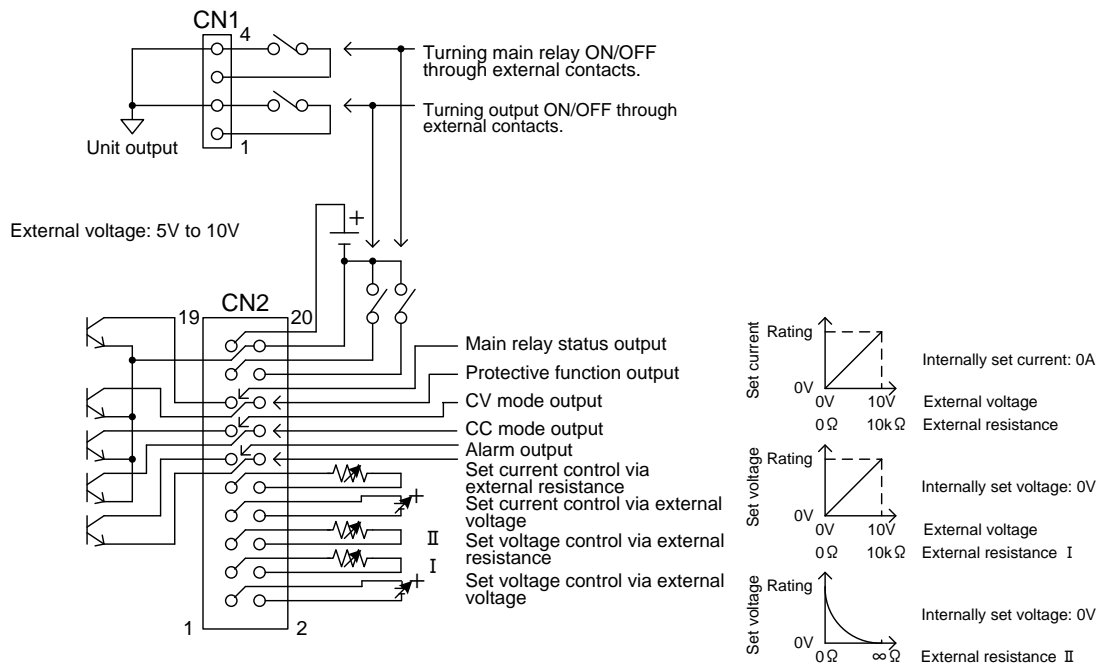
### 9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS

See the figure below for details about how to wire an analog signal to the IF-70PS board, and how to select the logic and different functions.



The applicable external terminals connect to the negative output of the unit. Note that the outer contact, voltage, and resistance must be float-mounted.

The photo-coupler, which is used to output alarms and the status of CV mode, CC mode, protective function and main relay must be used at a current of 5mA or lower when it is on, and at a voltage of 10V or lower when it is off.



Function	Connection terminal	SW1 setting	Action
Main relay ON/OFF	Pin No.3 to 4 of CN1 or Pin No.18 to 20 <sup>*1</sup> of CN2	Pin No.1 of SW1	OFF Close circuit: Main relay off Open circuit: Main relay on
		ON Close circuit: Main relay on Open circuit: Main relay off	
OUTPUT ON/OFF	Pin No.1 to 2 of CN1 or Pin No.17 to 20 <sup>*1</sup> of CN2	Pin No.2 of SW1	OFF Close circuit: Output off Open circuit: Output on
		ON Close circuit: Output on Open circuit: Output off	
Alarm output	Pin No.11 to 12 of CN2	Pin No.3 of SW1	OFF Photo-coupler on when status is alarm Photo-coupler off when status is normal
			ON Photo-coupler off when status is alarm Photo-coupler on when status is normal
CV mode output	Pin No.13 to 20 of CN2		Photo-coupler is on while in CV mode
CC mode output	Pin No.14 to 20 of CN2		Photo-coupler is on while in CC mode
Main relay status output	Pin No.15 to 20 of CN2		Photo-coupler is on when Main relay is on
Protective function ON output	Pin No.16 to 20 of CN2		Photo-coupler is on while the protective function is activated.

<sup>\*1</sup> An external voltage (5V to 10V) is required to use the CN 2.



Set current control by external signal (Valid when pin No.7 of SW1 is on)

Function	Connection terminal	Pin No.8 of SW1	Pin No.9 of SW1	Action
External voltage control	Pin No.7 to 8 of CN2	ON	ON	External voltage 0V → 10V Set current 0A → Rated current
External resistance control	Pin No.9 to 10 of CN2	ON	OFF	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set current 0A → Rated current

Set voltage control by external signal (Valid when SW1—④ is on)

Function	Connection terminal	Pin No.5 of SW1	Pin No.6 of SW1	Action
External voltage control	Pin No.1 to 2 of CN2	OFF	ON	External voltage 0V → 10V Set current 0A → Rated current
External resistance control: Action I	Pin No.3 to 4 of CN2	ON	OFF	External resistance 0Ω → 10kΩ Set current 0A → Rated current
External resistance control: Action II	Pin No.5 to 6 of CN2	OFF	OFF	External resistance 0Ω → ∞Ω Set current: Rated current → 0A

- ◆ See “9-2-2. Adjusting the set voltage” and “9-2-3. Current setting” for details about how to set the internal voltage and current.

If the IF-70PS has been installed in the unit, the pin No. of the connectors (CN1 and CN2) are arranged in the same way as shown in the figure on the previous page.

CN 1 is the screw terminal for M3. Use a cable to which a round crimp-style terminal (inner diameter of at least 3.2mm) is attached.

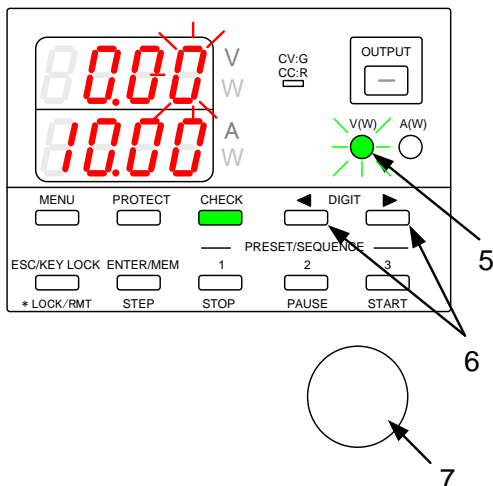
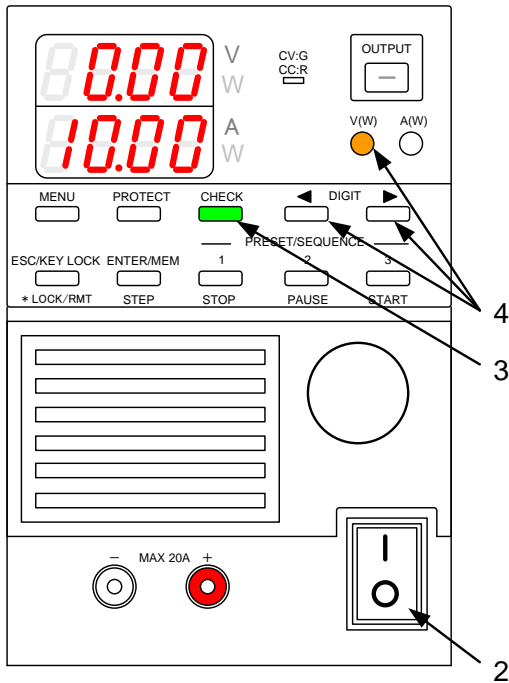
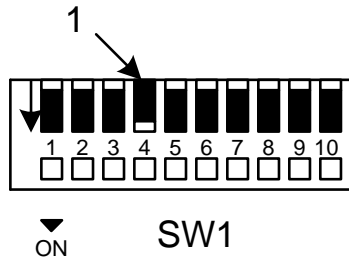
To wire CN 2, use the connector supplied with IF-70PS (Panasonic AXW120421 or Omron XG5M-2035-N)

- Attach the AWG#24 - #28 cables (UL1007 stranded wire) to the terminal supplied with the IF-70PS, using a single-wire caulking tool (Panasonic: AXY51000 or Omron: XY2B-7006).
- Insert the cable (to which a terminal is attached) into the supplied connector.

## 9-2. Operating the Analog IF Board

### 9-2-1. Setting the Voltage

When using the unit with a set voltage that is specified by an external resistance or voltage (hereinafter referred to as the "externally set voltage"), the set voltage value represents the internally set voltage (set by the rotary encoder) which is superimposed by the externally set voltage. While the CHECK key is lit in green, if the V key is unlit or lit in amber, the voltage setting of the internally + externally set voltage is displayed in the voltage indicator. When the V key is lit in green, the voltage setting of the internally set voltage is displayed in the voltage indicator.



#### Operation procedure

Confirm that the power switch has been turned off.

1. Turn on No. 4 of SW 1, located on the analog IF board. Use an external analog signal to set No. 5 and 6 of SW 1.
  - ◆ For details, see ["9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board"](#) and ["9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS"](#).

To switch over the dip switch, use a needle-nosed tool such as a straight-slot screwdriver.

2. Turn on the power switch.
3. Press the CHECK key, which is then lit in green. The voltage indicator displays the set voltage value, which is the internally set voltage superimposed by the externally set voltage. The current indicator displays the set current.
4. Press the V key while pressing and holding one of the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys. The V key is then lit in amber.
5. Press the V key again. It then begins to blink green.
 

The internally set voltage is displayed (blinking) in the voltage indicator.
6. Press the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys to move the blinking digit in the voltage indicator.
7. Turn the rotary encoder to modify the internally set voltage.

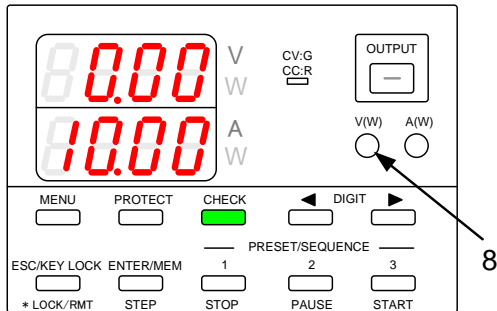
The variable range of internally set voltage is from -5% to +105% of the rated voltage.

The internally set voltage varies according to the applied external signal.

- ◆ For details, ["9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board"](#) and ["9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS"](#)

## Operation procedure

8. Press the green-blinking V key.  
The light then goes out.



Input the external analog signal into the connector on the analog IF board.

The voltage indicator displays the set value that corresponds to the external analog signal.

The display range of the set voltage is from -10% to +110% of the rated voltage.

The analog IF board connector varies according to the type of external analog signal.

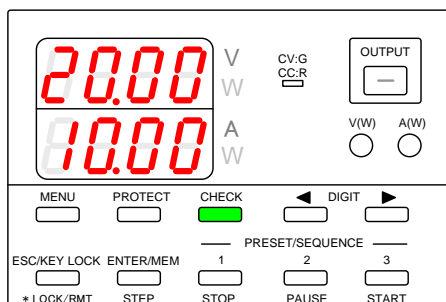
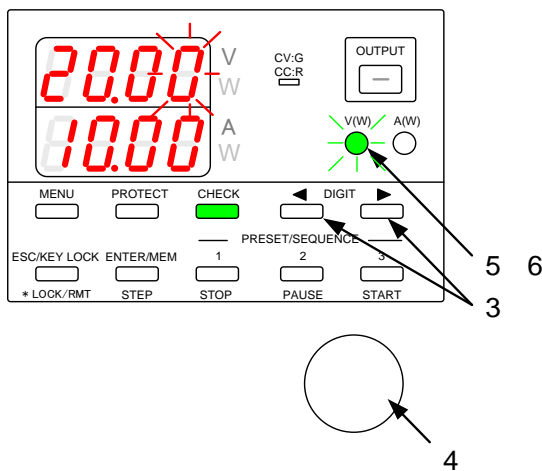
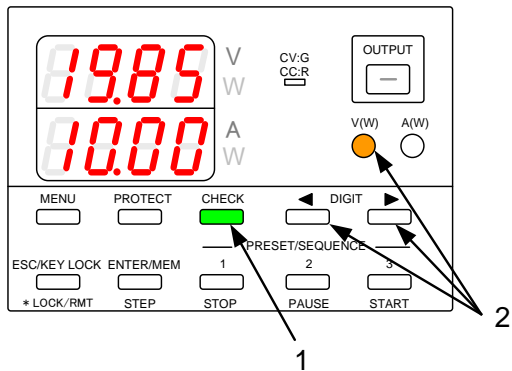
- ◆ For details, [“9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board”](#) and [“9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS”](#)

The voltage that can be set by performing this operation may exceed the maximum rated voltage of the unit, depending on how it is used.

When the voltage is set lower than 0V or higher than 102.5% of the rated voltage, all the digits on the voltage indicator will blink, and the output will be turned from on to off.

## 9-2-2. Adjusting the set voltage

Modify the internally set voltage to adjust the set voltage specified by the externally set voltage.



### Operation procedure

- ◆ See "9-2-1. Setting the Voltage" for details about how to input the external analog signal into the connector of the analog IF board.

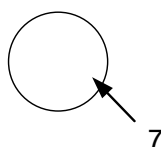
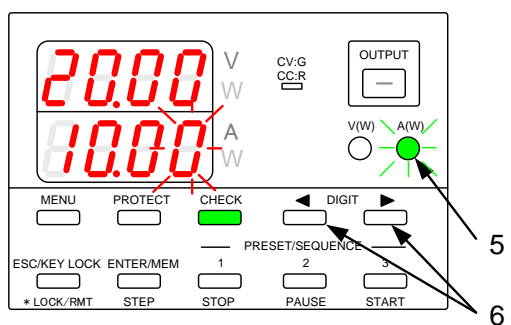
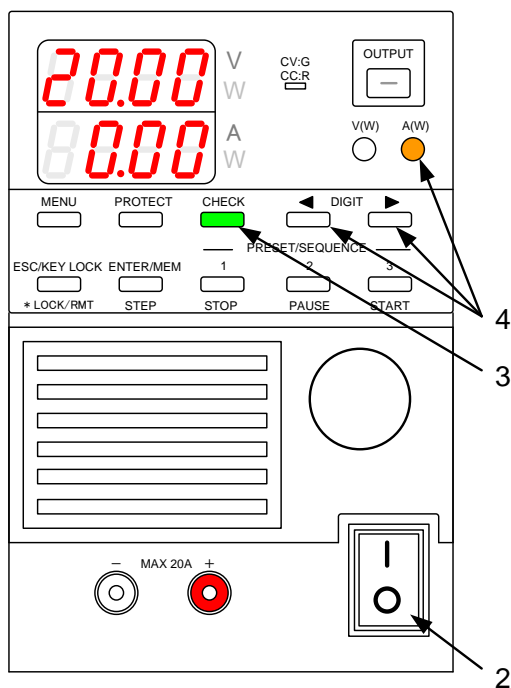
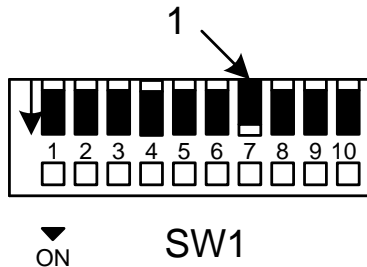
1. Press the CHECK key, which is then lit in green. The voltage indicator displays the set value that corresponds to the external analog signal.
2. Press the V key while pressing and holding one of the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys. The V key then is lit in amber.

A digit starts blinking in the voltage indicator. The current indicator displays the value of the internally set voltage.

3. Press the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys to move the blinking digit in the voltage indicator.
4. Turn the rotary encoder to modify the internally set voltage.
5. Press the V key. The key then starts to blink green.
6. Press the green-blinking V key. The light then goes out. The blinking digit in the voltage indicator stops blinking and then remains lit.

### 9-2-3. Current setting

When using the unit with a set current that is specified by an external resistance or voltage (hereinafter referred to as the "externally set current"), the set current value represents the internally set current (set by the rotary encoder) which is superimposed by the externally set current. While the CHECK key is lit in green, if the A key is unlit or lit in amber, the current setting of the internally + externally set current is displayed in the current indicator. When the A key is lit in green, the current setting of the internally set current is displayed in the current indicator.



#### Operation procedure

Confirm that the power switch has been turned off.

1. Turn on No. 7 of SW 1, which is located on the analog IF board.  
Use an external analog signal to set No. 8 and 9 of SW 1.  
◆ For details, see [“9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board”](#) and [“9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS”](#).

To switch over the dip switch, use a needle-nosed tool such as a straight-slot screwdriver.

2. Turn on the power switch.
  3. Press the CHECK key, which is then lit in green. The voltage indicator displays the set voltage. The current indicator displays the set current value, which is the internally set current superimposed by the externally set current.
  4. Press the A key while pressing and holding one of the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys. The A key is then lit in amber.
  5. Press the A key again. The key then starts to blink green.
- The internally set current is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.
6. Press the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys to move the blinking digit in the current indicator.
  7. Turn the rotary encoder to modify the internally set current.

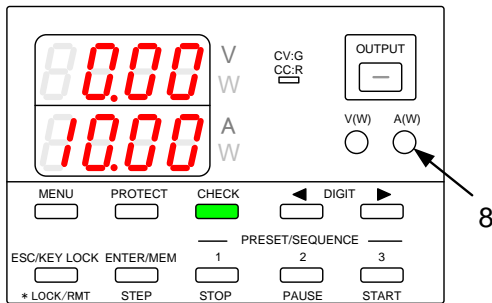
The variable range of internally set current is from -5% to +105% of the rated current.

The internally set current varies according to the externally applied signal.

- ◆ For details, see [“9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board”](#) and [“9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS”](#).

## Operation procedure

8. Press the green-blinking A key.  
The light then goes out.



Input the external analog signal to the connector on the analog IF board.

The current indicator displays the set value that corresponds to the external analog signal.

The display range of the set current is from -10% to +110% of the rated current.

The connector of the analog IF board varies according to the type of external analog signal.

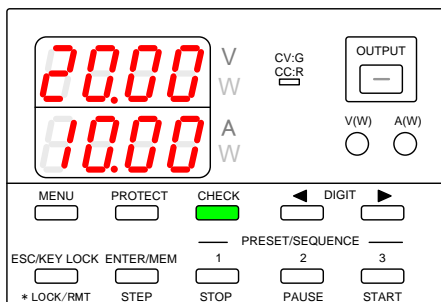
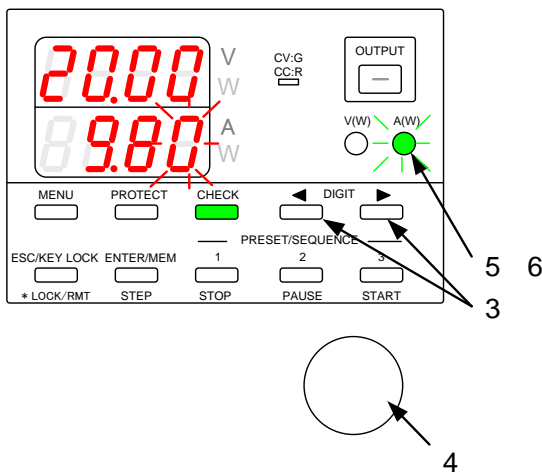
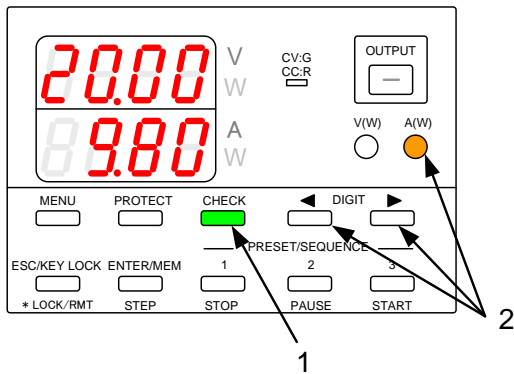
- ◆ For details, see [“9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board”](#) and [“9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS”](#).

The current that can be set by performing this operation may exceed the maximum rated current of the unit, depending on how it is used.

When the current is set lower than 0A or higher than 102.5% of the rated current, all the digits on the voltage indicator will blink, and the output will be turned from on to off.

## 9-2-4. Adjusting the set current

Modify the internally set voltage to adjust the set current specified by externally set voltage.



### Operation procedure

◆ For details about inputting the external analog signal to connector of the analog IF board, see "9-2-3. Current setting"

1. Press the CHECK key, which is then lit in green. The current indicator displays the set current value that corresponds to the external analog signal.

2. Press the A key while pressing and holding one of the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys. The A key is then lit in amber.

The current indicator displays the internally set current. A digit starts blinking in the current indicator.

3. Press the DIGIT ◀ ▶ keys to move the blinking digit in the current indicator.

4. Turn the rotary encoder to modify the internally set current.

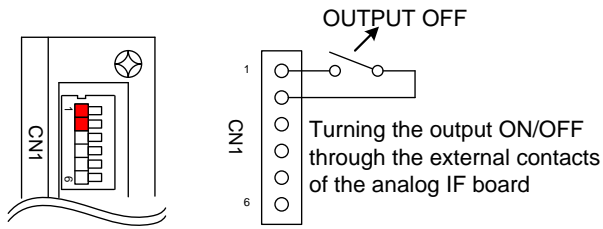
5. Press the A key. The key then starts to blink green.

6. Press the green-blinking A key. The light then goes out. The blinking digit in the current indicator stops blinking and then remains lit.

### 9-2-5. Turning the output on/off through external contacts

If the analog IF board is installed in the PS-A power supply unit, you can turn the output on/off operation through external contacts.

To turn the output of the unit on, both the OUTPUT key and external contacts must be used.



#### Operation procedure

Turn off the unit power switch, and turn the output off through the external contacts.

For details about turning the output on/off through external contacts, see [“9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board”](#) and [“9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS”](#).

1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key.

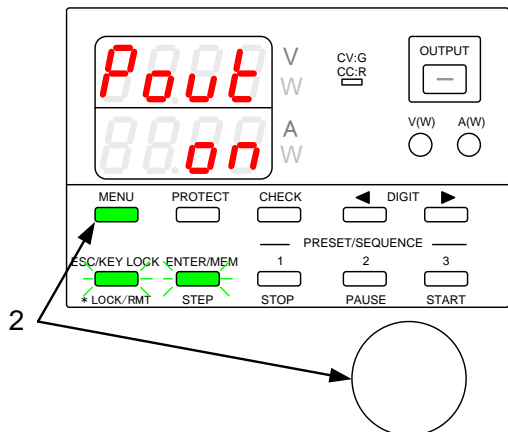
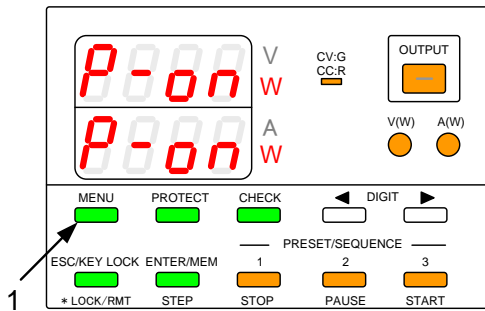
Release the MENU key when the panel is lit.

The MENU key is then lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key and ENTER/MEM key start blinking green.

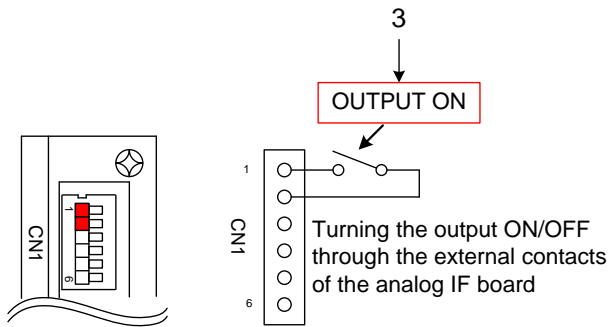
The function name is displayed in the voltage indicator, and the function setting is displayed (blinking) in the current indicator.

2. The output setting for when the power is turned on must be set to "on" by using the MENU key and rotary encoder. ("Pout" is displayed in the voltage indicator, and "on" in the current indicator)

◆ For details, see [“6-4-2. Setting the output when the power is turned on”](#).







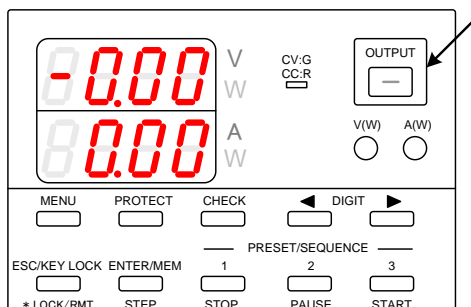
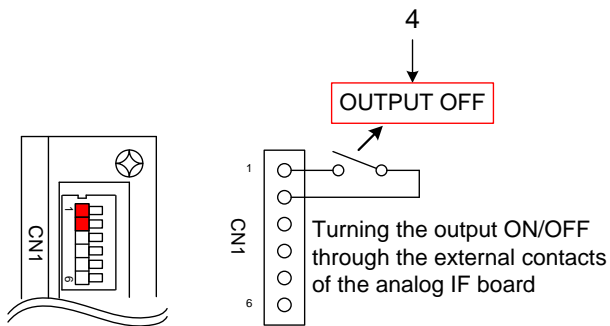
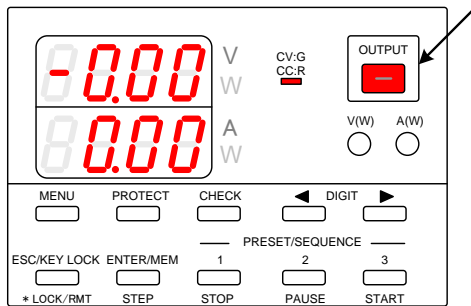
### Operation procedure

- Use the external contacts of the analog IF board to turn the output on.

The OUTPUT key is then lit in green, and the output of the unit is turned on.

- Use the external contacts of the analog IF board to turn the output off.

The OUTPUT key light goes out, and the output of the unit is turned off.

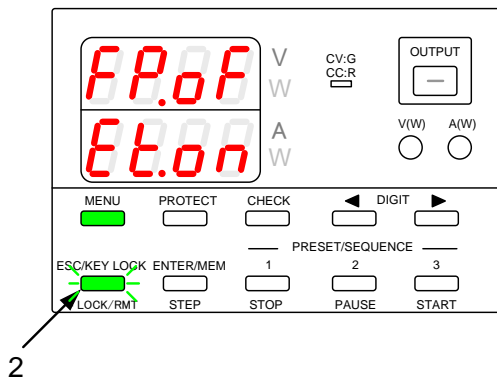
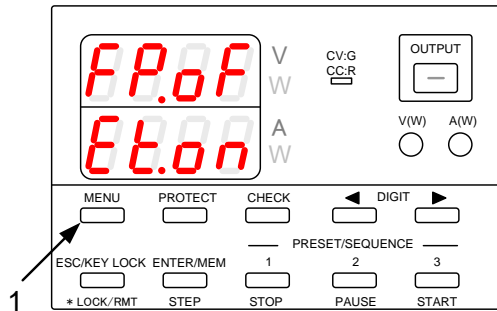


In the PS-A power supply unit, when the output of the unit has been turned on through the external contacts of the analog IF board, the OUTPUT key on the front panel can be used to turn the output on or off during operation. Thus, in case of an emergency where the power supply from the unit to the loads must be stopped, the power supply from the unit can be stopped without needing to turn off the power switch.

### 9-2-6. Checking the status when the output is off

If the analog IF board has been installed in the unit and the output of the unit is off, the following items can be checked:

- (1) Status of output on/off setting that uses the OUTPUT key.
- (2) Status of output on/off setting that uses the external contacts of the analog IF board.



#### Operation procedure

1. Press the MENU key while the output is off.

The following messages are displayed:

Voltage indicator: "FP.oF"

Current indicator: "Et.xx"

The MENU key then is lit in green, and the ESC/KEY LOCK key starts blinking green.

Voltage indicator      Output on/off status

**FP.on**      V      Output on  
W

**FP.oF**      V      Output off  
W

Current indicator      Status of output on/off setting that uses the external contacts of the analog IF board

**Et.on**      V      Output on  
W

**Et.oF**      V      Output off  
W

2. Press the green-blinking ESC/KEY LOCK key to exit.

Normal operation of the unit is then available

If the analog IF board has not been installed in the unit, this function is not available.

### 9-2-7. Main relay ON/OFF operation

When the power of multiple PS-A units is turned on at one time, a large rush of current flows into the primary side. This may generate current distortion in the AC line, affecting the devices connected to the AC line to which the PS-A units are connected.

Specify "off" as the Main relay setting for all the PS-A units, and then turn on the power switch. Next specify "on" as the Main relay setting for each unit, one unit at a time. This disperses the rush current on the primary side and diminishes current distortion in the AC line.

If the analog IF board has been installed and the Main relay is off, "P-oF" is displayed in both the voltage indicator and current indicator when the power switch is turned on. At this time, only the internal power supply source is running.

If the Main relay is set to "on" when external contacts of the analog IF board are closed or short-circuited, "P-on" is displayed in both the voltage indicator and current indicator. The power can then be turned on or off.

For details about how to turn Main relays on or off, see "9-1-2. Wiring an analog signal to the standard board" and "9-1-3. Wiring an analog signal to IF-70PS".

## 10 INTERFACE OPTION

### 10-1. Accessories

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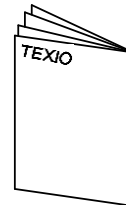


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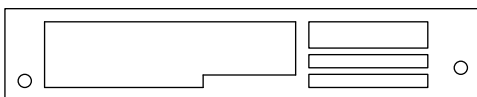


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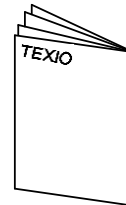


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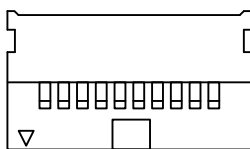
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Panel 1 pcs



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Connector 1 pcs  
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## 11 USING DIGITAL COMMUNICATION INTERFACE FOR REMOTE CONTROL

### 11-1. Outline

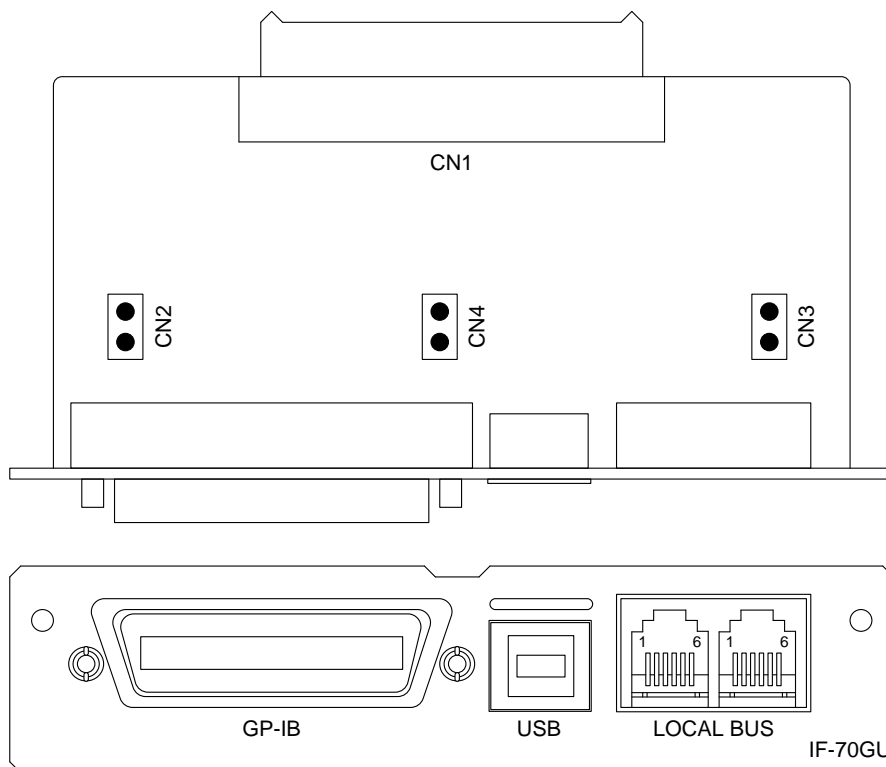
If a digital communication interface has been installed in place of the standard board, the PS-A series unit can be remotely controlled by a personal computer (hereinafter "PC") or sequencer via a USB, GP-IB, or RS-232C.

Because the digital communication interface has a local bus, a single PC or sequencer can control multiple PS-A series units.

The optional digital communication interface boards (referred as "digital IF board" hereinafter) for the PS-A series are as follows:

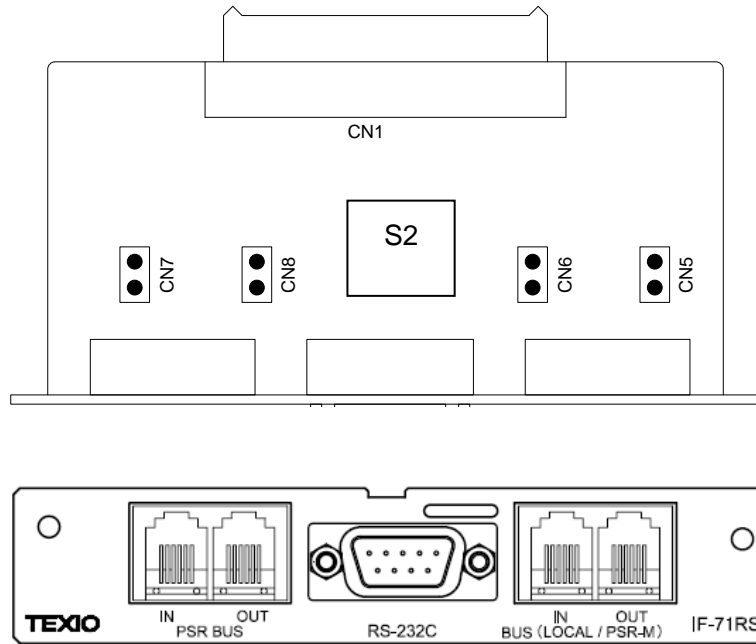
- IF-70GU: Used with GP-IB and USB digital communication interfaces. Can be connected to a PC for remote control.
- IF-71RS: Used with communication interfaces that are compatible with RS-232C. Can be connected to a PC or sequencer for remote control.

#### 11-1-1. IF-70GU



Connector name	Function
GP-IB	Connects to the GP-IB controller of PC.
USB	Connects to the USB port of the PC or USB hub.
LOCAL BUS	Connects to the local bus. A dedicated modular cable must be used to connect to the local bus.
CN1	Connects to power unit. For details about the connection procedure, see the IF-70GU instruction manual.
CN2	Short-circuits the frame GND and signal GND of GP-IB and USB. CN 2 is used to eliminate ground loops in noisy environments.
CN3	Connects to the terminator of the local bus and the internal bus when the circuit is closed. In the local bus, a terminator is required for the power supply units at each end of the signal line or for stand alone.
CN4	Switches operation between the GP-IB and USB. The GP-IB operates when the circuit is closed, and the USB operates when the circuit is open.

11-1-2. IF-71RS



Connector name	Function
PSR BUS	Used together with a dedicated modular cable to connect to a PSR series power supply unit.
RS-232C	Used together with a crossover cable to connect to the RS-232C of a PC.
LOCAL/PSR-M BUS	Used together with a dedicated modular cable to connect to the local bus. Specifying the appropriate settings enables it to be used as a unit compatible with PSR-M series power supply units.
CN1	Connects to the power unit. For details about how to connect to the power unit, see the IF-71RS instruction manual.
CN5	Connects to the terminator of the local bus and the internal bus when the circuit is closed. In the local bus, a terminator is required for the power supply units at each end of the signal line or for stand alone.
CN6	Switches over to local bus mode. CN6 provides compatibility with PSR-M units when the circuit is closed, and compatibility with the local bus of PDS-A when the circuit is open.
CN7	Switches over to RS-232C mode. CN7 provides compatibility with PSR units when the circuit is open, and compatibility with the local bus of PDS-A when the circuit is closed.
CN8	Short-circuits the frame GND and signal GND of RS-232C.
S2	"1" to "6" indicate "ON", "7" and "8" indicate "OFF".

### 11-1-3. Cable and connector settings

The circuits for all the connectors are open by default.

Adjust the connector settings according to the type of control used.

(1) When a GP-IB is used:

A commercially available GP-IB cable can be used for the GP-IB connection of IF-70GU. (our part No. CB-2420P)

When GP-IB is used, the settings of the IF-70GU connectors are as follows:

Connector	Circuit
CN2	Closed
CN3	Closed
CN4	Closed

(2) When a USB is used:

Use a commercially available USB full speed cable for the USB connection.

When a USB is used, the settings of the IF-70GU connectors are as follows:

Connector	Circuit
CN2	Closed
CN3	Closed
CN4	Open

(3) When a RS-232C is used

Use commercially available crossover cables or interlink cables for the RS-232C connection.

The wiring of RS-232C cable is as follows:

Three lines are used: the sending, receiving, and grounding lines.

The hardware flow-control line is not used.

The wiring of the other terminals is disregarded.

PC / Sequencer				IF-71RS		
D-Sub9 pin Female	2	RxD	↔	TxD	3	D-Sub9 pin Female
	3	TxD	↔	RxD	2	
	5	GND	↔	GND	5	

When a RS-232C is used, the settings of the IF-71RS connectors are as follows:

Connector	Circuit
CN5	Closed
CN6	Open
CN7	Closed
CN8	Open

(4) When local bus is used:

Use a straight 6-pin modular cable for the local bus connection.

This cable is a twisted pair cable with D+ and D- signals. Four different lengths are available.

Connector	Signal
PIN1	Case GND
PIN3	D+
PIN4	Signal GND
PIN5	D-

Cable art No.	Cable length
CB-0603S	0.3m
CB-0615S	1.5m
CB-0630S	3m
CB-06100S	10m

### 11-1-4. Address settings

If the IF-70GU or IF-71RS board has been installed in the PS-A unit, the address setting is added to the menu when the unit power is turned on while pressing and holding the MENU key.

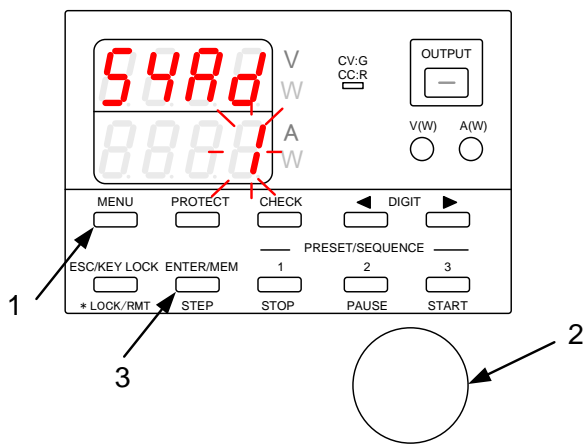
There are two types of addresses for PS-A units: a system address (SYAd) and a PC address (PCAd).

- The system address is used to identify the PS-A unit in the local bus connection, and it can be set by using the IF-71RS or IF-70GU board. If the unit is connected to a PC or sequencer, specify "1" as the system address for the PS-A unit.

If "1" is not specified as the system address, the PS-A unit will be unable to communicate with the RS-232C, GP-IB, and USB.

Do not connect two or more PS-A units with the same system address to a single local bus. This may result in a communication error.

- The PC address is used to identify the PS-A unit when the unit is directly connected to the PC. The address can be set by using the IF-70GU board whose system address is "1". When a GP-IB is used, the PC address becomes the GP-IB address. When a USB is used, it becomes the device address. Do not connect two or more PS-A units with the same PC address at one time.



#### Operation procedure

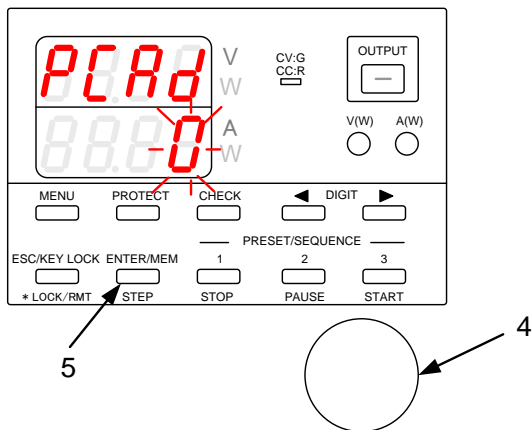
1. Turn on the power switch while pressing and holding the MENU key. Release the MENU key when the panel is lit. "SYAd" (system address) is then displayed in the voltage indicator.

2. Turn the rotary encoder to change the value.

If the PS-A unit is connected to a PC, specify "1" as the system address. If the unit is connected to local bus, a value from "2" to "31" can be specified as the address.

3. After specifying the value, press the ENTER key.

If the system address is set to "1" and pressing the ENTER key, "PCAd" (PC address) is then displayed in the voltage indicator.

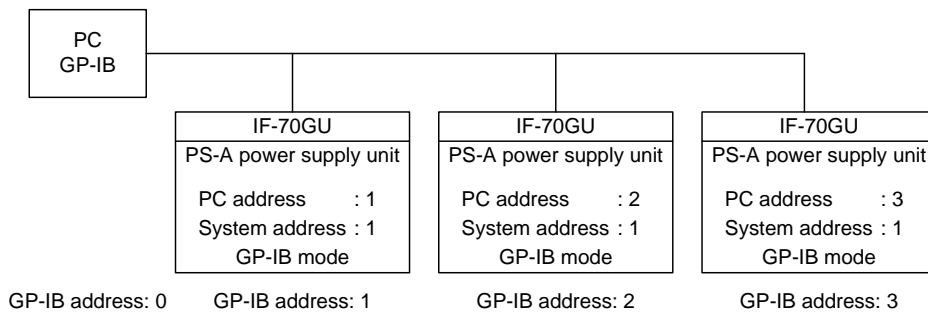


4. Turn the rotary encoder to change the value. The value range is from "0" to "31".

5. Press the ENTER key to specify "PCAd". When you are finished, press the ESC key to exit. After the address has been set, the unit reboots.

### 11-1-5. GP-IB connection

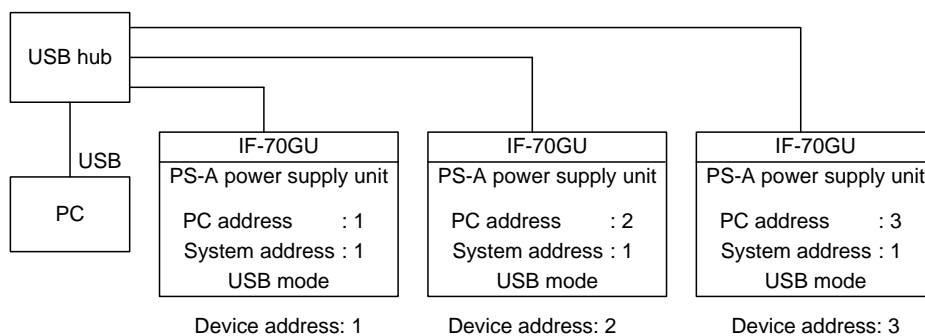
The following chart shows the wiring for when the GP-IB is used to connect IF-70GU to a PC:



- Operation of the GP-IB has been verified by using a GP-IB board manufactured by National Instruments. A sample program is available on our website. No operation problems occurred when using a GP-IB that satisfies the IEEE488 specifications. For details about programming GP-IB, see the instruction manual for the interface being used, or the manual for the sample program.
- LF (0x0A) and EOI are applied to set the delimiter. Be sure to output the delimiter after outputting the commands and parameters. Note that CR (0x0D) will be ignored. Be careful not to enter the wrong letters.
- At least half of the devices to which the GP-IB is connected must be powered on. Turn on the power of all the devices.
- Two addresses are required for the address setting of the PS-A power supply unit: the system address and PC address. Make sure to specify "1" as the system address for the PS-A unit connected to the PC.
- The GP-IB complies with the IEEE488-1978 specifications. Interface actions are SH1, AH1, T6, TE0, L3, LE0, SR0, RL1, PP0, DC0, DT0, and C0.

### 11-1-6. USB connection

The following chart shows the wiring for when the USB is used to connect IF-70GU to a PC:



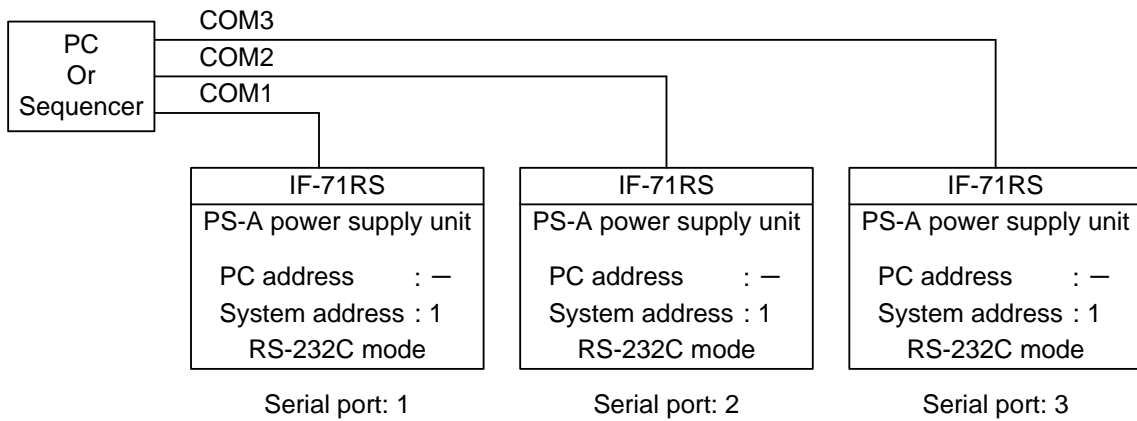
- PS-A units support USB2.0 full speed. The USB ports on a PC can be used.
- The dedicated device driver and API provided by us need to be installed and configured on your PC. Visit our website to download the device driver and API.
  - ◆ For details about the required PC environment and operation procedures, see the API instruction manual. It does not support USBTMC.
- This device driver does not support the suspension or sleep modes from the PC side.
- The environment in which a USB is used is extremely susceptible to external noise, which may cause the USB to malfunction. Install the USB in manner that minimizes the effect of noise on the communication pathway, and make sure to implement countermeasures against noise.
- When a PS-A series unit is used with a USB, two addresses are required for the address setting: the system address and PC address. Make sure to specify "1" as the system address for the PS-A unit connected to the PC.



### 11-1-7. RS-232C connection

The following chart shows the wiring for when the RS-232C is used to connect IF-71RS to a PC or sequencer.

The RS-232C is one-to-one connection. One serial port is required for each of the units that are directly connected.

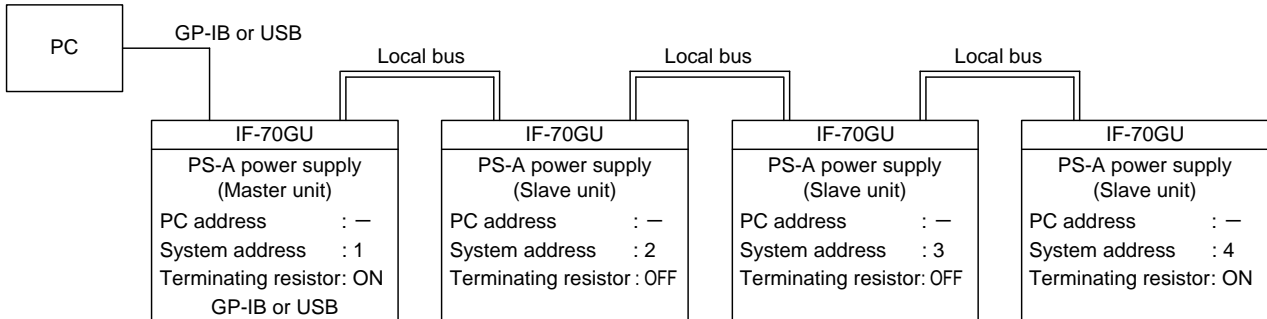


- RS-232C communication conditions: 9600bps; data length: 7 bits; stop bit: 1, even parity.
- In RS-232C communication, when a character string is sent from the PC to the power supply unit, the unit sends back the same string (echo back).  
To read out the response, it is necessary to program the delimiter (LF:0x0A) to separate the commands from the actual response signals.
- Flow control is not performed in the RS-232C communication.  
Conflict errors are detected by checking the sent commands against echo-backed character strings.
- The PC address is not applied when the RS-232C is used to control the unit.

### 11-1-8. Local bus connection

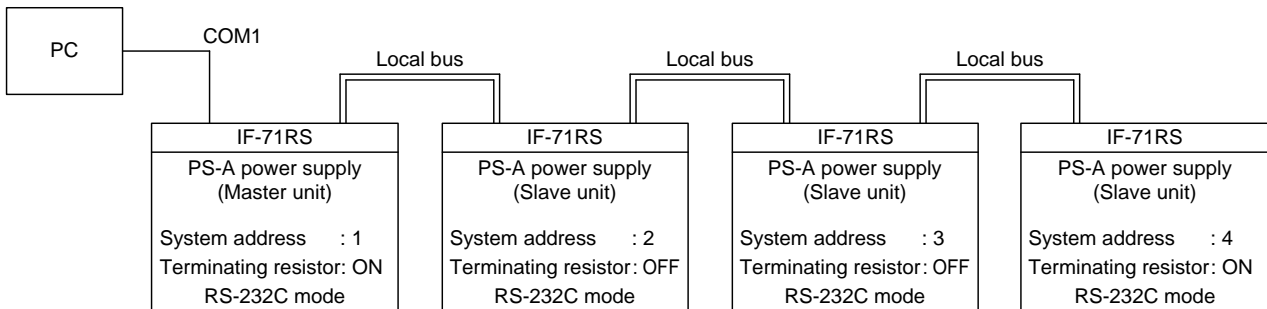
The local bus can control multiple PS-A power supply units from a single communication port on a PC. A PC or sequencer must be connected to the PS-A power supply unit (for which "1" is the system address) that is set as the master unit. Up to 31 slave units can be connected in a cascade via dedicated modular cables. The use of RS-485 signals allows the distance between PS-A units to be increased. However, performance may be delayed because the master unit converts commands.

(1) When IF-70GU is used:



Slave units are designated by using the ADRS command to specify the system address numbers. The IF-70GU interface setting of the slave units can be either USB or GP-IB. An IF-71RS for which RS-232C has been specified can be used as the interface for slave units. Only the terminators at both ends of the local bus should be on. The rest should be off. In the above chart, the terminators for system addresses "1" and "4" are on. The other terminators are off.

(2) When IF-71RS is used:



Slave units are designated by using the ADRS command to specify the system address numbers. Slave units in which IF-70GU boards have been installed can be used. Only the terminators at both ends of the local bus should be on. The rest should be off. In the above chart, the terminators for system addresses "1" and "4" are on. The other terminators are off.

### 11-1-9. When used as a PSR or PSR-M supply unit

When the appropriate settings are specified for the IF-71RS, the PS-A series units are compatible with and can be used in place of our PSR series and PSR-M series. For a details about the commands, see the respective PSR series and PSR-M series instruction manuals. The IF-71RS settings are as follows:

Operation mode	CN5	CN6	CN7	CN8	Connector to be used
PSR mode	Closed	Open	Open	Closed <sup>※2</sup>	PSR BUS
PSR-M mode	Closed <sup>※1</sup>	Closed	Closed	Closed <sup>※2</sup>	PSR-M BUS

<sup>※1</sup> Only the connectors at both ends of local bus should be closed.

The terminators should be on.

<sup>※2</sup> Open the connector if a ground loop causes a malfunction to occur.

## 11-2. Communication Control Commands

### 11-2-1. Communication commands table

If a digital IF board has been installed in the PS-A supply unit, the commands are as follows:

Category	Item	Command Name	Setting	Query	Page
Output setting	Voltage setting	VOLT	Available	Available	85
	Current setting	AMP	Available	Available	85
	Modifying the set value of the protective function	OVP	Available	Available	85
	Modifying the set value of the protective function	UVP	Available	Available	85
	Modifying the set value of the protective function	OCP	Available	Available	85
	Output function	OUTPUT	Available	Available	86
	Status request	XSTATUS	-	Available	86
Function setting	Saving and recalling the set voltage and current in PRESET	PRESET	Available	Available	86
	Saving and recalling the set voltage and current in PRESET	SETPRE	Available	-	86
	Saving and recalling the set voltage and current in PRESET	PREVOLT	Available	Available	87
	Saving and recalling the set voltage and current in PRESET	PREAMP	Available	Available	87
	Displaying the power in the voltage & current indicators	MONDSP	Available	Available	87
	Output setting when the power is turned on	DSPY	Available	Available	87
	Switching between the set voltage & current display and the output voltage & current display	CHECK	Available	Available	88
	Setting CC priority mode	CCPRIO	Available	Available	88
	Setting the output HI-R function	HIR	Available	Available	88
	Setting the output off timer	OFFTM	Available	Available	88
	Setting the automatic cancellation time for the setting menu display	ESC	Available	Available	88
	Setting the main relay	POWER	Available	Available	89
	Key lock / local function	GTL	Available	-	89
	Setting local lock out	LLO	Available	-	89
	Setting the sequence operation	PONSEQ	Available	Available	89
	Recalling preset values when the power is turned on	PONPRE	Available	Available	89
	Output setting when the power is turned on	PONOUT	Available	Available	90
	Main relay setting when the power is turned on	PONPOW	Available	Available	90
	Notification setting 1	MASK	Available	Available	90
	Notification setting 2	AMASK	Available	Available	91
	Notification setting 3	SMASK	Available	Available	91
	Alarm	ALM	-	Available	91
	Alarm	EXIT_ALM	Available	-	91
Sequence	Sequence operation	SCLR	Available	-	91
	Sequence operation	XSWRITE	Available	-	92
	Sequence operation	XSREAD	-	Available	93
	Sequence operation	SSADR	Available	Available	93
	Sequence operation	SEADR	Available	Available	93
	Sequence operation	SMODE	Available	Available	94
	Sequence operation	SCYCLE	Available	Available	94
	Sequence operation	CHGSEQ	Available	-	94
	Sequence operation	CHGNORM	Available	-	94
	Automatic execution of the sequence program	SSTART	Available	Available	94
	Pausing and restarting the sequence program	SSTOP	Available	Available	94
	Pausing and restarting the sequence program	SPAUSE	Available	Available	95
	Manual execution of the sequence program	SSTEP	Available	Available	95
System	Reset	*RST	Available	-	95
	Reset	RESET	Available	-	95
	Reading out status byte	*STB	-	Available	96
	Reading out product information	*IDN	-	Available	96
	Model and specifications query	MODEL	-	Available	96
	Designating local bus device	ADRS	Available	Available	97

### 11-2-2. Automatic message output

The PS-A series unit is equipped with a function that outputs response messages independently of communication commands when a status change occurs. Output response messages can be selected by using the notification setting commands. As parameters, the response message contains the system address of the unit on which a status change has occurred, and the information about the status change. The table below describes the different status changes and response messages that are output.

◆ For details about commands to enable/disable response messages, see the following sections:

“11-3-26. Notification setting 1 (MASK)”

“11-3-27. Notification setting 2 (AMASK)”

“11-3-28. Notification setting 3 (SMASK)”

All messages are disabled by default when the power is turned on.

This is normally used for the message receiving stand-by function in RS-232C communication or other communication modes.

Status Change	Response Message	Parameter 1	Parameter 2
Alarm occurrence	ALARM	System address	1: Occurrence of hardware alarm 2: Occurrence of under-voltage protection 3: Occurrence of over-voltage protection 4: Occurrence of over-current protection 5: Occurrence of other alarms
Error occurrence	ERROR	System address	1: Occurrence of command error 2: Occurrence of parameter error 3: Occurrence of execution error 4: Occurrence of warning
CV/CC mode change	SRCC	System address	0: CC mode → CV mode 1: CV mode → CC mode
Sequence end	END	System address	1: Completion
Sequence pause	PAUSE	System address	1: Completion

### 11-2-3. Command format

Communication commands consist of general alphanumeric characters and symbols, and a header that is the abbreviation of a function. Each header is followed by a space and a parameter. No distinction is made between capital and lowercase letters, but all letters are converted to capital letters for the sake of processing.

<Example>	Voltage setting			
	VOLT	_____	5.12	LF
	Header	Space	Parameter	Delimiter

Parameters are specified with an integer number, decimal number, and character string. Decimal places are rounded off according to the actual setting resolution. If there are several parameters, they should be marked off with a comma (.). If a parameter that should be specified with an integer number is specified with a decimal, an error occurs. Make sure to correctly specify parameters.

Query commands feature a question mark (?) immediately after the function name header. Do not insert a space between the question mark and header, otherwise an error will occur.

The response to a query command will be the command and its parameter.

<Example>	Voltage setting query			
	VOLT ?	LF		
	Header	Delimiter		
<Example>	Voltage setting response			
	VOLT	_____	5.12	LF
	Header	Space	Parameter	Delimiter

When querying an item that has a parameter, insert a space and the items' parameter after the question mark (?)

For commands that require a parameter, normal operation cannot be done if the parameter is omitted or incomplete. Make sure to input a complete parameter.  
 In addition, inserting a space before and/or after a command may impede normal operation.  
 Do not insert unnecessary spaces.

<Example> Voltage setting query of PRESET 1				
	PREVOLT ?	___	<u>1</u>	<u>LF</u>
	Header	Space	Parameter	Delimiter
<Example> Voltage setting response of PRESET 1				
	PREVOLT	___	<u>1.5.12</u>	<u>LF</u>
	Header	Space	Parameter	Delimiter

When communicating from a PC to a slave unit on the local bus, the local bus designation command (ADRS) should be used to designate a system address for the slave unit.  
 The default system address is "1", which is the setting for the master unit.

## 11-3. Commands

### 11-3-1. Voltage setting (VOLT)

This command sets or queries the output voltage.

Setting	VOLT x1	Sets the output voltage.
Application example	VOLT 5.00	Sets the output voltage to 5.00V.
Query	VOLT?	Queries the output voltage setting.
Response example	VOLT 5.00	Indicates the set output voltage is 5.00V.
Remarks	"x1" is a decimal or integer number. Digits less than the setting resolution are rounded off. ◆ For details about the setting range, see "11-6. Setting Range Tables". If the set value exceeds the range, the maximum value will be given.	

### 11-3-2. Current setting (AMP)

This command sets or queries the output current.

Setting	AMP x1	Sets the output current.
Application example	AMP 5.00	Sets current to 5.00A.
Query	AMP?	Queries the output current setting.
Response example	AMP 5.00	Indicates the set output current is 5.00A.
Remarks	"x1" is a decimal or integer number. Digits less than the setting resolution are rounded off. ◆ For details about the setting range, see "11-6. Setting Range Tables". If the set value exceeds the range, the maximum value will be given.	

### 11-3-3. OVP setting (OVP)

This command sets or queries the OVP (over-voltage protection) value.

Setting	OVP x1	Sets the OVP.
Application example	OVP 5.00	Sets the OVP value to 5.00V.
Query	OVP?	Queries the OVP value.
Response example	OVP 5.00	Indicates the set OVP value is 5.00V.
Remarks	"x1" is a decimal or integer number. Digits less than the setting resolution are rounded off. ◆ For details about the setting range, see "11-6. Setting Range Tables". If the set value exceeds the range, the maximum value will be given.	

### 11-3-4. UVP setting (UVP)

This command sets or queries the UVP (under-voltage protection) value.

Setting	UVP x1	Sets the UVP value.
Application example	UVP 5.00	Sets the UVP value to 5.00V.
Query	UVP?	Queries the UVP value.
Response example	UVP 5.00	Indicates the set UVP value is 5.00V.
Remarks	"x1" is a decimal or integer number. Digits less than the setting resolution are rounded off. ◆ For details about the setting range, see "11-6. Setting Range Tables". If the set value exceeds the range, the maximum value will be given.	

### 11-3-5. OCP setting (OCP)

This command sets or queries the OCP (over-current protection) value.

Setting	OCP x1	Sets the OCP value.
Application example	OCP 5.00	Sets the OCP value to 5.00A.
Query	OCP?	Queries the OCP value
Response example	OCP 5.00	Indicates the set OCP value is 5.00A.
Remarks	"x1" is a decimal or integer number. Digits less than the setting resolution are rounded off. ◆ For details about the setting range, see "11-6. Setting Range Tables". If the set value exceeds the range, the maximum value will be given.	

### 11-3-6. Output setting (OUTPUT)

This command sets and queries the output on/off setting.

Setting	OUTPUT x1	x1: Output status 0: Output off 1: Output on
Application example	OUTPUT 1	Turns the output on.
Query	OUTPUT?	Queries the output setting.
Response example	OUTPUT 0	Indicates the output is off.
Remarks		

### 11-3-7. Status query (XSTATUS)

This command queries the output status and set values.

Query	XSTATUS?	Queries the output status.
Response form	XSTATUS x1,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9	x1: Output status 0: Output off; 1: Output on; 2: Output/discharge circuit off x2: CV/CC status 0: CV mode; 1: CC mode; 2: Other/output off x3: Output voltage x4: Output current x5: Set voltage x6: Set current x7: Set OVP (over-voltage protection) value x8: Set UVP (under-voltage protection) value x9: Set OCP (over-current protection) value
Response example	X XSTATUS 1,0,5.15,3.10,5.15,2.10,10.2,-0.5,4.0	Output on, CV mode, Output 5.15V/3.10A, Set values: 5.15V/2.10A, OVP:10.2V/UVP:-0.5V/OCP:4.0A
Remarks		

### 11-3-8. Recalling preset settings (PRESET)

This command recalls preset settings and queries the preset status.

Setting	PRESET x1	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3)
Application example	PRESET 1	Recalls PRESET 1.
Query	PRESET?	Queries the preset status.
Response example	PRESET 0	0: Not in PRESET. 1: PRESET 1 is recalled. 2: PRESET 2 is recalled. 3: PRESET 3 is recalled.
Remarks	If a preset setting is recalled and then the voltage or current setting is modified, the preset setting is lost.	

### 11-3-9. Saving preset settings (SETPRE)

This command saves the set voltage and current values in preset memory.

Setting	SETPRE x1	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3)
Application example	SETPRE 1	Saves the set current and voltage values in PRESET 1.
Remarks	Queries cannot be made.	

### 11-3-10. Preset voltage setting (PREVOLT)

This command saves the set voltage directly to the preset memory, and queries the preset status.

Setting	PREVOLT x1,x2	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3) x2: Set voltage value
Application example	PREVOLT 1,3.15	Saves 3.15V as the set voltage value in PRESET 1.
Query	PREVOLT? x1	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3)
Response form	PREVOLT x1,x2	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3) x2: Set voltage value
Response example	PREVOLT 1,3.15	Indicates 3.15V is the set voltage value saved in PRESET 1.
Remarks	◆ For details about the setting range, see “11-6. Setting Range Tables”.	

### 11-3-11. Preset current setting (PREAMP)

This command saves the set current directly to the preset memory, and queries the preset status.

Setting	PREAMP x1,x2	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3) x2: Set current value
Application example	PREAMP 1,3.15	Saves 3.15A as the set current value for PRESET 1.
Query	PREAMP? x1	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3)
Response form	PREAMP x1,x2	x1: PRESET No. (1, 2, or 3) x2: Set current value
Response example	PREAMP 1,3.15	Indicates 3.15A is the set current value saved in PRESET 1.
Remarks	◆ For details about the setting range, see “11-6. Setting Range Tables”.	

### 11-3-12. Power monitor display setting (MONDSP)

This command changes the power monitor display.

Setting	MONDSP x1	x1: Monitor display setting 0: Voltage & current display 1: Voltage & power display 2: Power & current display
Application example	MONDSP 1	Sets the voltage & power display.
Query	MONDSP?	Queries the monitor display status.
Response example	MONDSP 0	0: Displays the voltage & current. 1: Displays the voltage & power. 2: Displays the power & current.
Remarks		

### 11-3-13. Power-off display setting (DSPY)

This command sets the display for when the output is off.

Setting	DSPY x1	x1: Display change setting 0: Only set values are displayed while the output is off. 1: Display can be switched between the set values and output values while the output is off.
Application example	DSPY 1	Specify whether the display can be switched between the set values and output values while the output is off.
Query	DSPY?	Queries the display setting.
Response example	DSPY 0	0: Only set values are displayed while the output is off. 1: Indicates the display can be switched between the set/output values while the output is off.
Remarks		



#### 11-3-14. Monitor display switching (CHECK)

This command switches between the set/output values of the voltage & current monitor display.

Setting	CHECK x1	x1: Display change setting 0: Output value display 1: Set value display
Application example	CHECK 1	Sets the set value display.
Query	CHECK?	Queries the status.
Response example	CHECK 0	0: Displays the output values. 1: Displays the set values.
Remarks	If display switching has been disabled for when the output is off, the display cannot be changed.	

#### 11-3-15. CC priority mode setting when the output is turned on (CCPRIO)

This command sets the CC (constant-current) priority mode for when the output is turned on.

Setting	CCPRIO x1	x1: CC priority mode setting for when the output is turned on. 0: CV priority mode 1: CC priority mode
Application example	CCPRIO 1	Sets CC priority mode.
Query	CCPRIO?	Queries the status.
Response example	CCPRIO 0	0: CV priority mode. 1: CC priority mode.
Remarks		

#### 11-3-16. Output HI-R setting (HIR)

This command sets the output HI-R function.

Setting	HIR x1	x1: Sets the output HI-R function for when the output is turned off. 0: Discharge circuit on 1: Discharge circuit off
Application example	HIR 1	Turns discharge circuit off
Query	HIR?	Queries the setting status of output HI-R.
Response example	HIR 0	0: Discharge circuit on 1: Discharge circuit off
Remarks		

#### 11-3-17. Output off timer setting (OFFTM)

This command sets the off timer and queries the off timer setting.

Setting	OFFTM x1/x2	Sets the off timer. The time is set in hour/min.
Application example	OFFTM 8/30	Sets 8 hours 30 min for the off timer.
Query	OFFTM?	Queries the set time of the off timer.
Response example	OFFTM 8/30	Indicates the set time of the off timer is 8 hours 30 min.
Remarks	The settable hour range is from 0 to 10000 hours, and the settable minute range is from 0 to 59 minutes. The set time of the off timer cannot be 0 hours 0 min.	

#### 11-3-18. Automatic cancellation time setting for the setting menu display (ESC)

This command sets and queries the automatic cancellation time.

Setting	ESC x1	x1: Sets the automatic cancellation time; integer from 1 to 10.
Application example	ESC 5	Sets 5 min as the automatic cancellation time for the display.
Query	ESC?	Queries the automatic cancellation time for the display.
Response example	ESC 5	Indicates 5 min has been set as the automatic cancellation time for the display.
Remarks		

### 11-3-19. Main relay setting (POWER)

This command sets the main relay and queries the main relay status.

Setting	POWER x1	x1: Sets the main relay operation. 0: Turns the main relay off. 1: Turns the main relay on.
Application example	POWER 1	Turns the main relay on.
Query	POWER?	Queries the on/off status of the main relay.
Response example	POWER 1	1: Indicates the main relay is on. 0: Indicates the main relay is off.
Remarks		

### 11-3-20. Unlocking (GTL)

This command cancels the panel keylock.

Setting	GTL	No parameter.
Application example	GTL	Enables panel operation for changing from remote control to local control.
Remarks		

### 11-3-21. Local lock out setting (LLO)

This command disables panel unlocking.

Setting	LLO	No parameter.
Application example	LLO	Disables use of the ESC for remotely unlocking the operation panel. Once local lock out is set, it cannot be cancelled until the power is turned off.
Remarks		

### 11-3-22. Sequence operation setting when the power is turned on (PONSEQ)

This command sets and queries the sequence operation for when the power is turned on.

Setting	PONSEQ x1	x1: Specifies whether to perform a sequence operation when the power is turned on. 0: Specifies normal operation. 1: Specifies sequence operation.
Application example	PONSEQ 1	Specifies a sequence operation to start from the next time the power is turned on.
Query	PONSEQ?	Queries the sequence operation setting for when the power is turned on.
Response example	PONSEQ 1	Indicates that a sequence operation has been selected.
Remarks		

### 11-3-23. Preset setting when the power is turned on (PONPRE)

This command sets and queries the preset recall operation for when the power is turned on.

Setting	PONPRE x1	x1: Specifies whether to perform a recall operation when the power is turned on. 0: Set values are for when the power was last turned off. 1: Recalls PRESET 1. 2: Recalls PRESET 2. 3: Recalls PRESET 3.
Application example	PONPRE 1	Recalls PRESET 1 when the power is turned on.
Query	PONPRE?	Queries the preset recall setting for when the power is turned on.
Response example	PONPRE 1	Indicates PRESET 1 is recalled when the power is turned on.
Remarks		

### 11-3-24. Output setting when the power is turned on (PONOUT)

This command sets and queries the output setting for when the power is turned on.

Setting	PONOUT x1	x1: Specifies whether to turn on the output when the power is turned on. 0: Output is not turned on. 1: Output is turned on.
Application example	PONOUT 1	Turns the output on when the power is turned on.
Query	PONOUT?	Queries the output on setting for when the power is turned on.
Response example	PONOUT 1	Indicates the output is turned on when the power is turned on.
Remarks		

### 11-3-25. Main relay setting when the power is turned on (PONPOW)

This command sets and queries the main relay setting for when the power is turned on.

Setting	PONPOW x1	x1: Specifies whether to turn on the main relay when the power is turned on. 0: Main relay is not turned on. 1: Main relay is turned on.
Application example	PONPOW 1	Turns on the main relay when the power is turned on.
Query	PONPOW?	Queries the main relay setting for when the power is turned on.
Response example	PONPOW 1	Indicates the main relay is turned on when the power is turned on.
Remarks		

### 11-3-26. Notification setting 1 (MASK)

This command sets and queries the character string issued for alarm notification 1.

Setting	MASK x1	x1: Uses an 8 digit combination of 0 and 1 to enable/disable alarm notification 1. MASK xxxxxx1 : Enable(1)/disable(0) hardware alarm notification. MASK xxxxxx1x : Enable(1)/disable(0) OVP occurrence notification. MASK xxxxx1xx : Enable(1)/disable(0) UVP occurrence notification. MASK xxxx1xxx : Enable(1)/disable(0) CV/CC mode change notification. MASK xxx1xxxx : Enable(1)/disable(0) command error notification. MASK xx1xxxxx : Enable(1)/disable(0) parameter error notification. MASK x1xxxxxx : Enable(1)/disable(0) execution error notification. MASK 1xxxxxxx : Enable(1)/disable(0) warning notification.																		
Application example	MASK 00001000	Sends the CV/CC mode change notification.																		
Query	MASK?	Queries the alarm notification setting.																		
Response example	MASK 00001000	Alarm notification is issued when CV/CC mode is changed.																		
Remarks	<p>The message issued contains a header to identify the unit on the local bus, followed by the system address (%1) of the unit on which the alarm occurred, and the alarm type. The default setting is 00000000.</p> <table> <tr> <td>Hardware alarm</td> <td>ALARM %1,1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OVP occurrence</td> <td>ALARM %1,3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UVP occurrence</td> <td>ALARM %1,2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CV mode → CC mode</td> <td>SRCC %1,0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CC mode → CV mode</td> <td>SRCC %1,1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Command error</td> <td>ERROR %1,1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Parameter error</td> <td>ERROR %1,2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Execution error</td> <td>ERROR %1,3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Warning error</td> <td>ERROR %1,4</td> </tr> </table>		Hardware alarm	ALARM %1,1	OVP occurrence	ALARM %1,3	UVP occurrence	ALARM %1,2	CV mode → CC mode	SRCC %1,0	CC mode → CV mode	SRCC %1,1	Command error	ERROR %1,1	Parameter error	ERROR %1,2	Execution error	ERROR %1,3	Warning error	ERROR %1,4
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Parameter error	ERROR %1,2																			
Execution error	ERROR %1,3																			
Warning error	ERROR %1,4																			

### 11-3-27. Notification setting 2 (AMASK)

This command sets and queries the character string issued for alarm notification 2.

Setting	AMASK x1	x1: Uses an 8 digit combination of 0 and 1 to enable/disable alarm notification 2.
	AMASK 000000x1 :	Enable(1)/disable(0) other alarm notification.
	AMASK 0000001x :	Enable(1)/disable(0) OCP occurrence notification.
Application example	AMASK 00000001	Sends an alarm notification when OCP occurs.
Query	AMASK?	Queries the alarm notification 2 setting.
Response example	AMASK 00000001	Issues an alarm notification when OCP occurs.
Remarks	<p>The message issued contains a header to identify the unit on the local bus, followed by the system address (%1) of the unit on which the alarm occurred, and the alarm type.</p> <p>The default setting is 00000000.</p> <p>Other alarm                   ALARM %1,5</p> <p>OCP occurrence               ALARM %1,4</p>	

### 11-3-28. Notification setting 3 (SMASK)

This command sets and queries the character string issued for sequence status notification.

Setting	SMASK x1	x1: Uses an 8 digit combination of 0 and 1 to enable/disable sequence status notification.
	SMASK 000000x1 :	Enable(1)/disable(0) sequence pause notification.
	SMASK 0000001x :	Enable(1)/disable(0) sequence end notification.
Application example	SMASK 00000001	Sends a status notification when a sequence is paused.
Query	SMASK?	Queries the sequence status notification setting.
Response example	SMASK 00000001	Issues a status notification when a sequence is paused.
Remarks	<p>The message issued contains a header to identify the unit on the local bus, followed by the system address (%1) of the unit on which the alarm occurred, and the alarm type.</p> <p>The default setting is 00000000.</p> <p>Sequence pause               PAUSE %1,1</p> <p>Sequence end                   END %1,1</p>	

### 11-3-29. Querying alarm status (ALM)

This command queries alarm status.

Query	ALM?	Queries the alarm status.
Response example	ALM 1	0: Indicates normal operation. 1: Indicates an alarm has occurred.
Remarks		

### 11-3-30. Alarm reset (EXIT\_ALM)

This command resets alarms for recoverable conditions.

Setting	EXIT_ALM	No parameter
Application example	EXIT_ALM	Reset alarm
Remarks	<p>Resettable alarms are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Abnormal sensing voltage</li> <li>Front output terminal overcurrent</li> <li>Abnormal internal heat</li> <li>Abnormal output (115% or more of rated output)</li> </ul> <p>For other alarms, the power must be tuned off and then on again.</p>	

### 11-3-31. Clearing sequence programs (SCLR)

This command clears sequence programs.

Setting	SCLR x1,x2	Clears a sequence program specified within the range of x1, x2.
Application example	SCLR 1,10	Clears a sequence program from STEP 1 to STEP 10.
Remarks	x2 must be a number that is equal to or greater than x1.	

11-3-32. Writing sequence program (XSWRITE)

This command specifies a sequence program.

Setting	<p>XSWRITE x1,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10    Writes a sequence program.</p> <p>x1: STEP No.    1 - 1000</p> <p>x2: Set voltage value</p> <p>x3: Set current value</p> <p>x4: Set OVP value</p> <p>x5: Set UVP value</p> <p>x6: Set OCP value</p> <p>x7: Output    0: Off; 1: On; 2: Output off &amp; discharge circuit off</p> <p>x8: Duration hh/mm/ss/aaa</p> <p>    hh : Set hour</p> <p>    mm: Set minute</p> <p>    ss : Set second</p> <p>    aaa: Set m. second</p> <p>x9: Pause setting    0: No pause; 1: Pause</p> <p>x10: CC priority mode    0: Off; 1: On</p>
Application example	<p>XSWRITE 1,3.00,5.00,10.0,0.0,10.0,1,0/0/10/500,0,0</p> <p>STEP No.            : 1</p> <p>Set voltage            : 3.0V</p> <p>Set current            : 5.0A</p> <p>Set OVP                : 10.0V</p> <p>Set UVP                : 0.0V</p> <p>Set OCP                : 10.0A</p> <p>Output                 : ON</p> <p>Duration               : 10.5 sec.</p> <p>Pause                  : No pause</p> <p>CC priority mode      : OFF</p>
Remarks	<p>Connection time is from 0/0/0/050 to 99/59/59/990.</p>

### 11-3-33. Reading out a sequence program (XSREAD)

This command requests a sequence program.

Query	XSREAD ? Requests sequence program data.
Response	XSREAD x1,x2,x3,x4,x5,x6,x7,x8,x9,x10 x1: STEP No. 1 - 1000 x2: Set voltage value x3: Set current value x4: Set OVP value x5: Set UVP value x6: Set OCP value x7: Output 0: Off; 1: On; 2: Output off & discharge circuit off x8: Duration hh/mm/ss/aaa hh : Set hour mm: Set minute ss : Set second aaa: Set m. second x9: Pause setting 0: No pause, 1: Pause x10: CC priority mode 0: Off, 1: On
Response example	XSREAD 1,3.00,5.00,10.0,0.0,10.0,1,0/0/10/500,0,0 STEP No. : 1 Set voltage : 3.0V Set current : 5.0A Set OVP : 10.0V Set UVP : 0.0V Set OCP : 10.0A Output : ON Duration : 10.5 sec. Pause : No pause CC priority mode : OFF
Remarks	Connection time is from 0/0/0/050 to 99/59/59/990.

### 11-3-34. Sequence start point setting (SSADR)

This command specifies the starting STEP No. of the sequence.

Setting	SSADR x1	x1: Specifies a number from 1 to 1000 as the starting STEP No. of the sequence.
Application example	SSADR 3	Sets STEP 3 as the start of the sequence.
Query	SSADR?	Queries the starting STEP of the sequence.
Response example	SSADR 5	Indicates the sequence is set to start at STEP 5.
Remarks		

### 11-3-35. Sequence end point setting (SEADR)

This command specifies the ending STEP No. of the sequence.

Setting	SEADR x1	x1: Specifies a number from 1 to 1000 as the ending STEP No. of the sequence.
Application example	SEADR 3	Sets STEP 3 as the end of the sequence.
Query	SEADR?	Queries the ending STEP of the sequence.
Response example	SEADR 5	Indicates the sequence is set to end at STEP 5.
Remarks		

### 11-3-36. Sequence execution mode setting (SMODE)

This command selects the sequence execution mode.

Setting	SMODE x1	0: Sets increase as the sequence. 1: Sets increase & decrease as the sequence. 2: Sets decrease as the sequence. 3: Sets decrease & increase as the sequence.
Application example	SMODE 0	Sets increase as the sequence execution.
Query	SMODE?	Queries the sequence execution mode.
Response example	SMODE 0	Indicates increase has been set as the sequence execution mode.
Remarks	Numbers increase from the start STEP toward to the end STEP in increase mode and decrease from the end STEP toward to the start STEP in decrease mode.	

### 11-3-37. Sequence repeat cycle setting (SCYCLE)

This command specifies the number of times that a sequence cycle is repeated.

Setting	SCYCLE x1	x1: Sets a number from 0 to 1000 as the number of times the sequence cycle is repeated. 0 indicates that the sequence cycle will be repeated infinitely.
Application example	SCYCLE 3	Sets 3 as the number of times the sequence cycle is repeated.
Query	SCYCLE?	Queries the set number of times the sequence cycle is repeated.
Response example	SCYCLE 5	Indicates that 5 has been set as the number of times the sequence cycle is repeated.
Remarks	If the sequence execution mode is increase & decrease, the phase from increase to decrease is considered to be one cycle.	

### 11-3-38. Sequence mode setting (CHGSEQ)

This command switches the operation mode to sequence operation mode.

Setting	CHGSEQ	Switches from panel operation mode to sequence mode.
Application example	CHGSEQ	
Remarks		

### 11-3-39. Panel operation mode setting (CHGNORM)

This command switches the operation mode to panel operation mode.

Setting	CHGNORM	Switches from sequence mode to panel operation mode.
Application example	CHGNORM	
Remarks		

### 11-3-40. Sequence start (SSTART)

This command starts the execution of the sequence.

Setting	SSTART	Starts the execution of the sequence.
Application example	SSTART	
Query	SSTART?	Queries the execution status of the sequence.
Response example	SSTART 0 SSTART 1	Indicates the sequence is not being executed. Indicates the sequence is being executed.
Remarks	If the unit is not in sequence mode, an error will be issued. If no sequence program has been registered, commands will be ignored.	

### 11-3-41. Sequence stop (SSTOP)

This command stops the sequence.

Setting	SSTOP	Stops the sequence.
Application example	SSTOP	
Query	SSTOP?	Queries the execution status of the sequence.
Response example	SSTOP 0 SSTOP 1	Indicates the sequence has not stopped. Indicates the sequence has stopped.
Remarks	If the unit is not in sequence mode, an error will be issued.	

### 11-3-42. Sequence pause (SPAUSE)

This command pauses the sequence.

Setting	SPAUSE	Pauses the sequence.
Application example	SPAUSE	
Query	SPAUSE?	Queries the pause status of the sequence.
Response example	SPAUSE 0 SPAUSE 1	Indicates that sequence has not paused. Indicates the sequence has paused.
Remarks	If the unit is not in sequence mode, an error will be issued.	

### 11-3-43. Sequence jump (SSTEP)

This command moves sequence steps forward or backward.

Setting	SSTEP x1	Moves sequence steps forward or backward. The setting range is from -1000 to 1000.
Application example	SSTEP 10	The sequence jumps forward 10 steps.
Query	SSTEP?	Queries the current step No. of the sequence.
Response example	SSTEP 3	Indicates the current step No. of the sequence is 3.
Remarks	If the unit is not in sequence mode, an error will be issued.	

### 11-3-44. Reading out the sequence execution status (SRUN)

This command queries the sequence execution status.

Query	SRUN? SRUN x1, x2, x3 x1: Status execution 0: Stopped 1: Executing 3: Paused x2: Current STEP No. x3: Current number of times the cycle is repeated	Queries sequence execution status and step.
Response example	SRUN 1, 3, 2	Indicates the sequence is executing, the current STEP No. is 3, and that the sequence is in its 2 <sup>nd</sup> cycle.
Remarks	If the unit is not in sequence mode, "stopped" is issued.	

### 11-3-45. Reset (\*RST)

This command resets the PS-A unit.

Setting	*RST	Resets the PS-A unit to the initial status for when the power is turned on.
Application example	*RST	
Remarks		

### 11-3-46. Function reset (RESET)

This command resets the unit to its factory defaults.

Setting	RESET x1	Resets the PS-A unit. 0: Resets all settings to their factory defaults. 1: Resets the unit to the initial status for when the power is turned on. 2: Reboot the units after saving the configuration.
Application example	RESET 1	This command initializes the panel settings.
Remarks	Because the RESET command also resets the communication address, communication will be discontinued.	



11-3-47. Reading out the status byte (\*STB)

This command queries the status byte.

Query	*STB?	Queries the status byte.
Response form	*STB x1	<p>0,64: An alarm for a recoverable condition has been issued or an OCP has occurred in the unit.</p> <p>1,65: AC input alarm has occurred in the unit.</p> <p>2,66: UVP has occurred in the unit.</p> <p>3,67: OVP has occurred in the unit.</p> <p>4,68: The unit has switched from CC mode to CV mode.</p> <p>5,69: The unit has switched from CV mode to CC mode.</p> <p>6,70: Sequence operation in the unit has stopped.</p> <p>7,71: A command error has occurred in communication.</p> <p>8,72: A parameter error has occurred in communication.</p> <p>9,73: A run error has occurred in communication.</p> <p>10,74: A warning was issued during communication (out of range, etc.).</p> <p>13,77: Sequence operation in the unit has paused.</p> <p>If another situation occurs before acquiring status byte, the previous status will be lost.</p>
Application example	*STB 68	The unit has switched from CC mode to CV mode.
Remarks		

11-3-48. Reading out the product information (\*IDN)

This command queries the device information.

Query	*IDN?	Queries the device information.
Response form	*IDN x1,x2,0,x3 x1: Company name x2: Product name x3: "0" Fixed x4: Version No.	
Response example	*IDN TEXIO TECHNOLOGY ,PSA-Series,0,1.00	
Remarks		

11-3-49. Querying the model and specifications (MODEL)

This command queries the device information

Query	MODEL?	Queries device information.
Response form	MODEL x1,x2,x3 x1: Series No. 21: 6V series 22: 10V series 23: 20V series 24: 40V series 25: 60V series x2: Maximum voltage x3: Maximum current	
Response example	MODEL 22,10.25,41.00	Maximum voltage 10.25V, maximum current 41.00A
Remarks		

### 11-3-50. Local bus setting (ADRS)

The command sets the system address of controlled units when they are connected via the local bus.

Setting	ADRS x1	Specifies a device in local bus.
Application example	ADRS 3	Controls the unit whose system address is "3".
Query	ADRS?	Queries the system address of the controlled unit.
Response example	ADRS 5	Indicates "5" is the system address of the unit controlled by the local bus.
Remarks	<p>If the assigned system address is "0", all the devices will operate independently of the local address (broadcast operation). If a query command that requests a response is used at this time, normal operation of the bus will be impeded. Avoid using a query command in this situation.</p> <p>The system address of the unit connected to the PC should be "1".</p>	

#### 11-4. Cautions about communication

Remember to observe the following points about communication:

- Do not use a long cable for communication.
- Keep the communication cable as far as possible from the noise source.
- For continuous communication that creates a heavy burden, conduct a long-term test to confirm that no conflicts occur.
- If local bus is used, set a longer wait period to avoid communication conflicts.
- If broadcast operation is performed in the local bus, avoid using query commands.
- When connecting to PC, pay attention to the potential difference and leakage current in the GND line.

#### 11-5. Communication Specifications

● IF-71RS

<b>RS-232C</b>	
Specification	Compatible with RS-232C
Baud	9600[bps]
Setting	Data: 7[bit], stop bit: 1[bit], even parity
Maximum code length	10[m]
Connector type	D-sub 9 pins, male
Applicable cable	Commercially available interlink cable (9 pins, female ⇔ 9 pins, female)
Number of connectable units	1-to-1 connection only
<b>Local bus</b>	
Specification	Compatible with RS-485, dedicated protocol (No setup necessary, compatible with PSR-M series)
Maximum code length	1.2[km]
Connector type	RJ-11 (6-pin modular)
Applicable cable	Dedicated modular cable
Terminator	Can be switched on/off by using a jumper pin. Only both ends of the cable should be on.
Number of ports	2 ports, no orientation
<b>PSR bus</b>	
Specification	5VTTL level, dedicated protocol (compatible with PSR series)
Maximum code length	10[m]
Connector type	RJ-11 (6-pin modular)
Applicable cable	Dedicated modular cable
Number of ports	2 ports, no orientation

● IF-70GU

<b>USB</b>	
Specification	Supports USB Revision 2.0, full speed
Connector type	USB series B
Device class	Dedicated device class. Device driver for Windows is available separately.
Vender code	098F
Product code	1007
Power supply	Self-power only
Number of connectable units	A maximum of 30 units via USB hub.
<b>GP-IB</b>	
Specification	Compliant with IEEE488-1978 specifications.
Interface function	SH1,AH1,T6,L4,SR1,RL1,PP0,DC1,DT0,C0,E1
Address setting	Addresses can be freely set from 1 to 30.
Delimiter	LF and EOI
Listener function	Output conditions of controlled units can be set.
Talker function	The output status and settings of controlled units can be detected.
Service request function	The status report function is available.
Number of connectable units	A maximum of 14 units can be connected on a single bus.
<b>Local bus</b>	
Specification	Compatible with RS-485, dedicated protocol
Maximum code length	1.2[km]
Connector type	RJ-11 (6-pin modular)
Applicable cable	Dedicated modular cable
Terminator	Can be switched on/off by using a jumper pin. Only both ends of the cable should be on.
Number of ports	2 ports, no orientation

- ※ In regards to the local bus, IF-70GU and IF-71RS share the same specification, thus they can be used together.
- ※ We offer dedicated modular cables. Please contact our service center or one of our sales branches.

## 11-6. Setting Range Tables

### ● Voltage Setting Range

Rated voltage [V]	Setting range of output voltage [V]	OVP range [V]	UVP range [V]
6	0.000 to 6.150	0.60 to 6.60	-1.00 to 6.60
10	0.00 to 10.25	1.0 to 11.0	-1.0 to 11.0
12	0.00 to 12.30	1.2 to 13.2	-1.0 to 13.2
20	0.00 to 20.50	2.0 to 22.0	-1.0 to 22.0
40	0.00 to 41.00	4.0 to 44.0	-1.0 to 44.0
60	0.00 to 61.50	6.0 to 66.0	-1.0 to 66.0
80	0.00 to 82.00	8.0 to 88.0	-1.0 to 88.0
120	0.0 to 123.0	12.0 to 132.0	-1.0 to 132.0

※ 12V, 80V, and 120V are applicable for serial master-slave operation.

### ● Current Setting Range

Rated current [A]	Setting range of output current [A]	OCP range [A]
6.6	0.00 to 6.77	0.33 to 7.26
10	0.00 to 10.25	0.5 to 11.0
13.3	0.00 to 13.63	0.7 to 14.6
20	0.00 to 20.50	1.0 to 22.0
26.6	0.00 to 27.27	1.3 to 29.3
30	0.00 to 30.75	1.5 to 33.0
33.3	0.00 to 34.13	1.7 to 36.6
40	0.00 to 41.00	2.0 to 44.0
50	0.00 to 51.25	2.5 to 55.0
60	0.00 to 61.50	3.0 to 66.0
66	0.00 to 67.65	3.3 to 72.6
80	0.00 to 82.00	4.0 to 88.0
100	0.0 to 102.5	5 to 110
120	0.0 to 123.0	6 to 132
133	0.0 to 136.3	7 to 146
160	0.0 to 164.0	8 to 176
200	0.0 to 205.0	10 to 220
240	0.0 to 246.0	12 to 264

※ Rated currents are applicable for both parallel and serial master-slave operation

## Appendix A. TROUBLE SHOOTING

- If the PS-A power supply unit becomes defective, check the following items.

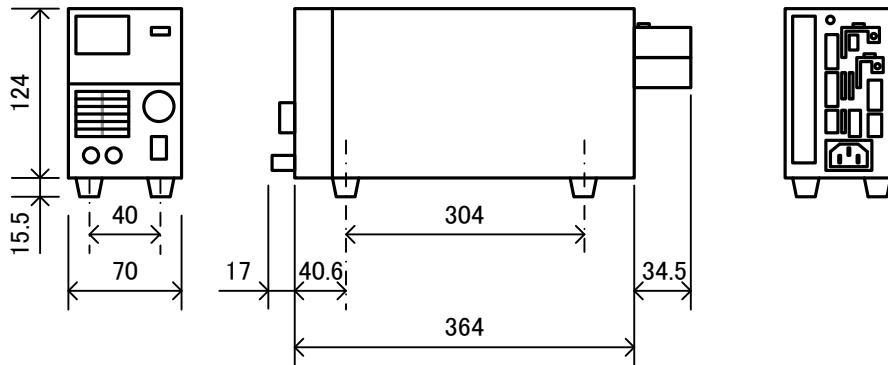
Phenomenon	Possible cause	Action
Power is not turned on even when the POWER switch is thrown. (The front panel LED is not lit.)	The AC cable is not connected securely or is broken.	Securely connect the AC cable. Or, replace the AC cable if it is broken.
	An error in the PS-A power supply unit has caused the fuse to blow.	The internal fuse must be replaced. Please contact our service center.
	AC input voltage is too low.	Adjust the AC voltage.
“ALП” is displayed when the POWER switch is thrown.	The set voltage that is input in the PS-A power supply unit exceeds the permissible AC input voltage range.	The permissible AC input voltage range is 100VAC to 240VAC, 50Hz to 60Hz.
“P-oF” is displayed when the POWER switch is thrown.	SW1-1 of the external analog board has been switched on.	Switch off the external analog board SW1-1.
“ScAn Err” is displayed when the POWER switch is thrown in parallel master-slave connection.	The wrong number of power units has been set.	Correct the setting for the number of power units.
	The dedicated cable is not connected to the J1 connector on the rear panel.	Connect the dedicated cable to the J1 connector on the rear panel.
	A cable other than the dedicated cable is connected to the J1 connector on the rear panel.	Make sure to only use the dedicated cable.
No voltage is output, even when the output is turned on in serial master-slave connection.	The dedicated cable is not connected to the J1 connector on the rear panel.	Connect the dedicated cable to the J1 connector on the rear panel.
	A cable other than the dedicated cable is connected to the J1 connector on the rear panel.	Make sure to only use the dedicated cable.
No voltage is output, even when the output is turned on.	The current is set to 0.00 A in CC mode.	Increase the set current.
“ALП” is displayed when the front output terminals are used.	A current of 20A or more is flowing to the load from the PS-A power supply unit.	The current of front output terminals is 20A or less. Use the rear output terminals.
“ALП” is displayed when the output is turned on.	The remote sensing terminal is not connected to the load.	Connect the remote sensing terminal to the load.
	The short bar to connect the output terminal and the remote sensing terminal is disconnected.	Use the short bar to connect the output terminal and the remote sensing terminal.
“ALП” is displayed when the PS-A power supply unit is used.	Objects have been placed in the front or back of the PS-A power supply unit, blocking intake from the front grill or exhaust from the rear of the unit.	Maintain a distance of at least 30 cm between objects and the front & rear panels.
	Lack of sufficient intake from the front grill due to dirt in the front grill's dust filter.	Replace or clean the internal dust filter. If the PS-A unit has been used for a few years, there may be dust and other particles that the dust filter cannot remove. If replacing or cleaning the internal dust filter fails to fix the problem, repair or recalibration of the unit may be required.

Phenomenon	Possible cause	Action
Voltage does not fall, even after the output has been turned off.	A capacitive load is connected to the PS-A power supply unit.	Before touching the output terminals, use a voltmeter to measure the voltage of the unit's output terminals to confirm voltage has fallen.
	Output HI-R function is turned on.	Turn off the output HI-R function.
Output voltage is unstable or excessive noise has been input.	Commercial frequency noises have been detected due to low AC input voltage.	Adjust the AC input voltage.
	There is a strong magnetic or electrical field nearby.	Take the proper countermeasures. Move the unit away from equipment that may produce a magnetic or electrical field and twist the wires.

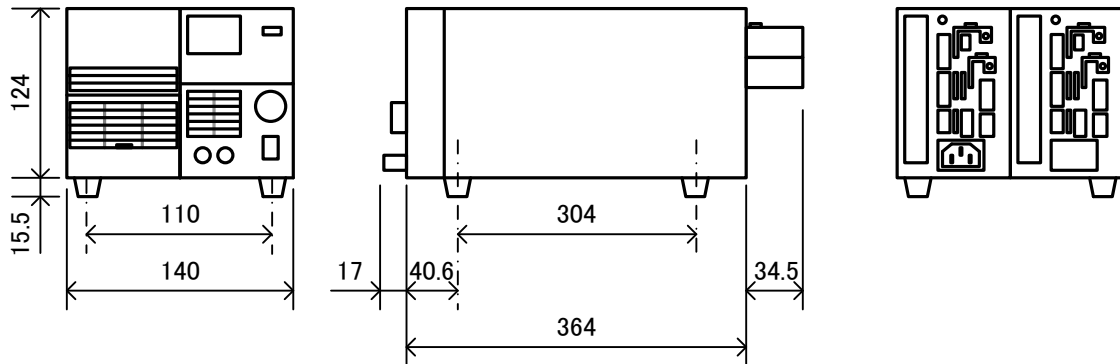
- Contact our service center if you encounter a phenomenon that is not described above, or if the problem persists even after the above causes have been eliminated.

## Appendix B. OUTSIDE DIMENSIONS

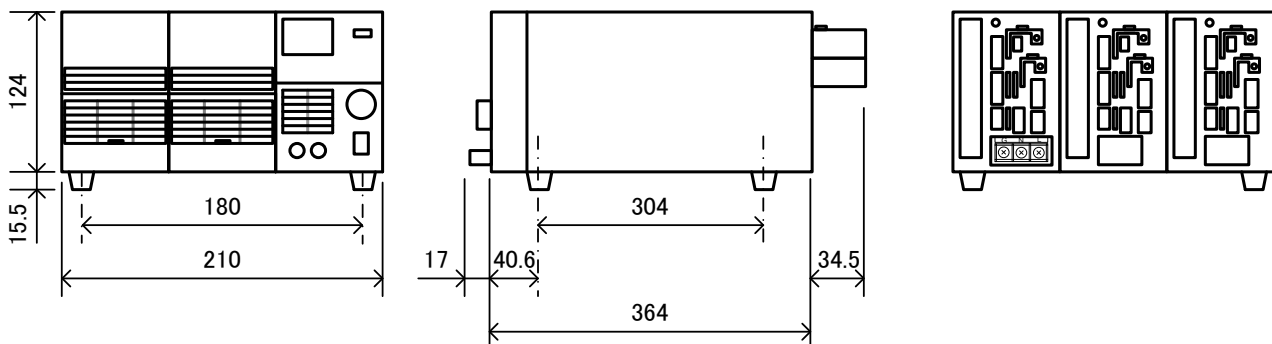
- 400W model : Outside dimensions: 124 mm (H) × 70 mm (W) × 364mm (D) Weight: Approx. 3.2kg



- 800W model : Outside dimensions: 124mm (H) × 140mm (W) × 364mm (D) Weight: Approx. 5.3kg



- 1200W model : Outside dimensions: 124mm (H) × 210 mm (W) × 364mm (D) Weight: Approx. 7.5kg





## Appendix C. SPECIFICATIONS

### Individual Specifications

	PS6-66A	PS6-133A	PS10-40A	PS10-80A	PS10-120A	PS20-20A	PS20-40A	PS20-60A	PS40-10A	PS40-20A	PS40-30A	PS60-6.6A	PS60-13.3A	PS60-20A
Rated power	400W	800W	400W	800W	1200W	400W	800W	1200W	400W	800W	1200W	400W	800W	1200W
Output voltage	0 V to 6 V		0 V to 10 V			0 V to 20 V			0 V to 40 V			0 V to 60 V		
Voltage setting resolution	1 mV		10 mV			10 mV			10 mV			10 mV		
Output current	0 A to 66 A	0 A to 133A	0 A to 40 A	0 A to 80 A	0 A to 120 A	0 A to 20 A	0 A to 40 A	0 A to 60 A	0 A to 10 A	0 A to 20 A	0 A to 30 A	0 A to 6.6 A	0 A to 13.3 A	0 A to 20 A
Current setting resolution	10 mA	100 mA	10 mA		100 mA	10 mA			10 mA			10 mA		
<b>Constant-voltage Characteristics</b>														
Source fluctuation *1	8 mV		10 mV			15 mV			23 mV			35 mV		
Load fluctuation *2	11 mV		15 mV			25 mV			41 mV			65 mV		
Ripple *3	10 mV		10 mV			10 mV			10 mV		15 mV	10 mV	15 mV	20 mV
Noise (p-p) *4	100 mV		100 mV			150 mV			100 mV			100 mV		
Transient response (TYP)	1 ms		2 ms			1 ms	2 ms		1 ms	2 ms		1 ms	2 ms	
<b>Constant-current Characteristics</b>														
Source fluctuation *1	125 mA	245 mA	75 mA	150 mA	225 mA	41 mA	82 mA	123 mA	25 mA	50 mA	75 mA	17 mA	34 mA	51 mA
Load fluctuation *5	125 mA	245 mA	75 mA	150 mA	225 mA	41 mA	82 mA	123 mA	25 mA	50 mA	75 mA	17 mA	34 mA	51 mA
Ripple *3	120 mA	260 mA	70 mA	160 mA	220 mA	40 mA	92 mA	120 mA	20 mA	60 mA	80 mA	12 mA	44 mA	55 mA
<b>Indicators</b>														
Voltage display resolution	1 mV		10 mV			10 mV			10 mV			10 mV		
Current display resolution	10 mA	100 mA	10 mA		100 mA	10 mA			10 mA			10 mA		
<b>Power Consumption: 100VAC input, rated power output</b>														
Input voltage	Single-phase 100VAC to 240VAC 50Hz to 60Hz		Single-phase AC100VAC to 240VAC,50Hz to 60Hz			Single-phase AC100VAC to 240VAC,50Hz to 60Hz			Single-phase AC100VAC to 240VAC,50Hz to 60Hz			Single-phase AC100VAC to 240VAC,50Hz to 60Hz		
Power consumption	630VA	1250VA	600VA	1200VA	1800VA	600VA	1200VA	1800VA	600VA	1200VA	1800VA	550VA	1100VA	1650VA
Power efficiency (TYP)	70%		70%			75%			75%			75%		
Power factor (TYP)	0.99		0.99			0.99			0.99			0.99		

\*1 For  $\pm 10\%$  fluctuation of the input voltage.

\*2 Measures remote sensing terminal for fluctuations of output current of 0% to 100%.

\*3 Measures at a frequency of 5 Hz to 1 MHz, by RMS.

\*4 Noise measured by 20 MHz oscilloscope.

\*5 For fluctuations of 0% to 100%.

## Common Specifications of PS-A Series

		400W model	800W model	1200W model
Voltage setting accuracy		$\pm(0.5\%SET+0.5\%F.S)$ : 23°C $\pm$ 5°C, after 30-minute aging		
Current setting accuracy		$\pm(1\%SET+1\%F.S)$ : 23°C $\pm$ 5°C, after 30-minute aging		
CV temperature coefficient		100 ppm/°C: when outputting rated voltage		
CC temperature coefficient		200 ppm/°C: when outputting rated current		
Over-voltage protection		Setting range: 10% to 110% FS, Setting resolution: 10 times of minimum display resolution Activates when output voltage exceeds set OVP value: Hardware detection		
Under-voltage protection		Setting range: -1V to 110% FS, Setting resolution: 10 times of minimum display resolution Activates when output voltage falls below the set UVP value: Software detection		
Over-current protection		Setting range: 5% to 110% FS, Setting resolution: 10 times of minimum display resolution Activates when output current exceeds set OCP value: Software detection		
Voltage display accuracy		$\pm(0.2\%rdg+0.5\%FS)$ : 23°C $\pm$ 5°C, after 30-minute aging		
Current display accuracy		$\pm(0.5\%rdg+1\%FS)$ : 23°C $\pm$ 5°C, after 30-minute aging		
Power display accuracy		$\pm(0.7\%rdg+1.5\%FS)$ : 23°C $\pm$ 5°C, after 30-minute aging		
Power display resolution		0.1 W		1 W
Voltage display range		-10%FS to +110%FS		
Current display range		0%FS to +110%FS		
Power display range		0%FS to +110%FS		
Voltage rise: No load/rated load (TYP)		80ms/80ms: Output voltage 10% $\rightarrow$ 90%FS		
Voltage drop: No load/rated load		1s/150ms: Output voltage 90% $\rightarrow$ 10%FS		
Compensating voltage range of remote sensing		1.5V one way: Output power is the rated voltage or lower		
Grounding		Positive or negative grounding		
Protective functions	Main relay off:	Over input voltage, under input voltage		
	Output off:	Over compensating voltage of remote sensing terminal, over current of front output, internal overheat, over output voltage, over output current		
Cooling method		Forced cooling: Fan speed proportionate to the temperature of internal heat sink.		
Operating temperature range		0°C to 50°C		
Operating humidity range		30% to 85%RH (No dew condensation)		
Storage temperature range		-20°C to 60°C		
Storage humidity range		20% to 85%RH (No dew condensation)		
Dielectric strength voltage		Primary-casing:1500VAC, 1min Primary-secondary: 3200VDC, 1min.		
Insulation resistance		Primary-casing: 500VDC 30M $\Omega$ or more Secondary-casing: 500VDC 20M $\Omega$ or more		
To-GND voltage		$\pm$ 250VDC		
Outside dimensions [mm]		124 (H) $\times$ 70 (W) $\times$ 364 (D)	124 (H) $\times$ 140 (W) $\times$ 364 (D)	124 (H) $\times$ 210 (W) $\times$ 364 (D)
Maximum dimensions [mm]		139.5 (H) $\times$ 70 (W) $\times$ 415.5 (D)	139.5 (H) $\times$ 140 (W) $\times$ 415.5 (D)	139.5 (H) $\times$ 210 (W) $\times$ 415.5 (D)
Weight		Approx.3.2kg	Approx.5.3kg	Approx.7.5kg
Accessories		Power cable x 1 , Core for power cable x 1 , Instruction manual x 1 , rear output terminal cover x 1, Bolt set x 1 , Output-grounding cable x 1 , M4 Small screw washer x 1 , M3 Small screw washer x 1, M3 Large screw washer x 2		

## PS-A Series Compatible Specifications

Compatible specification <sup>※6</sup>	LVD <sup>※8</sup>		EN61010-1 3rd edition (2010) Indoor use / Altitude Up to 2000m / Over-voltage category II / Pollution degree 2
	EMC	EMS (MIN)	EN61326-1:2006
		EMI (class A)	EN61326-1:2006
	Conditions for specification conformance <sup>※7</sup>		Use the unit with the power cable wound once around the accessory core. Use the unit with a secure ground connection via the protective groundingterminal on the bottom face of the unit.

<sup>※6</sup> Applicable only for units with the CE mark on the rear panel. NOT applicable for modified units.

<sup>※7</sup> Conditions for specification conformance when the optional board IF-70GU or IF-71RS is installed: The USB/GP-IB/RS-232C/modular cables used for connection must be less than 3m in length.

Conditions for specification conformance when the optional board IF-70GU or IF-71RS is installed: Both ends of the USB/modular cables to which a core (TDK : ZCAT2035-0930A-M or equivalent product) is attached must be wound twice.

<sup>※8</sup> If you do not connect the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face, it will come off from the CE conformity.

See "2-5. Connecting the protective grounding terminal on the bottom face" for details.



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