

**Agilent 16093A Test Fixture**

# **Operating Note**

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## Safety Summary

The following general safety precautions must be observed during all phases of operation, service, and repair of this instrument. Failure to comply with these precautions or with specific WARNINGS elsewhere in this manual may impair the protection provided by the equipment. In addition it violates safety standards of design, manufacture, and intended use of the instrument.

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- **Ground The Instrument**

To avoid electric shock hazard, the instrument chassis and cabinet must be connected to a safety earth ground by the supplied power cable with earth blade.

- **DO NOT Operate In An Explosive Atmosphere**

Do not operate the instrument in the presence of flammable gasses or fumes. Operation of any electrical instrument in such an environment constitutes a definite safety hazard.

- **Keep Away From Live Circuits**

Operating personnel must not remove instrument covers. Component replacement and internal adjustments must be made by qualified maintenance personnel. Do not replace components with the power cable connected. Under certain conditions, dangerous voltages may exist even with the power cable removed. To avoid injuries, always disconnect power and discharge circuits before touching them.

- DO NOT Service Or Adjust Alone

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- Dangerous Procedure Warnings

Warnings, such as the example below, precede potentially dangerous procedures throughout this manual. Instructions contained in the warnings must be followed.

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**WARNING**

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**Dangerous voltages, capable of causing death, are presenting this instrument. Use extreme caution when handling, testing, and adjusting this instrument.**

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## Agilent 16093A TEST FIXTURE

### MANUAL IDENTIFICATION

Model Number: 16093A
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### Operating Note

This supplement contains information for correcting manual errors and for adapting the manual to newer instruments that contains improvements or modifications not documented in the existing manual.

To use this supplement

1. Make all ERRATA corrections
2. Make all appropriate serial-number-related changes listed below

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SERIAL PREFIX OR NUMBER CHANGES	MAKE MANUAL

## ERRATA

## CHANGES 1

CHANGE 1 contains the information needed to adapt the 16093A's manual.

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Add the following information.

### 6. SPECIFICATION.

Maximum Voltage:  $\pm 40V$  peak max. (AC + DC)

### NOTE

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## 1. INTRODUCTION.

This operating note provides the information required to maintain and repair the Hewlett-Packard Model 16093A Binding Post Fixture. The Model 16093A, pictorially shown on the front cover, was specially designed for use with the Model 4191A RF Impedance Analyzer. How to use the 16093A, performance characteristic data, and operating instructions are given in the 4191A's Operation and Service Manual. To order additional copies of this operating note, use the part number listed on the rear cover and contact the nearest Hewlett-Packard Office.

## 2. MAINTENANCE.

### 2-1 PERIODIC AND PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE OF THE APC-7 CONNECTOR CONTACTS.

Keep contact surface of the APC-7 connector (part of the test fixture) clean and dry. Replace the center pin of the APC-7 connector every 50 connections and disconnections or when the center pin is damaged or worn. The appropriate procedure and the precautions to follow when cleaning and replacing the contacts of the APC-7 connector are outlined in paragraphs 3 and 4.

### 2-2 PARTS REPLACEMENT.

Figure 1 lists all replaceable parts of the 16093A. To identify the locations of the individual parts listed, refer to the exploded view. Do not disassemble any further than shown in the figure.

To order the necessary replacement parts, identify them by their Hewlett-Packard part number. If a defective part is located in an assembly that cannot be disassembled, order the next higher assembly or return the whole device to the nearest Hewlett-Packard Sales/Service Office for repair or replacement. A list of the Sales/Service Offices is given inside the rear cover.

## 3. REPLACEMENT OF THE APC-7 CONNECTOR CONTACT.

To maintain optimum contact between the APC-7 connector contacts, it is recommended that the RF Connector Contact (HP Part No. 1250-0907) of the center conductor be replaced every 50 connections/disconnections or as required (when damaged or worn). The 11591A APC-7 Pin Replacement Kit is required to remove the contact from the connector. The replacement procedure is outlined below:

- (1) Grip the Pin Vise, and fully open the vise chuck by pressing the button on the vise.
- (2) Place the Pin Vice over the center conductor of the APC-7 connector and guide pin into the hole of the contact.
- (3) Close the vise chuck by releasing the button; the chuck will close around the connector contact and extract it from the APC-7 connector.
- (4) Lift the Pin Vise up and away, and remove the extracted contact from the vise chuck.
- (5) Carefully insert the new contact into the center conductor using tweezers. Push the contact into the center conductor with a clean flat-head stick until it is seated.

#### 4. CLEANING APC-7 CONNECTORS.

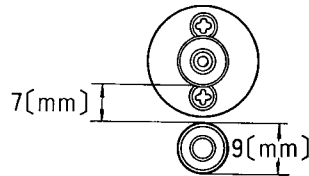
The APC-7 connector contact surface of the UNKNOWN terminal, terminations and test fixtures must be kept clean, i.e., free of dust, oil or any foreign matter which will prevent good contact. To maintain clean contact surfaces, it is recommended that the operator perform periodic cleaning as necessary. Use a lint-free cloth and, if a cleaning fluid is needed, use isopropyl alcohol.

#### CAUTION

Do not use aromatic or chlorinated hydrocarbons, esters, ethers, terpenes, higher alcohols, ketones, or such chemicals as benzene, toluene, turpentine, dioxane, gasoline, cellulose acetate, or carbon tetrachloride. Keep exposure of the connector parts to both the cleaning fluid and its vapors as brief as possible.

#### 5. DESCRIPTION.

The 16093A Binding Post Fixture is used for measurement of both axial and radial lead miniature components. Two binding post terminals at an interval of 7mm on the terminal deck ensure optimum contact of terminals and sample leads.



Usable frequency range: DC to 250MHz.  
Electrical length: 0.34cm (typ.).

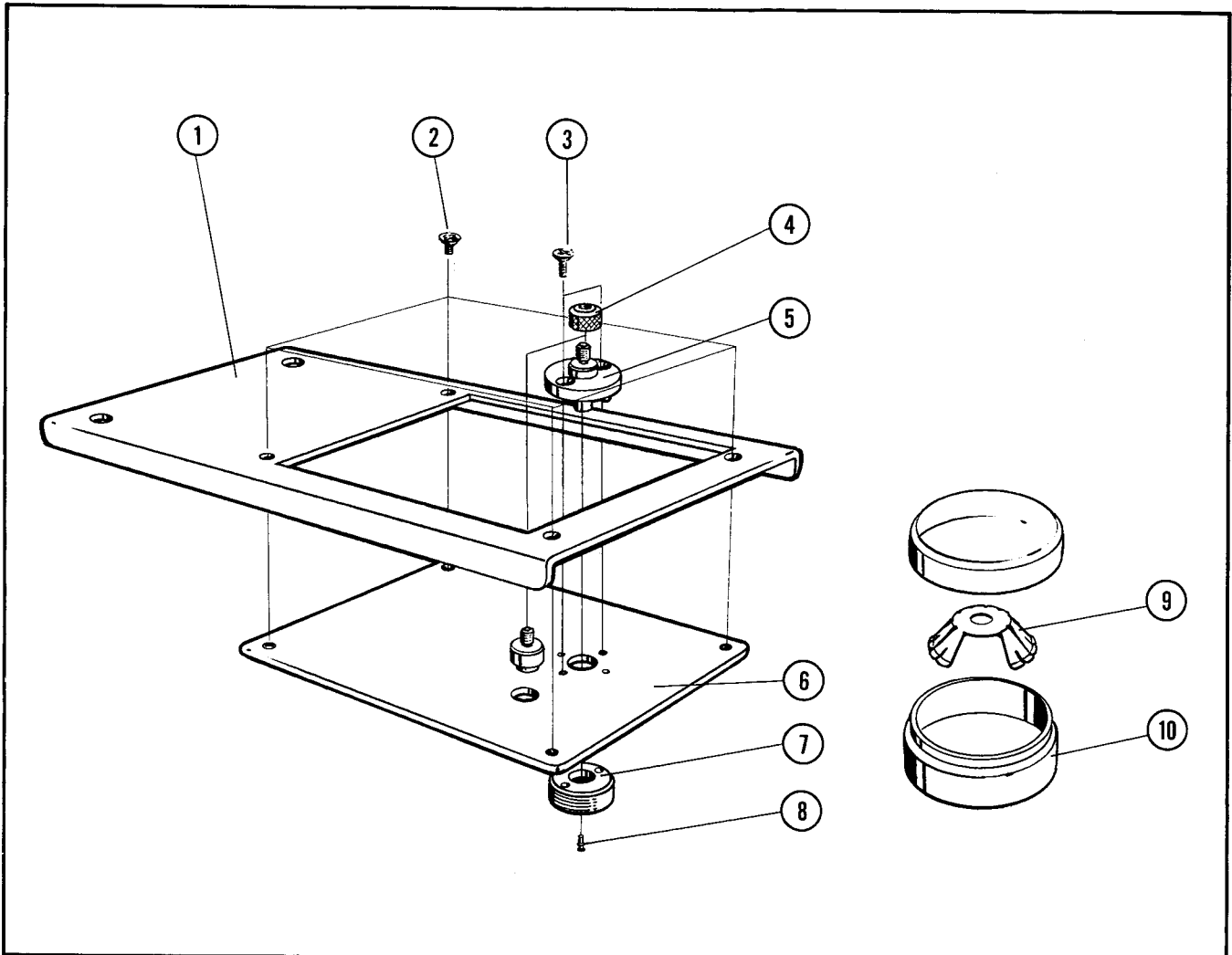
#### Note

A special skirted grounding terminator is furnished with the 16093A Binding Post Fixture. The terminator provides an optimum shorting configuration between the High terminal and ground of the test fixture. When the test fixture is short-circuited, the residual resistance and inductance of the fixture terminal can be measured in the L-R (inductance - series resistance) mode of the 4191A using the following procedure:

Remove the post of the High terminal from the test fixture deck. Attach the special grounding electrode, with its concave slide down, to test fixture positive contact post with the post removed. Under this condition, the residual inductance and resistance are displayed on DISPLAY A and DISPLAY B, respectively.

When reassembling the APC-7 type RF connectors mounted on the 16093A after replacing a damaged or worn part, the center conductor must be precisely centered in reference to the ground screw. To ensure proper centering, a tube-shaped spacer with an outer diameter of 6.95mm and inner diameter of 5.05mm must be used. To obtain the spacer, contact the nearest Hewlett-Packard office.





Reference	HP Part No.	Qty	Description
1	16093-00212	1	TABLE
2	0520-0163	4	SCREW
3	0520-0164	2	SCREW
4	16093-24016	2	KNOB
5	16093-65001	1	CENTER POST
6	16093-65002	1	PEDESTAL PLATE
7	16092-24014	1	GROUND SCREW
8	1250-0907	1	CONTACT-RF CONNECTOR
9	16093-08011	1	GROUND SPRING
10	1540-0622	1	CASE

Figure 1. Parts Identification for 16093A.



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