The industry standard hand-held, battery-operated 15KV ESD simulator. Meets IEC 61000-4-2 and other ESD standards.

### Thermo Scientific MiniZap

ESD simulators for direct, indirect and diagnostic ESD testing



#### **Features and Benefits**

- Hand-held, portable and self-contained ESD simulator
- Intuitive operation
- Portable and self-contained
- Meets requirements of IEC 61000-4-2 & ANSI C63.16
- Contact mode and air discharge ESD testing
- Generates real world, repeatable and correlatable ESD pulses
- E and H Field diagnostics
- Vertical and horizontal coupling planes for indirect ESD testing
- Built-in safety features
- Field-configurable
- Rechargeable battery or AC powered





## High performance, ruggedly-reliable tester for manufacturing, field service or lab

The Thermo Scientific MiniZap is a totally integrated lightweight hand-held tester featuring ease of use, and the ability to withstand long-term operation in rugged environments. By simply interchanging plug-in tips, you can test to risetime standards, as well as do 'reality checks' that indicate product performance in intended environments.

# Test without errors caused by simulator-generated multiple ESDs

Multiple ESD events can be generated by a human discharge, and also by other ESD simulators that introduce additional artificial and energetic multiple discharges. The MiniZap tester does not use a voltage multiplier, and won't introduce testing errors and uncertainties due to streams of artificial, high-level ESD multiples. With its constantvoltage ESD simulator design feeding back and monitoring right from the tip, you know the *exact* voltage at which you've tested. The correct tip voltage is maintained to the instant of discharge; it then drops to prevent simulator-induced multiples.

#### **System Description**

Contact-mode simulation, ±0.5 to ±8 kV, and air discharge simulation ±0.5 to ±15 kV; both single shot, or repetitive at 1/s and 20/s. Provides both the air discharge mode via IEC ball tip TPA-2 up to ±15 kV, and contact mode with special IEC Omni-Tip assembly TPC-2A, up to >8 kV. Also includes True-ESD, fastest air discharge tip, TPA-1. The combination provides full conformance to and beyond IEC 61000-4-2 and ANSI C63.16. Uses digital display with 10V resolutions, and includes inter-locked safe, lock-on mode. Uses a 150 pF/330 ohm Discharge Network. Includes soft case, and rechargeable (internal) battery operation.

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### Thermo Scientific MiniZap Model MZ-15/EC

Feature	Benefit
Voltage Range	±0.5 to >8 kV, Contact Mode; ±0.5 to 15 kV, Air Discharge
Air Discharge	TRUE-ESD (<0.3 ns nominal risetime up to 4 kV)
Contact Mode	FR/Cl std <0.3 ns risetime independent of charge voltage; 3.75 A/kV ±10% peak, e.g., 30 A @ 8 kV
RC Networks	150 pF/330 ohm standard (other RC networks available)
Lock On	Standard (with safety interlock)
Rep Rate	Single shot as well as 1/sec and 20/sec repetitive operation
HV Display	Digital LCD display measures actual HV at the tip with 10 V resolution, ~3% accuracy
Ground Connect Warning	LED indicates ground cable not connected to tester
Power	Operates from 120-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz or 4 NiCd batteries with LED charge status indicator
Size	10 in x 2.5 in x 3.2 in (25.4 cm x 8.9 cm x 8.1 cm)
Weight	29 oz (822 gm) nominal, plus case and accessories
Calibrators	
DCA-2	Output Calibration Attenuator: network to allow oscilloscope or meter monitoring of DC stored on the
	discharge capacitor (10,000:1 ratio)
CTC-4	Coaxial Current Monitor: IEC 61000-4-2, coax monitor for ESD current waveform, with >1 GHz capability.
	Includes high-peak-power attenuator and scope cable
FCS-1	Field and Corona Sensor Group: including Common Monitor Unit HEC-1, H-Field sensor HFS-1, E-field sensor EFS-1 and
	Pre-Discharge corona sensor CCS-1
Accessories	
TPC-1	True-ESD fastest-risetime contact-mode tip
TPF-1	Self-discharge tip
50-MZ	Standoff spacer for air-discharge mode1
VCP-1	Vertical Coupling Plane (VCP); 0.5 m x 0.5 m (19.7 in x 19.7 in) plane, in accordance with IEC 61000-4-2 and
	ANSI C63.16 ESD test standards. Includes bench-mount stand with mounting provisions for the MiniZap, and handles
MZT-11	E-Field (static and dynamic electric field) Simulator Tip Assembly
MZT-12	H-Field (magnetic field) Simulator Tip Assembly
MCA-1	Hard Carrying Case (does not include space for VCP-1, HCP-1, BTS-1, TP-3)
TP-3	Full Target Plane for mounting the CTC-4 coaxial target; 1.5 m x 1.5 m (59 in x 59 in) IEC-61000-4-2, and ANSI C63.16
HCP-1	Horizontal Coupling Plane (HCP); 0.8 m x 1.6 m (31.5 in x 63 in) for use on non-conducting tabletop under a small EUT,
	as per IEC 61000-4-2, and ANSI C63.16. Includes one roll of <0.5 mm thick, static-dissipative sheet insulator

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