



PRECISION AC/DC SHUNTS

THE BEST IN AC SHUNT PERFORMANCE WITH OUR 7340 VOLTAGE BASED AND 7350 POWER BASED SHUNTS

High Stability, Precision Voltage or Power Rated AC/DC Current Calibration Standards



FEATURES

- High Current Values to 100 A
- AC/DC Difference Essentially Zero at Power Frequencies, and < 10 ppm up to 10 kHz
- Phase Displacement typically 5 to 10X Better than nearest competitor from 10 kHz to 100 kHz
- Widest Available Bandwidth DC to 100 kHz
- Stable up to 2 MHz
- Excellent 1-Year Stabilities
- Low Temperature Coefficients 2.5 ppm/°C
- Both Series Provide a 4-Wire, True Non-Inductive Patented Design
- 7340 Series Provides 12 Current Values from 1 mA to 100 A with Output Voltages from 0.2 to 1.0 V
- 7350 Series Provides 6 Ohmic Values with Currents from 0.1 A to 25 A with Power up to 10 Watts
- Ruggedized EMI Shielded Enclosure
- Designed for Ease of Use and Complete Operational Safety

GUILDLINE INSTRUMENTS provides two series of the best performing, most compact, wide-band AC current shunts that are commercially available!

Each AC Shunt Series provides unique design features that allow customers to select the AC Shunt most appropriate for their measurement application.

PROVIDING TWO SERIES FOR AC CURRENT SHUNTS, THE 7350 POWER BASED SERIES AND THE 7340 VOLTAGE BASED SERIES. BOTH SERIES PROVIDE FOR PRECISION AC CURRENT MEASUREMENTS TO 100 A AND A WIDE 100 KHZ FREQUENCY BANDWIDTH!

Guildline Instruments provides the best performing, most compact, high frequency AC/DC current shunts that are commercially available. The 7340 Series provides a range of output voltages designed for use with thermal converters, while the 7350 Series is designed to be used across a much wider operation range based on output power (watts). Both Series are unique with respect to engineering and design, compact size and EMI shielding.

The 7340 and 7350 Series of four-terminal AC Current Shunts feature low uncertainty (high accuracy), low temperature coefficients and excellent stability. These shunts are designed to be purely resistive with extremely small values of reactance. These shunts are used over a wide frequency range from DC to 100 kHz and are stable up to 2 MHz.

The 7340 Series, with 12 available Current models, is designed to provide an output voltage in the range of 0.2 to 1.0 Volt for specified current models from 1 mA to 100 A. For the higher current ranges above 3 A the optional model 73401 Forced Convection Unit is used to provide air cooling. A buffer amplifier is also provided for use with low currents.

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Guildline's 7350 Series of Precision AC shunts have an appearance and performance similar to the 7340 Series. The 7350 Series, with 6 available Ohmic models, are designed to provide power dissipation of up to 10 Watts with current capabilities from 0.1 A up to 25 A, and frequencies to 100 kHz. The 7350 Series is also stable up to 2 MHz. The 7350 Series does not require the model 73401 Forced Convection Unit for high currents.

The shunts can be placed in AC current circuits where the phase relationships between currents or voltages needs to be measured. At power frequencies the Phase Angle Displacement at 10 A is typically much better than 4 mDeg ($<70 \mu\text{rad}$). The lower value shunts (i.e. below 10 Ω) may also be used as burdens for current transformers, making the measurement of higher currents possible.

7340 Series (VOLTAGE BASED):

The 7340 Series offers 12 models with current measurements from 1 mA to 100 A. The 7340 AC Current Shunts can be used for a variety of AC/DC current measurement applications and have a nominal impedance range of 100 Ω to 0.004 Ω . The frequency bandwidth of this series is 100 kHz for all current outputs, however they are stable at frequencies up to 2 MHz. For low currents a buffer amplifier is available.



The output (Voltage) connector on the front face of all models within both series is a BNC type for connection to the potential measuring device. UHF Type connectors are provided for currents up to 25 A on the back face of the shunt and LC type connectors are provided for current ranges above 25 A.

The very small phase shift of the 7340 shunts makes accurate high-frequency power measurements possible. The output voltage of the shunts faithfully reproduces the current waveform even under badly distorted or pulsed current conditions. This makes the shunts useful when examining complex and distorted current waveforms. Like the 7340, the 7350 Series has outstanding phase displacement. From 10 kHz to 100 kHz Frequencies, both Series are typically 5 to 10x better than competitive shunts. In the specifications section, a table is provided with typical phase displacements. This performance is much better than any other commercially available AC shunt.

Additionally, the shunts are effective in many other classical measurement, standards, or calibration laboratory applications. Besides precision AC Current measurements, these shunts are also an excellent choice when making AC power and energy measurements using watt-meters or watt-hour meters.



7350 Series (POWER BASED):

The 7350 Series of four-terminal AC Current Shunts are designed to be a lower uncertainty and more stable replacement of the successful Guildline 7320 series. These patented shunts also have a non-inductive design and are essentially purely resistive. With a ruggedized and shielded enclosure, the 7350 series shunts are constructed with very small values of reactance.



Like the 7340 models, the output (Voltage) connector on the front face is a BNC type connector. UHF Type connectors are provided for currents up to 25 Amperes.

The 7350 Series are ideal for use over a wide frequency range from DC to 100 kHz with low uncertainty (high accuracy), low temperature coefficients and excellent stability. In addition they are stable up to 2 MHz. To suit a wide range of customers and applications, the 7350 Series shunts provide power dissipation capability of up to 10 Watts and a maximum current capability up to 25 A. The AC Current Shunts can be used for a variety of AC/DC current measurement applications and have a nominal impedance range of 0.01 Ω to 1000 Ω.

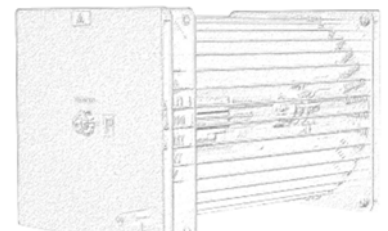
Applications include the accurate measurement of AC current, calibration of AC shunts and clamp-on meters, calibration of current ranges of multi-function calibrators, high accuracy DVM's and transconductance amplifiers; as well as providing a traceable current signal using a traceable voltage standard from DC to 100 kHz.



Guildline AC Precision Shunts - Designed Like No Other AC Shunt Manufactured Today!

Most commercial AC shunts employ an Open Design. However, this design does not have a ruggedized construction, EMI shielding, and can only be used in a very tightly controlled environment by experienced personnel.

The open design provides good measurements but does present challenges for commercial laboratory applications. It uses an open structure to counter heat buildup which exposes the precision resistance elements, uses long electrical paths resulting in larger time constants and greater phase angle shifts (i.e. 13 inches or more for high current models), provides no protection against EMI, is susceptible to environmental effects including humidity or pressure, and is easily damaged. As an example, most competitive AC shunts, if used outside of 50% humidity, must have 20 ppm or more added to specifications



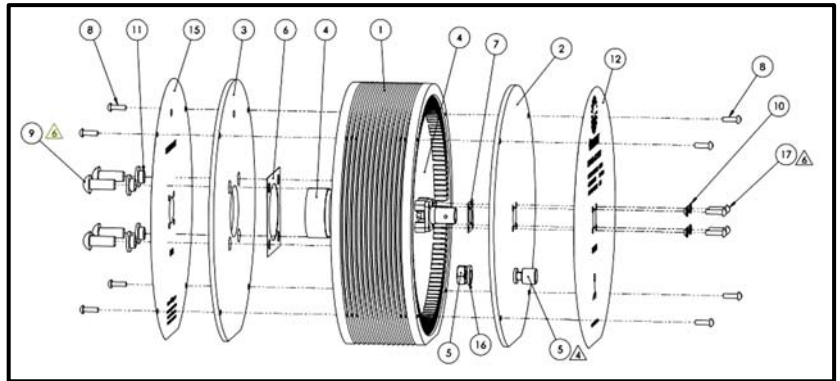
Example Open Radial Design

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With the open design, users must be fully aware and in control of environmental conditions, test setups and operator and equipment safety. Metal tables or other nearby large metal objects, overhead lighting, air flow, and other environmental factors have a dramatic affect on readings. High heat transfer to connectors, due to the design, also provides issues for operators.

Physical support must be uniform across an open shunt so the resistance elements or electrical traces do not twist or bend – and this must be done without using metal. The large size results in a larger phase angle shift, especially at higher frequencies. Finally, with exposed resistance elements, dirt, temperature or even items falling into the shunt such as pens, etc. provide concerns for safety.

Guildline decided not to use an open design and to develop AC Shunts that incorporate design features to: improve performance in normal laboratory conditions, provide EMI protection, reduce phase angle shift, provide a more durable shunt, and to ensure safe operation for personnel. This has resulted in the patented 7340 and 7350 Series of AC Shunts. These Shunts incorporate many features that no other shunt can match. Features that allow the best in performance, operation and usage over a wide variety of conditions!



The design of Guildline’s AC Shunts starts with an EMI shielded, ruggedized case. You can see from the exploded diagram that the 7340/7350 case protects the resistive elements and all shunt circuitry. The shielded case also greatly reduces EMI effects. This design also ensures there are no long electrical paths or traces which reduces phase shifts. All these features mean you do not have to worry about using special laboratory conditions or compensating for AC measurement parasites during the measurement.

The 7340/7350 Series design also provides many other benefits. The 100 A Model runs at 1/2 the power at any current load. This means less heat to dissipate - and Guildline does provide an optional Forced Air Unit to further improve measurements at higher power levels (i.e. normally only required for power greater than 10 Watts). Each 7340 Shunt also has a wider range of operation, so the Series requires fewer shunts to maintain and calibrate. This is a significant savings when considering the cost of purchase and especially calibration.

The 7340 and 7350 Series provide an innovative and modern design for today's laboratories while providing the best in measurement performance.

AC Shunt Design and Specifications

So - how effective is the patented design? If you look at the NMI measured values for 3 of the 7340 models shown to the right, you will see the best performance in AC-DC transfers available for a commercial wideband AC Shunt. This shows that you can have the best in performance coupled with operational safety, ease of use, EMI protection and a compact ruggedized case. Note that these values and shunts were not hand selected, but actual performance with shunts that were used in a customer's laboratory for 3 years.

Shunt 7340-1A		SN:	
input current	frequency	ac-dc transfer difference in $\mu\text{A/A}$	expanded uncertainty in $\mu\text{A/A}$
1 A	100 Hz	0	4
1 A	1 kHz	0	4
1 A	10 kHz	0	4
1 A	100 kHz	+12	10

Shunt 7340-3A		SN:	
input current	frequency	ac-dc transfer difference in $\mu\text{A/A}$	expanded uncertainty in $\mu\text{A/A}$
3 A	100 Hz	0	5
3 A	1 kHz	0	5
3 A	10 kHz	-1	5
3 A	100 kHz	-32	20

Shunt 7340-10A		SN:	
input current	frequency	ac-dc transfer difference in $\mu\text{A/A}$	expanded uncertainty in $\mu\text{A/A}$
10 A	100 Hz	+1	20
10 A	1 kHz	0	20
10 A	10 kHz	-2	20
10 A	100 kHz	-85	75

The expanded uncertainty listed in the previous calibration certificate is the actual uncertainty of the NMI that performed the calibration on these shunts.

For high currents, below are test results from two different NMI's that calibrated two different 7340-100 A Models. Note that you will see there can be a difference in NMI's expanded uncertainty and capabilities that have an impact on the AC-DC Transfer Uncertainty. That said, the results of these two 100 A models show the superior performance of Guildline's 7340 AC Shunts, even at currents up to 100 A with frequencies to 100 kHz.

Shunt 7340-100A			
input current	frequency	ac-dc transfer difference in $\mu\text{A/A}$	expanded uncertainty in $\mu\text{A/A}$
100 A	100 Hz	-5	40
100 A	1 kHz	0	40
100 A	10 kHz	-40	40
100 A	100 kHz	-249	160

Guildline Model 7340-100 A					
Frequency Hz	AC-DC Difference ($\mu\Omega/\Omega$)		Expanded Uncertainty ($\mu\Omega/\Omega$)		
	50 A	85 A	Frequency Hz	50 A	85 A
100	-2	-2	100	28	28
1000	-5	-5	1000	28	28
10000	-17	-17	10000	28	25
50000	-27	-23	50000	33	30
100000	-99	-91	100000	39	39

And this performance is also provided with the 7350 Series. If you examine the chart to the right, you will find NMI Results for our 7350-0.01 Ω Model which is rated up to 25 A. Of interest is that this shunt was measured at up to 30 A (i.e. 20% over-range of the maximum recommended current). You can see that even in an over-current situation, the measurement performance is excellent.

Frequency Hz	Model 7350-0.01 AC-DC Difference ($\mu\Omega/\Omega$)			
	15A	20A	25A	30A
50	1	0	0	1
100	0	-1	-1	-2
500	0	0	0	1
1000	0	-1	0	0
10000	-1	-3	-3	-3
50000	-50	-49	-47	-48
100000	-141	-139	-139	-143

AC/DC Difference is typically < 5 ppm for ALL shunts \leq 25 A up to 10 kHz; and < 10 ppm for all shunts \geq 50A up to 1 kHz!

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AC Shunt Accessories



Guildline provides a complete line of accessories for the 7340 and 7350 Series. This includes adaptors required for calibration, gender changing and different types of connections. We can provide Forced Air Cooling Units, precision cables with different connectors, and even user specified connectors (if available). Please reference the AC

Accessories Datasheet on our web site. Transit cases are also available to protect your investment. Contact Guildline with any question you have about accessories.



Performance Specifications – There are 2 levels of performance specifications listed for the 7340 and the 7350 Series. The absolute specifications are based on the internal calibration capabilities from Guildline, and the calibration capabilities and uncertainties of a National Measurement Institute (NMI) which can provide low uncertainties for AC/DC Difference. The unique design of the AC Shunts means that for higher frequencies, and dependent on the ohmic value, the AC-DC Difference will either be capacitive or inductive producing only a positive or negative difference. The final reported result could be outside these parameters (e.g. slightly positive or slightly negative) depending on the uncertainty of the laboratory performing the measurements.

7340 SERIES (VOLTAGE BASED)		12 MONTH MAXIMUM AC-DC DIFFERENCE ¹ (in ppm @ 23°C ± 1°C <50% RH)							
		National Measurement Institute (NMI) Verification				Guildline (Factory) Verification			
Model (Nominal Current)									
	1 kHz	10 kHz	30 kHz ²	100 kHz ²	1 kHz	10 kHz	30 kHz ²	100 kHz ²	
7340-0.001A	± 15	0 ~ + 50	0 ~ + 60	-0 ~ + 150	± 25	-0 ~ + 75	-0 ~ + 90	-0 ~ + 200	
7340-0.003A	± 15	0 ~ + 30	0 ~ + 40	-0 ~ + 130	± 25	-0 ~ + 50	-0 ~ + 60	-0 ~ + 175	
7340-0.01A	± 10	-0 ~ + 10	-0 ~ + 20	-0 ~ + 80	± 25	-0 ~ + 25	-0 ~ + 50	-0 ~ + 100	
7340-0.03A	± 10	-0 ~ + 10	-0 ~ + 15	-0 ~ + 40	± 25	-0 ~ + 25	-0 ~ + 45	-0 ~ + 60	
7340-0.1A	± 10	± 10	± 10	± 25	± 25	± 25	± 30	± 35	
7340-0.3A	± 10	± 10	± 10	± 20	± 25	± 25	± 30	± 35	
7340-1A	± 10	± 10	± 10	± 20	± 25	± 30	± 30	± 35	
7340-3A	± 10	± 15	± 20	-50 ~ + 0	± 25	± 30	± 30	-70 ~ + 0	
7340-10A	± 25	± 30	± 45	-100 ~ + 0	± 30	± 40	± 70	-140 ~ + 0	
7340-25A	± 35	± 40	-60 ~ + 0	-140 ~ + 0	± 35	± 60	-80 ~ + 0	-160 ~ + 0	
7340-50A	± 35	-40 ~ + 0	-60 ~ + 0	-150 ~ + 0	± 35	-80 ~ + 0	-80 ~ + 0	-180 ~ + 0	
7340-100A	± 40	-60 ~ + 0	-110 ~ + 0	-250 ~ + 0	± 40	-100 ~ + 0	-140 ~ + 0	-300 ~ + 0	

Above uncertainties are stated at k=2 and include both relative uncertainties and complete measurement uncertainties.

7340 SERIES (VOLTAGE BASED)			GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS (@ 23°C ± 1°C <50% RH)				
MODEL (NOMINAL CURRENT)	CURRENT RANGE (A)	NOMINAL RESISTANCE (Ω)	INITIAL TOLERANCE ³ (± ppm)	OUTPUT VOLTAGE RANGE (V)	DC STABILITY (± ppm)	COEFFICIENTS ⁴	
						TEMPERATURE ± ppm/°C	POWER ± ppm/WATT
7340-0.001A	0.0003-0.001	1000	100	0.3 – 1	16	2.5	3
7340-0.003A	0.001-0.0033	300	100	0.3 – 1	16	2.5	3
7340-0.01 A	0.003 – 0.01	100	100	0.3 – 1	16	2.5	3
7340-0.03 A	0.01 – 0.033	30	100	0.3 – 1	16	3.5	3
7340-0.1 A	0.03 – 0.1	10	100	0.3 – 1	16	2.5	3
7340-0.3 A	0.1 – 0.33	3	100	0.3 – 1	16	3.5	3
7340-1 A	0.3 – 1	1	100	0.3 – 1	16	4.0	3
7340-3 A	1 – 3.3	0.3	100	0.3 – 1	16	4.0	4
7340-10 A	3 – 10	0.1	100	0.3 – 1	16	4.0	4.5
7340-25 A	10 – 25	0.03	100	0.3 – 0.75	16	4.5	5
7340-50 A	25 – 50	0.01	125	0.25 – 0.5	16	4.5	5.5
7340-100 A	50 – 100	0.004	150	0.20 – 0.4	16	4.5	6

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7340 SERIES DIMENSIONS AND CONNECTORS

7340 MODEL	Width ⁶		Diameter		Weight		Connector	
	inch	mm	inch	mm	lbs	kg	Output	Input
All Models 0.001 A to 1A	2.8	71.4	3.5	88.9	0.8	0.35	BNC	UHF
All Models 3 A to 25 A	2.8	71.4	6.63	168.4	1.8	0.82	BNC	UHF
50 A & 100 A Models	3.8	115	6.63	168.4	2.6	1.2	BNC	LC

7350 SERIES (POWER BASED)

12 MONTH MAXIMUM AC-DC DIFFERENCE ¹
(in ppm @ 23°C ± 1°C <50% RH)

Model (Nominal Resistance)	National Measurement Institute (NMI) Verification				Guildline (Factory) Verification			
	1 kHz	10 kHz	30 kHz ²	100 kHz ²	1 kHz	10 kHz	30 kHz ²	100 kHz ²
7350-0.01 Ω	± 35	-40 ~ + 0	-60 ~ + 0	-150 ~ + 0	± 50	±60	-100 ~ + 0	-250 ~ + 0
7350-0.1 Ω	± 25	± 30	± 45	-100 ~ + 0	± 40	±50	-60 ~ + 0	-200 ~ + 0
7350-1 Ω	± 20	± 20	± 35	-50 ~ + 0	± 30	±40	-50 ~ + 0	-150 ~ + 0
7350-10 Ω	± 20	± 20	-0 ~ + 40	-0 ~ + 140	± 30	±40	-0 ~ + 70	-0 ~ + 200
7350-100 Ω	± 40	-0 ~ + 100	-0 ~ + 400	-0 ~ + 1000	± 50	-0 ~ + 200	-0 ~ + 600	-0 ~ + 1600
7350-1000 Ω	± 45	-0 ~ + 200	-0 ~ + 800	-0 ~ + 4000	± 55	-0 ~ + 500	-0 ~ + 2000	-0 ~ + 6000

Above uncertainties are stated at k=2 and include both relative uncertainties and complete measurement uncertainties.

7350 SERIES (POWER BASED)

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS (@ 23°C ± 1°C <50% RH)

MODEL (NOMINAL RESISTANCE)	INITIAL TOLERANCE ³ ± ppm	DC STABILITY ± ppm	Maximum			COEFFICIENTS ^{4, 5}	
			VOLTAGE (V)	CURRENT (A)	POWER (W)	TEMPERATURE ± ppm/°C	POWER ± ppm/WATT
7350-0.01 Ω	150	20	0.25	25	6.3	4	4.5
7350-0.1 Ω	125	20	1	10	10	3	4
7350-1 Ω	100	20	3.2	3.2	10	2.5	3.5
7350-10 Ω	100	20	10	1	10	2	3
7350-100 Ω	100	20	32	0.32	10	2	2
7350-1000 Ω	100	20	100	0.1	10	2	2

7350 SERIES DIMENSIONS AND CONNECTORS

Resistance Model	Width ⁶		Diameter		Weight		Connector	
	inch	mm	inch	mm	lbs	kg	Output	Input
All 7350 Series Models	2.8	71.4	6.63	168.4	1.8	0.82	BNC	UHF

Notes: All Specifications

Note 1: Calibrated in air at half scale and full scale to a maximum of 20 A; at 23 °C ± 1 °C; at DC, 1kHz, 10 kHz, 30 kHz and 100 kHz frequencies. For currents above 3 A there is an option to calibrate with the forced convection unit model 73401. Calibration of resistance and AC-DC Difference values are referred to the unit of resistance as maintained by a National Metrology Institute and are expressed as a total uncertainty with a coverage factor of k=2. AC-DC Difference is defined as the difference between a sinusoidal alternating current required for a given output.

Note 2: The unique design of the 7340's means that for higher frequencies, and dependent on the ohmic value, the AC-DC Difference will either be capacitive or inductive producing only a positive or negative difference. The final reported result could be outside these parameters (e.g. slightly positive or slightly negative) depending on the uncertainty of the laboratory performing the measurement.

Note 3: Initial Tolerance is defined as the maximum variation of resistance mean DC values as initially adjusted at the point of sale.

Note 4: Power coefficients are specified using the 73401 Forced Convection Unit for currents above 3A for the model 7340 Series.

Note 5: No Forced Air Unit is required with the 7350 Series. Shunts may be used up to maximum wattage with no cooling required.

Note 6: Width Size is case to case and does not include terminal size.

Note 7: Current shunts may be used at current levels below the specified range but with reduced output voltages.

7340 AND 7350 SERIES TYPICAL PHASE DISPLACEMENT

Input Current	1 kHz	20 kHz	100 kHz
1 mA – 300 mA	< 0.001 °	< 0.004 °	< 0.025 °
300 mA to 3A	< 0.002 °	< 0.008 °	< 0.050 °
3A to 25 A	< 0.004 °	< 0.010 °	< 0.060 °
25A to 100A	< 0.008 °	< 0.040 °	< 0.150 °

ENVIRONMENTAL (APPLIES TO BOTH 7340 AND 7350 SERIES)

Operating	Temperature	Humidity	Storage	Temperature	Humidity
	18 °C to 28 °C	< 50% RH non-condensing		-20 °C to 60 °C	15% to 80% RH

Guildline Instruments provides an **industry leading two year warranty** on every 7340 and 7350 Shunt and on all associated accessories. We know that the **7340 and 7350 Shunts will work for you** out of the box and in the future... and we back it up.

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ORDERING INFORMATION

7340-X (X = Model Amperage)	7340 AC/DC Voltage Based Current Shunt : Amperage models available are 1 mA, 3 mA, 10 mA, 50 mA, 100 mA, 300 mA, 1 A, 3 A, 10 A, 25 A, 50 A, 100 A
/CC	Certificate of Conformance Included
/TM	Technical Manual included
73401	Forced Air Convection Unit (Currents 10A and higher)
73502-100	100A Serial Connection Adapter
73411	Adapter LC Male to N Female
73412	Adapter LC Male to LC Male
73413	Adapter LC TO Cable
73414	LC Female to N Female
7350-X (X = Model Resistance)	7350 AC/DC Power Based Current Shunt : Resistance models available are 0.01Ω, 0.1Ω, 1.0Ω, 10Ω, 100Ω, 1000Ω
/CC	Certificate of Conformance Included
/TM	Technical Manual included
Options (Both Models)	
/NMI	National Measurement Institute Calibration
73502-30	30A and Below Serial Connection Adapter
73503	Adapter Kit
Case	Custom Transit Case
SM	Service Manual

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