

# National Measurement Institute

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# Supplementary Certificate of Approval NMI S781

Issued by the Chief Metrologist under Regulation 60 of the
National Measurement Regulations 1999

This is to certify that an approval for use for trade has been granted in respect of the instruments herein described.

Radwag Model PUE HX5.EX Digital Indicator

submitted by National Weighing & Instruments Pty Ltd

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**NOTE:** This Certificate relates to the suitability of the pattern of the instrument for use for trade only in respect of its metrological characteristics. This Certificate does not constitute or imply any guarantee of compliance by the manufacturer or any other person with any requirements regarding safety.

This approval has been granted with reference to document NMI R 76, Non-automatic weighing instruments, Parts 1 and 2, dated October 2015.

This approval becomes subject to review on 1/11/24, and then every 5 years thereafter.

#### DOCUMENT HISTORY

Rev	Reason/Details	Date
0	Pattern approved – certificate issued	03/10/19

#### CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

#### General

Instruments purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked with pattern approval number 'NMI S781' and only by persons authorised by the submittor.

Instruments incorporating a component purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked 'NMI S781' in addition to the approval number of the instrument, and only by persons authorised by the submittor.

It is the submittor's responsibility to ensure that all instruments marked with this approval number are constructed as described in the documentation lodged with the National Measurement Institute (NMI) and with the relevant Certificate of Approval and Technical Schedule. Failure to comply with this Condition may attract penalties under Section 19B of the National Measurement Act and may result in cancellation or withdrawal of the approval, in accordance with document NMI P 106.

Auxiliary devices used with this instrument shall comply with the requirements of General Supplementary Certificate No S1/0B.

The values of the performance criteria (maximum number of scale intervals etc.) applicable to an instrument incorporating the pattern approved herein shall be within the limits specified herein and in any approval documentation for the other components.

Signed by a person authorised by the Chief Metrologist to exercise their powers under Regulation 60 of the *National Measurement Regulations 1999*.

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#### TECHNICAL SCHEDULE No S781

#### 1. Description of Pattern

#### approved on 03/10/19

A Radwag model PUE HX5.EX digital mass indicator (Figures 1a) which may be configured to form part of:

- A class weighing instrument with a single weighing range of up to 6000 verification scale intervals; or
- A class weighing instrument with a single weighing range of up to 1000 verification scale intervals; or
- A class multi-interval weighing instrument with up to two partial weighing ranges (each with its own verification scale interval) in which case it is approved for use with up to 6000 verification scale intervals per partial weighing range; or
- A class multi-interval weighing instrument with up to three partial weighing ranges (each with its own verification scale interval) in which case it is approved for use with up to 1000 verification scale intervals per partial weighing range.
- A class multiple range weighing instrument with up to two weighing ranges, in which case it is approved for use with up to 6000 verification scale intervals per weighing range.
- A class multiple range weighing instrument with up to two weighing ranges, in which case it is approved for use with up to 1000 verification scale intervals per weighing range.

The changeover between weighing ranges is automatic.

The instrument has a stainless steel enclosure with a colour LCD screen display for display of the weight value and alphanumeric information and/or menu.

#### TABLE 1 - Specifications

Maximum number of verification scale intervals	6 000 (class (III)
	1000 (class (III))
Minimum sensitivity	0.4 μV/scale interval
Excitation voltage	5 V DC
Maximum excitation current	62.5 mA
Fraction of maximum permissible error	$p_i = 0.5$
Minimum load cell impedance	$80\Omega$
Maximum load cell impedance	1200 $\Omega$
Measuring range minimum voltage	0 mV
Measuring range maximum voltage	16 mV
Maximum tare range	-100% Max
Operating temperature range	-10°C to +40°C
Load cell connection shield	4 or 6 wire plus
Maximum value of load cell cable	
length per wire cross section (*)	3575 m/mm <sup>2</sup> (6-wire only)

(\*) Additional connection cable between indicator and load cell or load cell junction box.

This approval does not include the use of the indicator as an automatic weighing instrument, unless specifically mentioned in a certificate of approval for such an instrument.

The pattern may be fitted with output sockets (output interfacing capability) for the connection of auxiliary and/or peripheral devices (see clause 1.7 below).

#### 1.1 Zero

A zero-tracking device may be fitted.

The initial zero-setting device has a nominal range of not more than 20% of the maximum capacity of the instrument.

The instrument has a semi-automatic zero-setting device with a nominal range of not more than 4% of the maximum capacity of the instrument.

#### 1.2 Tare

A semi-automatic subtractive taring device of up to the maximum capacity of the instrument may be fitted. A pre-set taring device (keyboard-entered and/or stored) of up to the maximum capacity (or of up to the  $Max_1$  for multi-interval instruments) may also be fitted.

A separate display of tare values is provided.

#### 1.3 Alternative Units

Use of units other than grams (g) or kilograms (kg) is not approved for trade use.

#### 1.4 Linearisation Facility

Instruments are fitted with a linearisation correction facility having up to twenty points.

#### 1.5 Display Check

A display check is initiated whenever power is applied.

#### 1.6 Power Supply

The instrument operates from mains AC power (100 - 240 V AC, 50/60 Hz) by a Radwag external intrinsically safe power supply unit (Figure 1b) model PM01.EX1 or PM01.EX2.

#### 1.7 Interfaces

The indicator may be fitted with interfaces for the connection of auxiliary and/or peripheral devices. Any interfaces shall comply with clause 5.3.6 of document NMI R76 (the basic intent of which is that it shall not be possible to alter weighing results via the interfaces).

Any measurement data output from the instrument or its interfaces shall only be used for trade in compliance with Supplementary Certificate No NMI S1/0B (in particular in regard to the data and its format).

Indications other than the indications of measured mass (i.e. gross, tare, net, totals) displayed either on the indicator or on an auxiliary or peripheral device, are not for trade use.

Instruments may be fitted with RS-232/RS485 serial data interfaces, digital inputs/outputs and IM01.EX communication module.

#### 1.8 Additional Features

Instruments may be fitted with bar graph, checkweighing (MAX, MIN), counting, percentage weighing and dosing functions. The additional functions (other than the indications of measured mass, i.e. gross, tare, net, totals, displayed either on the indicator or on an auxiliary or peripheral device) are not approved for trade use.

Note: In particular circumstances (e.g. in regard to weighbridge or public weighbridge operation), Trade Measurement legislation or other NMI Certificates of Approval may impose requirements in regard to specific features, methods of operation, or records to be provided (and in what form).

Certain features of this instrument are able to be configured by the installer or user. Whilst NMI believes that an acceptable configuration can be achieved for typical basic modes of operation, it may also be possible for the instrument to be configured to produce unacceptable configurations, and use of some configurations may be inappropriate in different situations. It is the responsibility of the installer and user to ensure that the configuration is acceptable and meets relevant requirements for any particular situation.

#### 1.9 Verification Provision

Provision is made for the application of a verification mark.

#### 1.10 Descriptive Markings and Notices

Instruments carry the following markings:

Manufacturer's mark, or name written in full Radwag Name or mark of manufacturer's agent ..... PUE HX5.EX Model number Indication of accuracy class Max ..... kg #1 Maximum capacity Minimum capacity *Min* ..... kg #1 Verification scale interval e = .... kg #1Serial number of the instrument **NMI S781** Pattern approval mark for the indicator

Pattern approval mark for other components ......#2

#1 These markings are shown near the display of the result.

#2 May be located separately from the other markings.

In addition, instruments not greater than 100 kg capacity shall carry a notice stating NOT TO BE USED FOR TRADING DIRECT WITH THE PUBLIC, or similar wording.

#### Note:

For multi-interval instruments the markings shall be as above, with the exception that the 'Maximum capacity' and 'Verification scale interval' shall be marked for both interval ranges, e.g. as follows:

Maximum capacity	Max / kg
Verification scale interval	e = / kg

For multiple range instruments, the maximum capacity, minimum capacity and verification scale interval for each range shall be marked, with an indication of the range to which they apply, e.g.

Range	W1	W2
Max	kg	kg
Min	kg	kg
e =	kg	kg

### 1.11 Sealing Provision

Provision is made for the calibration to be sealed by setting a link on the display board within the instrument to the correct position, and then preventing access within the protective cover (Figure 2).

It is possible to determine the link status by pressing the key to enter Home Screen.

- If the link is set to pins 2 and 3 in JP1 interface, the instrument will display 'Global' and 'Factory' submenus in which case the instrument should not be verified until the link has been set to the correct position.
- Otherwise the instrument will display the submenus without 'Global' and 'Factory'. In this case the instrument may be verified.

Sealing to prevent access within the protective housing may be achieved by using destructible labels placed over the opposite sides of a join in the instrument housing (Figure 2).

#### 1.12 Software Version

The embedded software version is designated 170726 HX5.EX.

The software version and number can be seen by pressing the 'ON/OFF' bey.

#### TEST PROCEDURE No S781

Instruments shall be tested in accordance with any relevant tests specified in the National Instrument Test Procedures.

#### **Maximum Permissible Errors**

The maximum permissible errors are specified in Schedule 1 of the *National Trade Measurement Regulations 2009*.

#### **Tests**

For multi-interval and multiple range instruments with verification scale intervals of  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  ..., apply  $e_1$  for zero adjustment, and maximum permissible errors apply  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  ..., as applicable for the load.

## FIGURE S781 - 1



(a) Radwag Model PUE HX5.EX Indicator



(b) Radwag External Intrinsically Safe Power Supply Unit

# FIGURE S781 – 2



Typical Sealing Arrangement

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