

# Interface 1010

# **QUICK-START GUIDE**



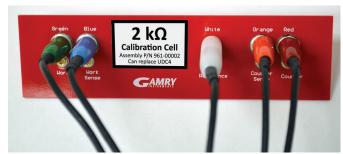
Guide #2

USB Potentiostat Calibration

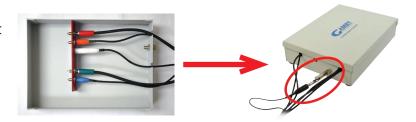
When possible, connect the **Chassis Ground** on the back of your potentiostat to a known, good earth ground.



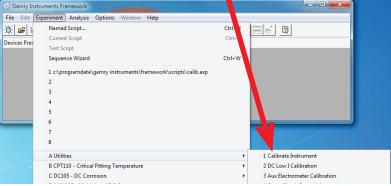
Connect the cell cable to the 2 k $\Omega$  Calibration Cell included with your instrument.



Place the 2 k $\Omega$  Calibration Cell inside the Calibration Shield, close the lid, and connect the black floating-ground lead of your cell cable to the Shield's grounding post.



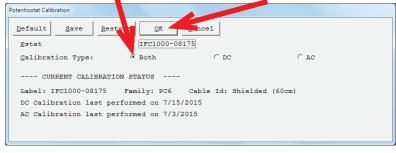
Open Gamry Framework™. Select Experiment > Utilities > Calibrate Instrument



Choose your potentiostat. Select the radio button for calibration type **Both**, and click the **OK** button.

(Even though AC calibration for the Interface™ 1010 is performed at the Factory, be sure to click the **Both** radio button.)

After you confirm several instructional messages, the calibration proceeds automatically, and you are notified if the calibration is successful.

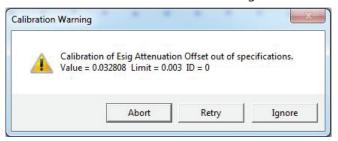


#### Did you receive a

### **CALIBRATION WARNING?**

# **TROUBLESHOOTING A FAILED CALIBRATION**

Calibration is used to check the potentiostat's health, and to "zero" many of the measurement circuits to your laboratory environment. A warning does not necessarily indicate a critical failure, and Gamry can use calibration information to determine the source of the warning.



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- Double-check the following:
- Regular connections are to a 2 k $\Omega$  Calibration Cell.
- Floating-ground cable is connected to calibration shield.
- If possible, the **Chassis Ground** is attached to a known, good earth ground.
- Click the **Retry** button, and the rest of the calibration restarts. Click the **Ignore** button for any other calibration warnings that may appear, and continue to Step 3.
- After a failed calibration attempt:
  - Find Calibration Results PC6-#####.txtin your My Gamry Data folder.\*
  - E-mail the file, along with complete contact information, to techsupport@gamry.com

<sup>\* #####</sup> is the serial number of your potentiostat.

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# **Gamry Framework**™

Potentiostat control for flexible data aquisition. Select from standardized experiments grouped by research type, or use the Sequence Wizard to build complex automated experiments.



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Quick and easy data analysis. Open data files with Echem Analyst for specialized analysis algorithms and high-quality plots. Customize, overlay, and scale plots, or export data.



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Software-based front panel for quick access to Gamry potentiostats' functions, like a front panel of an early analog potentiostat; and to perform simple electrochemical experiments.



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