## PLUG-IN PROGRAMMERS (PIPS) AND MANUAL OSCILLATORS

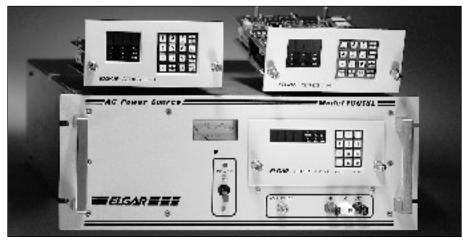
#### **PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

To produce the output voltages and frequencies required to drive the company's broad line of AC power sources, Elgar designed a family of oscillators and plug-in programmers.

Elgar Plug-In Programmers (PIPs) are microprocessor-based, multi-function system components that can be programmed to control amplitude, frequency, phase angle, current limits and a variety of special built-in functions.

The PIP 704 is a Plug-In Programmable Transient Generator that includes all the critical test parameters of MIL-STD-704 for "Aircraft Electrical Power Characteristics" pre-programmed and ready to use at the touch of a button or over the IEEE-488 bus.

Elgar's family of plug-in oscillators provides users with maximum flexibility and optimum price performance for both manually adjustable and fixed frequency applications.



PIP 704, PIP 9023 and PIP 9012A

Elgar offers a two year warranty on the manual oscillators, PIPs and the SL, SX and B Series power supplies.

The table below cross-references application needs with the Elgar plug-in programmers and manual oscillators designed to meet them. Just turn to the indicated page number for product details.

Selection Guide										
Elgar Series	C€	Fixed Frequency Output	Variable Frequency Output	Manual Front Panel	IEEE-488 Programmable Operation Control	Resistance or Voltage Programming	Resistance or Voltage Programming Output Freq	Transient Testing Dropout Output Volts	Independent Voltage and Phase Output Capability	Test Readback Option Control
PIP 9012A										•
PIP 9023					•					
PIP 704										
400										
400 SP										
400 SD										
400 CV										
PIP 9012AE										



#### **PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

Elgar PIPs are ready to plug in to any of our full line of AC linear power sources. They are programmable via the IEEE-488 GPIB bus, or locally from the front panel keypad.

Whether controlled power is needed for automated test equipment (ATE), aircraft ground support, production lines or laboratories, PIPs provide reliable programming that is easy to use. Elgar programmers are used in aerospace, military, commercial and telecommunications electronic applications around the world.

All Elgar PIPs have a two-year limited warranty.

## STANDARD ON ALL PIPS

#### **BUILT-IN TEST DIAGNOSTICS**

Built-In Test (BIT) provides continuous selftesting for overvoltage, open sense leads and overcurrent. It shuts down the output voltage when any discrepancies occur between actual and programmed values.

#### DISCONNECT RELAY

The output voltage is automatically programmed to zero during relay transfer time with off and on executed at zero crossings. This feature requires the "D" option on the AC power source.

#### REMOTE SENSING

This feature provides full programming accuracy without sacrificing response time. Programming from zero volts to full scale takes less than 1 ms to within  $\pm 1\%$  of full ms scale or to within  $\pm 0.2\%$  of full scale in less than 50 ms.

### **OPTIONS**

#### **TEST OPTION (BITE)**

Optional Built-In Test Equipment (BITE) limits the need for extra test equipment by monitoring output frequency, RMS voltage, RMS current and true watts. It requires the test option on the AC power source. It includes current limit programming, which protects units under test (UUT's) by limiting current to each UUT's specific maximum requirements.

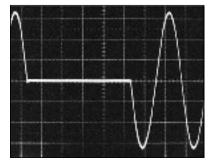
The chart below details the standard functions of each PIP and the options available. If you have special power applications, please call your local representative or a member of our service team to discuss how custom functions can be added.

PIP Comparison	Comparison			
	9012A/AE	9023	704	
AC transient generation			•	
Amplitude modulation input capability				
Auto-ranging frequency				
Built-In Test (BIT) diagnostics				
Local control/display				
Multi-system phase lock		•	-	
Preprogrammed MIL-STD-704D testing			-	
Programmable flat top distortion			•	
Programmable frequency range		Auto	Auto	
Remote sensing			•	
Synchronization pulse output	•			
Voltage drop-outs	•		•	
Voltage range programming	•	•	<b>2</b>	
Zero, peak, or random command	•			
Optional functions				
Built-In Test Equipment (BITE)	•	•		
Current limit programming				
Output disconnect relay <sup>1</sup>			•	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The AC source must have a disconnect option

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Switch selectable from internal range switch

# PIPS SERIES



PIP 9012A Line Drop-out

# PIP 9012A/PIP 9012AE (CE)

The PIP 9012A/AE features remote programming or local control via a 12-pad keyboard with display and function enunciators. The 9012A/AE provides full GPIB control of simultaneous voltage and frequency and has a 1 to 9 full or half cycle dropout capability. With the test option, the front panel display becomes a digital meter to read the RMS volts, amps, watts and frequency.

The PIP 9012A/AE is well suited for applications such as pass/fail incoming inspection testing.

The oscilloscope picture, above (left), is a two cycle voltage drop-out from a "DROP 2" command to a PIP 9012A.

#### **PIP 9023**

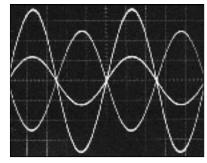
The PIP 9023 is designed for complicated, variable phase angle applications. It has three programmable voltage ranges with independent control of voltage and phase angle. The independent phase angles are programmable in 0.5 degree steps through 360 degrees. The PIP 9023 also features auto ranging frequency.

The PIP 9023 is the product of choice for complicated, variable phase applications such as gyro testing.

The oscilloscope picture above (center) is of a three phase output programmed for unbalanced voltages and special phase angles from a PIP 9023-3.



PIP 9023



PIP 9023 Programmable Phases

#### **PIP 704**

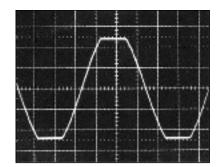
The PIP 704 Plug-In Programmable Transient Generator is designed to meet the MIL-STD-704 "Aircraft Electrical Power Characteristics" test requirements for 400 Hz power.

It can also perform various voltage and frequency aberrations, such as simultaneous or independent transients (including 704D ramps), voltage surges/sags, frequency deviation, voltage phase differentiation, and waveform distortion in any single phase or in all three phases.

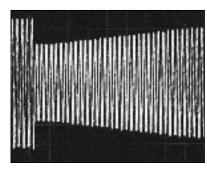
The PIP 704 is designed for testing aircraft avionics, shipboard electronics and jet and rocket engine controllers.



PIP 704



PIP 704 Flat Top Distortion



PIP 704 Voltage Ramp

The scope pictures, above, show 8% Total Harmonic Distortion (THD) simulating sudden overload of a generator and a ramp per Table 5 of MIL-STD-704.



PIP 9012A



	9012A/AE	9023	704	
FREQUENCY				
Range	Programmable 45-99.99 Hz 45-999.9 Hz 45-5000 Hz	Auto-Ranging 45-999.9 Hz 1000-5000 Hz	Single Range 45-999.9 Hz	
Resolution	0.01/0.1/1.0 Hz	0.1/1.0 Hz	0.1 Hz	
Accuracy	0.001% of Set Value	0.001% of Set Value	0.001% of Set Value	
External Frequency/ Phase Synchronization	No	Yes-to another 9023 or a 704	Yes-to another 704 or a 9023	
VOLTAGE				
Mode	Programmable Simultaneously	Programmable Independently or Simultaneously	Programmable Independently or Simultaneously	
Range	0-135 VAC 0-270 VAC	0-67.5 VAC 0-135 VAC	0-135 VAC Switch Selectable 0-270 VAC Switch Selectable	
		0-270 VAC	0.171.0	
Resolution	0.1 VAC	0.1 VAC	0.1 VAC	
Programming Accuracy	±0.2% of Full Scale	±0.2% of Full Scale	±0.2% of Full Scale	
Load Regulation	±0.015%; No Load to Full Load	±0.015%; No Load to Full Load	±0.015%; No Load to Full Load	
Line Regulation	±0.015%; for a 10% Line Change	±0.015%; for a 10% Line Change	±0.015%; for a 10% Line Change	
CURRENT LIMIT (Requires test option)			Programmable Independently by Phase	
Range	5%-100%	5%-100%	5%-100%	
PHASE ANGLE PROGRAMMING	Single ø, Two ø Fixed 90° 3ø , Fixed 120°	Three ø Programmable	Three ø Programmable	
Range	N/A	0-360°	0-360°	
Resolution	N/A	0.5° Increments	0.5° Increments	
Accuracy	±1°; 45-2 kHz Add 1° Per kHz above 2 kHz	±1°: 45-2 kHz Add 0.5° Per kHz above 2 kHz	±1°, 45-999.9 Hz	

	9012A/AE	9023	704	
Fault Shutdown	Over/Under	Over/Under	Over/Under	
	Voltage	Voltage	Voltage	
	Overload	Overload	Overload	
	Over Current*	Over Current*	Over Current*	
Programmable	Random/Zero	N/A	Zero Crossing	
Amplitude	Crossing Peak			
Execution				
Line Cycle Drop-Out	Programmable	N/A	Programmable	
yr	1-9 Cycles		1-9999 Cycles	
Flat Top distortion	N/A	N/A	8% THD	
MEASUREMENT				
READBACK				
FREQUENCY				
Range	45 Hz-5 kHz	45 Hz-5 kHz	45 Hz-1 kHz	
Resolution	2 Hz	1 Hz	1 Hz	
Accuracy	0.12%	± LSD	± LSD	
	±0.8% Reading			
TRUE RMS				
VOLTAGE				
Range	0-300 VAC	0-300 VAC	0-300 VAC	
Resolution	0.1 VRMS	0.1 VRMS	0.1 VRMS	
Accuracy	0.1% FS	0.1% FS	0.1% FS	
	±0.1% Reading	±0.1% Reading	±0.1% Reading	
over never				
CURRENT				
Range**	0-5A, 10A, 20A,	0-5A, 10A, 20A,	0-5A, 10A, 20A,	
	40 ARMS	40 ARMS	40 ARMS	
Resolution	0.01 ARMS	0.01 ARMS	0.01 ARMS	
Accuracy	1% FS	1% FS	1% FS	
	±1% Reading	±1% Reading	±1% Reading	
POWER				
Range**	0-500W, 1 kW	0-500W, 1 kW	0-500W, 1 kW	
0-	2 kW, 4 kW	2 kW, 4 kW	2 kW, 4 kW	
Resolution	1W	1W	1W	
Accuracy	1% FS	0.5% FS	0.5% FS	
lecaracy	±1% Reading	±1% Reading	±1% Reading	
PHASE ANGLE				
Range	N/A	0-359°	0-399°	
Resolution	N/A	0.5 °	0.5°	

<sup>\*</sup> With Programmable Current \*\*Depends on Power Amplifier Selection in the Power Source