N6705A-04

SERVICE NOTE

Supersedes: NONE

N6705A DC Power Analyzer

Serial Numbers: MY47000432/MY47000497

Firmware update will address an issue where N6705A mainframes with firmware A.02.03 results in self-test errors for N6751A, N6752A, N6761A and N6762A modules.

To Be Performed By: Agilent-Qualified Personnel or Customer

Parts Required:

P/N Description Qty.

NONE

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

SERVICE NOTE CLASSIFICATION:			
MODIFICATION RECOMMENDED			
ACTION CATEGORY: :	X IMMEDIATELY [[]] ON SPECIFIED FAILURE [[]] AGREEABLE TIME	STANDARDS LABOR: 0.5 Hours	
LOCATION CATEGORY:	X CUSTOMER INSTALLABLE X ON-SITE X SERVICE CENTER	SERVICE [[]] RETURN INVENTORY:[[]] SCRAP X SEE TEXT	USED [[]] RETURN PARTS: [[]] SCRAP X SEE TEXT
AVAILABILITY:	PRODUCT'S SUPPORT LIFE	NO CHARGE AVAILABLE UNTIL: April 2010	
AUTHOR: WIU		PRODUCT LINE: SP	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:			

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Situation:

All N6705A mainframes with firmware version A.02.03 have the potential to incorrectly configure N6751A, N6752A, N6761A and N6762A modules. This will result in an Error 202 Self Test Failed.

Solution/Action:

First, check the firmware revision of the N6705A mainframe. To do this using one of the IO interfaces, send the "*IDN?" query. Over the front panel use the following sequences of keystrokes:

- 1. Settings
- 2. Properties

It will be listed on the "Firmware version" line. If the frame revision is A.02.06 or higher, then the unit has already been upgraded and no further upgrade is required to correct this issue but its is always a good idea to update to the LATEST version

If the firmware version is A.02.03 or older then the firmware must be upgraded. All files, programs, and instructions required to upgrade the firmware are located at the following website: http://www.agilent.com/find/N6705firmware.

Testing Note

After the update has been completed turn on the unit and allow the instrument to complete self-test. This update will not affect the calibrating or performance specifications.