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Warning

The servicing instructions are for use by qualified personnel only. To avoid personal injury, do not perform any servicing unless you are qualified to do so. Refer to all safety summaries prior to performing service.

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Important safety information

This manual contains information and warnings that must be followed by the user for safe operation and to keep the product in a safe condition.

To safely perform service on this product, see the *Service safety summary* that follows the *General safety summary*.

General safety summary

Use the product only as specified. Review the following safety precautions to avoid injury and prevent damage to this product or any products connected to it. Carefully read all instructions. Retain these instructions for future reference.

This product shall be used in accordance with local and national codes.

For correct and safe operation of the product, it is essential that you follow generally accepted safety procedures in addition to the safety precautions specified in this manual.

The product is designed to be used by trained personnel only.

Only qualified personnel who are aware of the hazards involved should remove the cover for repair, maintenance, or adjustment.

Before use, always check the product with a known source to be sure it is operating correctly.

This product is not intended for detection of hazardous voltages.

Use personal protective equipment to prevent shock and arc blast injury where hazardous live conductors are exposed.

To avoid fire or personal injury

Use proper power cord. Use only the power cord specified for this product and certified for the country of use. Do not use the provided power cord for other products.

Ground the product. This product is grounded through the grounding conductor of the power cord. To avoid electric shock, the grounding conductor must be connected to earth ground. Before making connections to the input or output terminals of the product, ensure that the product is properly grounded. Do not disable the power cord grounding connection.

Power disconnect. The power cord disconnects the product from the power source. See instructions for the location. Do not position the equipment so that it is difficult to operate the power cord; it must remain accessible to the user at all times to allow for quick disconnection if needed.

Connect and disconnect properly. Do not connect or disconnect probes or test leads while they are connected to a voltage source. Use only insulated voltage probes, test leads, and adapters supplied with the product, or indicated by Tektronix to be suitable for the product.

Observe all terminal ratings. To avoid fire or shock hazard, observe all rating and markings on the product. Consult the product manual for further ratings information before making connections to the product. Do not exceed the Measurement Category (CAT) rating and voltage or current rating of the lowest rated individual component of a product, probe, or accessory. Use caution when using 1:1 test leads because the probe tip voltage is directly transmitted to the product.

Do not apply a potential to any terminal, including the common terminal, that exceeds the maximum rating of that terminal.

Do not operate without covers. Do not operate this product with covers or panels removed, or with the case open. Hazardous voltage exposure is possible.

Avoid exposed circuitry. Do not touch exposed connections and components when power is present.

Do not operate with suspected failures. If you suspect that there is damage to this product, have it inspected by qualified service personnel.

Disable the product if it is damaged. Do not use the product if it is damaged or operates incorrectly. If in doubt about safety of the product, turn it off and disconnect the power cord. Clearly mark the product to prevent its further operation.

Before use, inspect voltage probes, test leads, and accessories for mechanical damage and replace when damaged. Do not use probes or test leads if they are damaged, if there is exposed metal, or if a wear indicator shows.

Examine the exterior of the product before you use it. Look for cracks or missing pieces.

Use only specified replacement parts.

Do not operate in wet/damp conditions. Be aware that condensation may occur if a unit is moved from a cold to a warm environment.

Do not operate in an explosive atmosphere.

Keep product surfaces clean and dry. Remove the input signals before you clean the product.

Provide proper ventilation. Refer to the installation instructions in the manual for details on installing the product so it has proper ventilation.

Slots and openings are provided for ventilation and should never be covered or otherwise obstructed. Do not push objects into any of the openings.

Provide a safe working environment. Always place the product in a location convenient for viewing the display and indicators.

Avoid improper or prolonged use of keyboards, pointers, and button pads. Improper or prolonged keyboard or pointer use may result in serious injury.

Be sure your work area meets applicable ergonomic standards. Consult with an ergonomics professional to avoid stress injuries.

Use care when lifting and carrying the product. This product is provided with a handle or handles for lifting and carrying.



WARNING. The product is heavy. To reduce the risk of personal injury or damage to the device get help when lifting or carrying the product.

Use only the Tektronix rackmount hardware specified for this product.

Probes and test leads

Before connecting probes or test leads, connect the power cord from the power connector to a properly grounded power outlet.

Keep fingers behind the protective barrier, protective finger guard, or tactile indicator on the probes.

Remove all probes, test leads and accessories that are not in use.

Use only correct Measurement Category (CAT), voltage, temperature, altitude, and amperage rated probes, test leads, and adapters for any measurement.

Terms in the manual

These terms may appear in this manual:



WARNING. Warning statements identify conditions or practices that could result in injury or loss of life.



CAUTION. Caution statements identify conditions or practices that could result in damage to this product or other property.

Terms on the product

These terms may appear on the product:

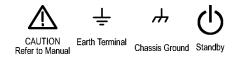
- DANGER indicates an injury hazard immediately accessible as you read the marking.
- WARNING indicates an injury hazard not immediately accessible as you read the marking.
- CAUTION indicates a hazard to property including the product.

Symbols on the product



When this symbol is marked on the product, be sure to consult the manual to find out the nature of the potential hazards and any actions which have to be taken to avoid them. (This symbol may also be used to refer the user to ratings in the manual.)

The following symbols may appear on the product:



Specifications

This chapter contains specifications for the 3 Series MDO oscilloscopes. All specifications are guaranteed unless noted as "typical." Typical specifications are provided for your convenience but are not guaranteed. Specifications that are marked with the ν symbol have associated procedures listed in the *Performance Verification* section.

All specifications apply to all 3 Series MDO models unless noted otherwise. To meet specifications, the following conditions must first be met:

- This instrument must have been calibrated/adjusted at an ambient temperature between +18 °C and +28 °C.
- The instrument must be in an environment with temperature, altitude, humidity, and vibration within the operating limits described in this section.
- The instrument must be powered from a source maintaining voltage and frequency within the limits described in this section.
- The instrument must have had its signal-path-compensation routine last executed after at least a 20-minute warm-up period at an ambient temperature within ±5 °C of the current ambient temperature.

	MDO32 ar	nd MDO34								
Analog channel bandwidth	100 MHz	100 MHz	200 MHz	200 MHz	350 MHz	350 MHz	500 MHz	500 MHz	1 GHz	1 GHz
Analog channels	2	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	2	4
Rise time (typical, calculated) (10 mV/div setting with 50 Ω input termination)	3.5 ns	3.5 ns	2 ns	2 ns	1.14 ns	1.14 ns	800 ps	800 ps	400 ps	400 ps
Sample rate (1 ch)	2.5 GS/s	5 GS/s	5 GS/s							
Sample rate (2 ch)	2.5 GS/s	5 GS/s	5 GS/s							
Sample rate (4 ch)	-	2.5 GS/s	-	2.5 GS/s						
Record length (1 ch)	10 M	10 M	10 M							
Record length (2 ch)	10 M	10 M	10 M							
Record length (4 ch)	-	10 M	-	10 M						
Digital channels with 3-MSO option	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Arbitrary Function Generator outputs with 3-AFG option	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Spectrum analyzer channels	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

The instrument must have had a warm up period of at least 10 minutes.

	MDO32 a	nd MDO34								
Standard spectrum analyzer frequency range	9 kHz - 1 GHz									
Optional spectrum analyzer frequency range with 3-SA3 option	9 kHz - 3 GHz									

Analog channel input and vertical specifications

Number of input channels						
MDO34	4 analog, BNC, digitized simultaneously					
MDO32	2 analog, BNC, digitized simultaneously					
Input Coupling	DC, AC					
Input termination selection	1 M Ω or 50 Ω					
Input termination 1 MΩ DC- coupled	1 MΩ, ±1%					
\checkmark Input termination, 50 Ω, DC- coupled	50 Ω ± 1%					
Input capacitance 1 MΩ, typical	13 pF ± 2 pF					
Input VSWR, 50 Ω, DC-coupled,	Bandwidth	VSWR				
typical	For instruments with 1 GHz bandwidth	≤ 1.5:1 from DC to 1 GHz, typical				
	For instruments with 500 MHz bandwidth	≤ 1.5:1 from DC to 500 MHz, typical				
	For instruments with 350 MHz bandwidth	≤ 1.5:1 from DC to 350 MHz, typical				
	For instruments with 200 MHz bandwidth	≤ 1.5:1 from DC to 200 MHz, typical				
	For instruments with 100 MHz bandwidth	≤ 1.5:1 from DC to 100 MHz, typical				
Maximum input voltage (50 Ω)	5 V _{RMS} with peaks $\leq \pm 20$ V, (DF $\leq 6.25\%$)					
		o protect against overloads that might damage se can cause damage regardless of the over-voltage ed to detect the over-voltage condition and respond				
Maximum input voltage (1 MΩ, DC	The maximum input voltage at the BNC, 300 V _{RMS} .					
coupled)	Installation Category II.					
	De-rate at 20 dB/decade between 4.5 MHz and 45 MHz, De-rate 14 db between 45 MHz and 450 MHz. Above 450 MHz, 5 $\rm V_{RMS}$					

	Maximum peak input voltage at the BNC, ±424 V						
✓ DC balance							
	0.2 div with the input DC-50 Ω	coupled and 50 Ω termina	ated				
	0.25 div at 2 mV/div with the ir	nput DC-50 Ω coupled and	d 50 Ω terminated				
	0.5 div at 1 mV/div with the inp	out DC-50 Ω coupled and	50 Ω terminated				
	0.2 div with the input DC-1 MC	Ω coupled and 50 Ω termin	nated				
	0.3 div at 1 mV/div with the inp	out DC-1 M Ω coupled and	50 Ω terminated				
	All the above specifications are increased by 0.01 divisions per °C above						
Number of digitized bits	8 bits						
	Displayed vertically with 25 dig	gitization levels (DL) per d	ivision, 10.24 divisions dynamic range				
			ne smallest voltage level change that can be nown as the LSB (least significant bit).				
Sensitivity range (coarse)							
1 Μ Ω:	1 mV/div to 10 V/div in a 1-2-5	sequence					
50 Ω:	1 mV/div to 1 V/div in a 1-2-5	sequence					
Sensitivity range (fine)	Allows continuous adjustment from 1 mV/div to 10 V/div, 1 MΩ						
	Allows continuous adjustment from 1 mV/div to 1 V/div, 50 Ω						
Sensitivity resolution (fine), typical	\leq 1% of current setting						
M DC gain accuracy	±2.5% for 1 mV/Div, derated at 0.100%/°C above 30 °C						
	±2.0% for 2 mV/Div, derated a	at 0.100%/°C above 30 °C	2				
	±1.5% for 5 mV/Div and above, derated at 0.100%/°C above 30 °C						
	±3.0% Variable Gain, derated at 0.100%/°C above 30 °C						
Offset ranges	Input Signal cannot exceed M	ax Input Voltage for the 50) Ω input path.				
	Volts/div setting	Offset range					
		1 MΩ input	50 Ω input				
	1 mV/div - 50 mV/div	±1 V	±1 V				
	50.5 mV/div - 99.5 mV/div	±0.5 V	±0.5 V				
	100 mV/div - 500 mV/div	±10 V	±5 V				
	505 mV/div - 995 mV/div	±5 V	±5 V				
	1 V/div - 10 V/div ¹	±100 V	±5 V				
	. E divisione						
Position range	±5 divisions						

 1 $\,$ For 50 Ω path, 1V/div is the maximum vertical setting.

Offset accuracy	±[0.005 X offset - position + DC Balance]					
	NOTE. Both the position and constant offset term appropriate volts/div term.	must be converted to volts by multiplying by the				
Number of waveforms for average acquisition mode	2 to 512 waveforms, Default of 16 waveforms					
DC voltage measurement accuracy						
Average acquisition mode	NOTE. Offset, position and the constant offset term must be converted to volts by mu appropriate volts/div term.					
	Measurement Type	DC Accuracy (In Volts)				
	Average of \geq 16 waveforms	±((DC Gain Accuracy) X reading - (offset - position) + Offset Accuracy + 0.1 div)				
	Delta Volts between any two averages of 16 waveforms acquired with the same setup and ambient conditions	±(DC Gain Accuracy X reading + 0.05 div)				
	The basic accuracy specification applies directly to any sample and to the following measurements High, Low, Max, Min, Mean, Cycle Mean, RMS, and Cycle RMS. The delta volt accuracy specification applies to subtractive calculations involving two of these measurements.					
	The delta volts (difference voltage) accuracy specification applies directly to the following measurements; Positive Overshoot, Negative Overshoot, Pk-Pk, and Amplitude.					
Sample acquisition mode, typical	NOTE. Offset, position and the constant offset ter appropriate volts/div term.	m must be converted to volts by multiplying by the				
	Measurement Type	DC Accuracy (In Volts)				
	Any Sample	±(DC Gain Accuracy X reading - (offset - position) + Offset Accuracy + 0.15 div + 0.6 mV				
	Delta Volts between any two samples acquired with the same setup and ambient conditions	±(DC Gain Accuracy X reading + 0.15 div + 1.2 mV)				
Analog bandwidth limit filter	For instruments with 1 GHz, 500 MHz or 350 MHz	analog bandwidth: 20 MHz, 250 MHz, and Full				
selections	For instruments with 200 MHz and 100 MHz analog	-				

Analog bandwidth, 50 Ω, DC	
coupled	

1 GHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth
	10 mV/div - 1 V/div	DC - 1.00 GHz
	5 mV/div - 9.98 mV/div	DC - 500 MHz
	2 mV/div - 4.98 mV/div	DC - 350 MHz
	1 mV/div - 1.99 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz
500 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth
	5 mV/div - 1 V/div	DC - 500 MHz
	2 mV/div - 4.98 mV/div	DC - 350 MHz
	1 mV/div - 1.99 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz
350 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth
	5 mV/div - 1 V/div	DC - 350 MHz
	2 mV/div - 4.98 mV/div	DC - 350 MHz
	1 mV/div - 1.99 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz
200 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth
	2 mV/div - 1 V/div	DC - 200 MHz
	1 mV/div - 1.99 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz
100 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth
	1 mV/div - 1 V/div	DC - 100 MHz

Analog bandwidth, 1 MΩ input

termination, typical

1 GHz, 500 MHz, and 350 MHz instruments

The limits are for ambient temperature of \leq 30 °C and the bandwidth selection set to FULL. Reduce the upper bandwidth frequency by 1% for each °C above 30 °C.

	Volts/Div	Bandwidth	
	2 mV/div - 10 V/div	DC - 350 MHz	
	1 mV/div - 1.99 V/div	DC - 150 MHz	
200 MHz instruments	Volts/Div	Bandwidth	
	2 mV/div - 10 V/div	DC - 200 MHz	
	1 mV/div - 1.99 V/div	DC - 150 MHz	
100 MHz instruments	Volts/Div	Bandwidth	
	1 mV/div - 10 V/div	DC - 100 MHz	

Analog Bandwidth, 1 M Ω with standard probe, typical

1 GHz instruments:

The limits are for ambient temperature of \leq 30 °C and the bandwidth selection set to FULL. Reduce the upper bandwidth frequency by 1% for each °C above 30 °C.

	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth	
	100 mV/div - 100 V/div	DC - 1.00 GHz	
	50 mV/div - 99.8mV/div	DC - 400 MHz	
	20 mV/div - 49.8 mV/div	DC - 250 MHz	
	10 mV/div - 19.9 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz	
500 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth	
	100 mV/div - 100 V/div	DC - 500 MHz	
	50 mV/div - 99.8mV/div	DC - 400 MHz	
	20 mV/div - 49.8 mV/div	DC - 250 MHz	
	10 mV/div - 19.9 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz	
350 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth	
	50 mV/div - 100 V/div	DC - 350 MHz	
	20 mV/div - 49.8 mV/div	DC - 250 MHz	
	10 mV/div - 19.9 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz	
200 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth	
	20 mV/div - 100 V/div	DC - 200 MHz	
	10 mV/div - 19.9 mV/div	DC - 150 MHz	
100 MHz instruments:	Volts/Div setting	Bandwidth	
	10 mV/div - 100 V/div	DC - 100 MHz	

Calculated rise time, typical

50 Ω

Calculated Rise Time (10% to 90%) equals 0.4/BW. The formula accounts for the rise time contribution of the oscilloscope independent of the rise time of the signal source.

All values in the table are in ps.

	Instrument						
	bandwidth	1 mV-1.99 mV	2 mV-4.99 mV	5 mV-9.98 mV	10 mV-1 V		
	1 GHz	2666	1333	800	400		
	500 MHz	2666	1333	800	800		
	350 MHz	2666	1333	1143	1143		
	200 MHz	2666	2000	2000	2000		
	100 MHz	3500	3500	3500	3500		
xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe.	table are in ps. 1 GHz assume the TPP050	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz	e the TPP1000 prob	e. 500 MHz and		
Pxxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe.	Volts per division	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n	e the TPP1000 prob and 100 MHz mode	le. 500 MHz and ls assume the		
xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe.	assume the TPP050	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n 2 mV-4.99 mV	e the TPP1000 prob	e. 500 MHz and		
xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe.	Volts per division	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n	e the TPP1000 prob and 100 MHz mode	le. 500 MHz and ls assume the		
xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe. Instrument bandwidth	Volts per division	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n 2 mV-4.99 mV	e the TPP1000 prob and 100 MHz mode 5 mV-9.98 mV	e. 500 MHz and Is assume the		
xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe. Instrument bandwidth 1 GHz	Volts per division	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n 2 mV-4.99 mV 1600	e the TPP1000 prob and 100 MHz mode 5 mV-9.98 mV 1000	e. 500 MHz and ls assume the 10 mV-1 V 400		
•xxx0 Probe	350 MHz models TPP0250 probe. Instrument bandwidth 1 GHz 500 MHz	Volts per division 1 mV-1.99 mV 2666 2666	BW models assum 0B probe. 200 MHz n 2 mV-4.99 mV 1600 1600	e the TPP1000 prob and 100 MHz mode 5 mV-9.98 mV 1000 1000	10 mV-1 V 400 800		

Lower frequency limit, AC coupled,	< 10 Hz when AC to 1 M Ω coupled
typical	The AC coupled lower frequency limits are reduced by a factor of 10 when 10X passive probes are used.
Upper frequency limit, 250 MHz bandwidth limit filter, typical	250 MHz, +25%, and –25% (all models, except 100 MHz and 200 MHz) $$
Upper frequency limit, 20 MHz bandwidth limit filter, typical	50 Ω and 1 M Ω , DC coupled: 20 MHz, ±25% (all models)

Pulse response, peak detect, or	Instrument bar	ndwidth		Minimum P	Pulse Width		
envelope mode, typical	1 GHz			> 1.5 ns			
	500 MHz			> 2.0 ns			
	350 MHz			> 3.0 ns			
	200 MHz			> 5.0 ns			
	100 MHz			> 7.0 ns			
Random noise, sample			1 mV/div	100 mV/div	1	1 V/d	iv
acquisition mode, 50 Ω termination setting, full bandwidth, typical	1 GHz		-	1.98 mV		17.07	mV
setting, fun bandwidth, typical	500 MHz		-	1.54 mV		13.47	mV
	350 MHz		-	1.7 mV		12.7 r	mV
	200 MHz		111 µV	1.6 mV		15.19	mV
	100 MHz		98 µV	1.38 mV		15.87	mV
Random noise, sample		1 GHz	500 MHz	350 MHz	200 Mi	Hz	100 MHz
acquisition mode, 50 Ω termination	1 mV, Full BW	0.13	0.13	0.157	0.162		0.125
setting, full bandwidth, guaranteed	2 mV, Full BW	0.24	0.15	0.14	0.143		0.11
	5 mV, Full BW	0.36	0.2	0.18	0.16		0.15
	10 mV, Full BW	0.39	0.29	0.3	0.3		0.3
	20 mV, Full BW	0.58	0.53	0.7	0.57		0.55
	50 mV, Full BW	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5		1.4
	100 mV, Full BW	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.25		2.85
	200 mV, Full BW	6.2	5.5	6.7	6.75		5.5
	500 mV, Full BW	15.5	14.5	15.4	16.4		17
	1 V, Full BW	31	25.8	25	30.5		35
	1 mV, 250 MHz BW	0.13	0.162	0.162	-		-
	2 mV, 250 MHz BW	0.126	0.12	0.12	-		-
	5 mV, 250 MHz BW	0.165	0.155	0.155	-		-
	10 mV, 250 MHz BW	0.3	0.3	0.3	-		-
	20 mV, 250 MHz BW	0.63	0.7	0.7	-		-
	50 mV, 250 MHz BW	1.6	1.58	1.58	-		-

		1 GHz	500 MHz	350 MHz	200 MHz	100 MHz
	100 mV, 250 MHz BW	3.4	3.3	3.3	-	-
	200 mV, 250 MHz BW	6.5	6.5	6.5	-	-
	500 mV, 250 MHz BW	16	16	16	-	-
	1 V, 250 MHz BW	30	30	30	-	-
	1 mV, 20 MHz BW	0.078	0.078	0.078	0.078	0.078
	2 mV, 20 MHz BW	0.084	0.086	0.086	0.086	0.086
	5 mV, 20 MHz BW	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17
	10 mV, 20 MHz BW	0.32	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
	20 mV, 20 MHz BW	0.63	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55
	50 mV, 20 MHz BW	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
	100 mV, 20 MHz BW	3.4	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25
	200 mV, 20 MHz BW	6.4	6	6	6	6
	500 mV, 20 MHz BW	17	15	15	15	15
	1 V, 20 MHz BW	30	28	28	28	28
elay between channels, full andwidth, typical	·	•	hannels with input		•	0
				anuany unie angri		oe Deskew Turic
eskew range	–125 ns to +125	ns				
igital-to-Analog skew	1 ns					
rosstalk (channel isolation), pical			≤100 MHz		>100 MHz	
μισαι	1 MΩ 50 Ω		100:1		30:1 30:1	
kVPI Interface			stalling, powering	, compensating,		wide range of
	The interface is	available on	CH1-CH4 front pa is fully VPI compl			

Digital	channel	acquisition	specifications
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Number of input channels	16 Digital Inputs
Input resistance, typical	101 KΩ to ground
Input capacitance, typical	8 pF
	Specified at the input to the P6316 probe with all 8 ground inputs connected to the user's ground. Use of leadsets, grabber clips, ground extenders, or other connection accessories may compromise this specification.
Minimum input signal swing,	500mV peak-to-peak
typical	Specified at the input to the P6316 probe with all 8 ground inputs connected to the user's ground. Use of leadsets, grabber clips, ground extenders, or other connection accessories may compromise this specification.
Maximum input signal swing, typical	+30 V, -20 V
DC input voltage range	+30 V, -20 V
Maximum input dynamic range	50 V _{pp} (threshold setting dependent)
Channel to channel skew (typical)	500 ps
	Digital Channel to Digital Channel only
	This is the propagation path skew, and ignores skew contributions due to bandpass distortion, threshold inaccuracies (see Threshold Accuracy), and sample binning (see Digital Channel Timing Resolution).
Threshold voltage range	–15 V to +25 V
Digital channel timing resolution	Minimum: 2 ns
Threshold accuracy	± [130 mV + 3% of threshold setting after calibration]. Requires valid SPC.
Minimum detectable pulse	2.0 ns
	Specified at the input to the P6316 probe with all eight ground inputs connected to the user's ground. Use of lead sets, grabber clips, ground extenders, or other connection accessories may compromise this specification.

Horizontal specifications

Sample Rate Range

Sample rate range (with 3 or 4 channels enabled)

Characteristic	Description						
Sample rate	Time/Div	10 M record	5 M record	1 M record	100 K record	10 K record	1 K record
range (Analog	1 ns	2.5 GS/s					
Channels)	2 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	4 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	10 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	20 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	40 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	80 ns						1.25 GS/s
	100 ns	2.5 GS/s					
	200 ns	2.5 GS/s					500 MS/s
	400 ns	2.5 GS/s					250 MS/s
	800 ns					1.25 GS/s	
	1 µs	2.5 GS/s					100 MS/s
	2 µs	2.5 GS/s				500 MS/s	50 MS/s
	4 µs	2.5 GS/s				250 MS/s	25 MS/s
	8 µs				1.25 GS/s		
	10 µs	2.5 GS/s				100 MS/s	10 MS/s
	20 µs	2.5 GS/s			500 MS/s	50 MS/s	5 MS/s
	40 µs	2.5 GS/s			250 MS/s	25 MS/s	2.5 MS/s
	80 µs			1.25 GS/s			
	100 µs	2.5 GS/s			100 MS/s	10 MS/s	1 MS/s
	200 µs	2.5 GS/s		500 MS/s	50 MS/s	5 MS/s	500 KS/s
	400 µs	2.5 GS/s	1.25 GS/s	250 MS/s	25 MS/s	2.5 MS/s	250 KS/s
	800 µs	1.25 GS/s	625 MS/s				

Characteristic	Description						
Sample rate	Time/Div	10 M record	5 M record	1 M record	100 K record	10 K record	1 K record
range (Analog	1 ms			100 MS/s	10 MS/s	1 MS/s	100 KS/s
Channels) (Cont.)	2 ms	500 MS/s	250 MS/s	50 MS/s	5 MS/s	500 KS/s	50 KS/s
	4 ms	250 MS/s	125 MS/s	25 MS/s	2.5 MS/s	250 KS/s	25 KS/s
	10 ms	100 MS/s	50 MS/s	10 MS/s	1 MS/s	100 KS/s	10 KS/s
	20 ms	50 MS/s	25 MS/s	5 MS/s	500 KS/s	50 KS/s	5 KS/s
	40 ms	25 MS/s	12.5 MS/s	2.5 MS/s	250 KS/s	25 KS/s	2.5 KS/s
	100 ms	10 MS/s	5 MS/s	1 MS/s	100 KS/s	10 KS/s	1 KS/s
	200 ms	5 MS/s	2.5 MS/s	500 KS/s	50 KS/s	5 KS/s	500 S/s
	400 ms	2.5 MS/s	1.25 MS/s	250 KS/s	25 KS/s	2.5 KS/s	250 S/s
	1 s	1 MS/s	500 KS/s	100 KS/s	10 KS/s	1 KS/s	100 S/s
	2 s	500 KS/s	250 KS/s	50 KS/s	5 KS/s	500 S/s	50 S/s
	4 s	250 KS/s	125 KS/s	25 KS/s	2.5 KS/s	250 S/s	25 S/s
	10 s	100 KS/s	50 KS/s	10 KS/s	1 KS/s	100 S/s	10 S/s
	20 s	50 KS/s	25 KS/s	5 KS/s	500 S/s	50 S/s	5 S/s
	40 s	25 KS/s	12.5 KS/s	2.5 KS/s	250 S/s	25 S/s	2.5 S/s
	100 s	10 KS/s	5 KS/s	1 KS/s	100 S/s	10 S/s	
	200 s	5 KS/s	2.5 KS/s	500 S/s	50 S/s	5 S/s	
	400 s	2.5 KS/s	1.25 KS/s	250 S/s	25 S/s	2.5 S/s	
	1000 s	1 KS/s	500 S/s	100 S/s	10 S/s		

Characteristic	Description						
Sample rate	Time/Div	10 M record	5 M record	1 M record	100 K record	10 K record	1 K record
range (Analog	400 ps	5 GS/s					
Channels)	1 ns	5 GS/s					
	2 ns	5 GS/s					
	4 ns	5 GS/s					
	10 ns	5 GS/s					
	20 ns	5 GS/s					
	40 ns	5 GS/s					2.5 GS/s
	100 ns	5 GS/s					1 GS/s
	200 ns	5 GS/s					500 MS/s
	400 ns	5 GS/s				2.5 GS/s	250 MS/s
	1 µs	5 GS/s				1 GS/s	100 MS/s
	2 µs	5 GS/s				500 MS/s	50 MS/s
	4 µs	5 GS/s			2.5 GS/s	250 MS/s	25 MS/s
	10 µs	5 GS/s			1 GS/s	100 MS/s	10 MS/s
	20 µs	5 GS/s			500 MS/s	50 MS/s	5 MS/s
	40 µs	5 GS/s		2.5 GS/s	250 MS/s	25 MS/s	2.5 MS/s
	100 µs	5 GS/s		1 GS/s	100 MS/s	10 MS/s	1 MS/s
	200 µs	5 GS/s	2.5 GS/s	500 MS/s	50 MS/s	5 MS/s	500 KS/s
	400 µs	2.5 GS/s	1.25 GS/s	250 MS/s	25 MS/s	2.5 MS/s	250 KS/s

Sample rate range, (with 1 or 2 channels enabled)

range (Analog Channels) (Cont.) 1 ms 1 GS/s 500 MS/s 100 MS/s 10 MS/s 1 MS/s 2 ms 500 MS/s 250 MS/s 50 MS/s 5 MS/s 500 KS/s 4 ms 250 MS/s 125 MS/s 25 MS/s 2.5 MS/s 250 KS/s 10 ms 100 MS/s 50 MS/s 10 MS/s 100 KS/s 250 KS/s 20 ms 50 MS/s 25 MS/s 5 MS/s 500 KS/s 50 KS/s 20 ms 50 MS/s 25 MS/s 5 MS/s 500 KS/s 50 KS/s 40 ms 25 MS/s 12.5 MS/s 2.5 MS/s 250 KS/s 25 KS/s 100 ms 10 MS/s 5 MS/s 1 MS/s 100 KS/s 10 KS/s 200 ms 5 MS/s 2.5 MS/s 500 KS/s 50 KS/s 50 KS/s 200 ms 2.5 MS/s 1.25 MS/s 100 KS/s 50 KS/s 2.5 KS/s 200 ms 2.5 MS/s 1.25 MS/s 250 KS/s 50 KS/s 50 S/s 1 s 1 MS/s 500 KS/s 50 KS/s 50 KS/s	1 K record 100 KS/s 50 KS/s 25 KS/s 10 KS/s 5 KS/s 2.5 KS/s 1 KS/s 500 S/s 250 S/s 100 S/s 50 S/s 10 S/s 5 S/s 2.5 S/s
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Complete time measurementThe formula to calculate delta-time measurement accuracy (DTA) for a given instrument setting
and input signal is given below (assumes insignificant signal content above Nyquist).

SR1 = Slew Rate (1st Edge) around the 1st point in the measurement

SR2 = Slew Rate (2nd Edge) around the 2nd point in the measurement

N = input-referred noise (voltsrms, refer to the Random Noise, Sample acquisition mode specification)

t_{sr} = 1 / (Sample Rate)

TBA = timebase accuracy (refer to the Long-term sample rate and delay time accuracy specification)

tp = delta-time measurement duration

RD = (Record Length) / (Sample Rate)

$$DTA_{pp} = \pm 5\sqrt{2\left(\frac{N}{SR_1}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{N}{SR_2}\right)^2 + (5ps + 1x10^{-6}xRD)^2} + 2t_{sr} + TBA xt_p$$

$$DTA_{rms} = \sqrt{2\left(\frac{N}{SR_1}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{N}{SR_2}\right)^2 + (5ps + 1x10^{-6}xRD)^2 + \left(\frac{2t_{sr}}{\sqrt{12}}\right)^2} + TBA xt_p$$

Assumes that error due to aliasing is insignificant.

±0.5 dB from DC to 80% of nominal bandwidth

The term under the square-root sign is the stability, and is related to the TIE (Time Interval Error). The errors from this term occur throughout a single-shot measurement. The second term is a result of both the absolute center-frequency accuracy and the center-frequency stability of the timebase, and varies between multiple single-shot measurements over the observation interval (the amount of time from the first single-shot measurement to the final single-shot measurement).

Frequency response tolerance, typical

Trigger specifications

Aux In

Number of channels	MDO32 - 2 channel instruments: One (1) channel		
	MDO34 - 4 channel instruments: Zero	(0) channels	
Input impedance, typical	1 M Ω ±1% in parallel with 13 pF ± 2 pl	=.	
Maximum input voltage	300 V RMS, Installation Category II; derate at 20 dB/decade above 3 MHz to 30 V RMS at 30 MHz; 10 dB/decade above 30 MHz.		
	Based upon sinusoidal or DC input signal. Excursion above 300 V should be less than 100 ms duration and the duty factor is limited to < 44%. RMS signal level must be limited to 300 V. If these values are exceeded, damage to the instrument may result.		
Bandwidth, typical	> 250 MHz		
Trigger bandwidth, edge, pulse,	Instrument bandwidth	Trigger bandwidth	
and logic, typical	1 GHz	≥1 GHz	
	500 MHz	≥500 MHz	
	350 MHz	≥500 MHz	
	350 MHz 200 MHz	≥500 MHz ≥200 MHz	

Edge trigger sensitivity, typical

Edge trigger, DC coupled	Trigger source	Sensitivity
	Any Analog Channel	 1 mV/div to 4.98 mV/div: 0.75 div from DC to 50 MHz, increasing to 1.3 div at instrument bandwidth. ≥ 5 mV/div: 0.40 divisions from DC to 50 MHz, increasing to 1 div at instrument bandwidth.
	Aux In (External)	200 mV from DC to 50 MHz, increasing to 500 mV at 200 MHz
	Line	The line trigger level is fixed at about 50% of the line voltage.
Edge trigger, not DC coupled	Trigger coupling	Sensitivity
	AC	1.5 times the DC Coupled limits for frequencies above 10 Hz. Attenuates signals below 10 Hz.
	Noise Rej	2.5 times the DC Coupled limits
	HF Reject	1.5 times the DC Coupled limits from DC to 50 kHz. Attenuates signals above 50 kHz.
	LF Reject	1.5 times the DC Coupled limits for frequencies above 50 kHz. Attenuates signals below 50 kHz

Trigger modes

Auto, Normal, and Single

Trigger types

Edge, sequence (B trigger), pulse width, timeout, runt, logic, setup & hold, rise/fall time, video, and bus (serial or parallel).

Video trigger						
Formats and field rates	Triggers from negative specific line, or any line PAL, SECAM.					ed systems, any field, ed systems include NTSC,
	Standard Video formats 1080i/50, 1080i/60, 108 bi-level and tri-level syr	30p/24, 10	080p/24sF, 1080			50, 720p/60, 875i/60, 0, 1080p/60, and custom
Sensitivity, typical	Source			Sensitivity		
	Any Analog Input Cha	nnel		0.6 to 2.5 div	visions of v	ideo sync tip
	Aux In (External)		Video not supported through Aux In (External) input.			
Lowest frequency for successful set level to 50%, typical	45 Hz					
Logic, logic-qualified, and Delay- by-events sensitivities, DC coupled, typical	≥1.0 division, from DC	to maxim	um bandwidth.			
Pulse width trigger sensitivity, typical	≥1.0 division, from DC	to maxim	um bandwidth.			
Runt trigger sensitivity, typical	≥1.0 division, from DC	to maxim	um bandwidth.			
Logic trigger minimum logic or rearm time, typical	Triggering type	Pulse	width	Rearm time		Time between channels ¹
	Logic	Not ap	plicable	2 ns		2 ns
	Time qualified logic	4 ns		2 ns 2 ns		2 ns
Setup/Hold violation trigger, typical						
Minimum clock pulse width,	Minimum pulse width, clock active ²		Minimum pulse width, clock inactive ²			
typical	User's hold time +2.5 ns ¹		2 ns			
Time ranges	Feature		Minimum		Maxim	num
	Setup time	-0.5 ns		1.024 ms		ms
	Hold time		1 ns		1.024	ms
	Setup + hold time		0.5 ns		2.048	ms

¹ For Logic, time between channels refers to the length of time a logic state derived from more than one channel must exist to be recognized. For Events, the time is the minimum time between a main and delayed event that will be recognized if more than one channel is used.

Minimum pulse width, rearm time,	Pulse Class	Minimum Puls	e Width	Minimum Rearm Time
and transition time	Glitch	4 ns		2 ns + 5% of glitch width setting
	Runt	4 ns		2 ns
	Time-Qualified Runt	4 ns		8.5 ns + 5% of width setting
	Width	4 ns		2 ns + 5% of width upper limit setting
	Slew Rate	4 ns		8.5 ns + 5% of delta time setting
Rise/Fall time, delta time range	4 ns to 8 seconds			
Pulse width or time-qualified runt trigger time range	4 ns to 8 s			
Pulse width time accuracy	Time Range		Accuracy	
	1 ns to 500 ns		±(20% of set	ting + 0.5 ns)
	520 ns to 1 s		±(0.01% of s	etting + 100 ns)
B trigger				
Minimum pulse width, typical	1/(2 * [Rated instrument ba	ndwidth1)		
Maximum event frequency,	Rated instrument bandwidth	-/	ver is lower	
typical				
Minimum time between arm	9.2 ns			
and trigger	For B trigger after time, this is the time between the A trigger and the B trigger			
	For B trigger after events, this is the time between the A trigger and the first qualifying B trigger event			
Trigger after time, time range	8 ns to 8 seconds			
Trigger after events, event range	1 to 4,000,000 events			
Trigger level ranges				
Any input channel	±8 divs from center of screen			
	±8 divs from 0 V when vertical LF Reject trigger coupling is selected			
Aux In (external)	±8 V			
Line	Line trigger level is fixed at about 50% of the line voltage			
Trigger level accuracy, DC	Source		Range	
coupled, typical	Any input channel		±0.20 div	
	Aux In (external)		± (10% of se	tting + 25 mV)
	Line		N/A	
Trigger holdoff range	20 ns to 8 s			
Maximum serial trigger bits	128 bits			

I ² C triggering, optional	
Address Triggering:	7 & 10 bits of user-specified addresses supported, as well as General Call, START byte, HS-mode, EEPROM, and CBUS
Data Trigger:	1 - 5 bytes of user-specified data
Trigger on:	Start, Repeated Start, Stop, Missing Ack, Address, Data, or Address & Data
Maximum Data Rate:	10 Mb/s
SPI triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	1 - 16 bytes of user-specified data
Trigger on:	SS Active, MOSI, MISO, or MOSI & MISO
Maximum Data Rate:	10 Mb/s
CAN triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	1 - 8 bytes of user-specified data, including qualifiers of equal to (=), not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq)
Trigger on:	Start of Frame, Type of Frame, Identifier, Data, Identifier & Data, End of Frame, Missing Ack, or Bit Stuffing Error
Frame Type:	Data, Remote, Error, Overload
Identifier:	Standard (11 bit) and Extended (29 bit) identifiers
Maximum Data Rate:	1 Mb/s
RS232/422/485/UART triggering	
Data Trigger:	Tx Data, Rx Data
Trigger On:	Tx Start Bit, Rx Start Bit, Tx End of Packet, Rx End of Packet, Tx Data, Rx Data, Tx Parity Error, or Rx Parity Error
Maximum Data Rate:	10 Mb/s
LIN triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	1 - 8 bytes of user-specified data, including qualifiers of equal to (=), not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than, or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq)
Trigger On:	Sync, Identifier, Data, Identifier & Data, Wakeup Frame, Sleep Frame, or Error
Maximum Data Rate:	1 Mb/s (by LIN definition, 20 kbit/s)
Flexray triggering, optional	
Indicator Bits:	Normal Frame, Payload Frame, Null Frame, Sync Frame, Startup Frame
Identifier Trigger:	11 bits of user-specified data, equal to (=), not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (<=), greater than or equal to (>=), Inside Range, or Outside Range
Cycle Count Trigger:	6 bits of user-specified data, equal to (≤), greater than or equal to (≥), Inside Range, Outside Range
Header Fields Trigger:	40 bits of user-specified data comprising Indicator Bits, Identifier, Payload Length, Header CRC, and Cycle Count, equal to (=)
Data Trigger:	1 - 16 bytes of user-specified data, with 0 to 253, or don't care bytes of data offset, including qualifiers of equal to (=), not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq), Iside Range, and Outside Range.

Error:	Header CRC, Trailer CRC, Null Frame-static, Null Frame-dynamic, Sync Frame, Startup frame
Trigger on:	Start of Frame, Indicator Bits, Identifier, Cycle Count, Header Fields, Data, Identifier & Data, End o Frame, or Error
² S triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	32 bits of user-specified data in a left word, right word, or either, including qualifiers of equal to (=) not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq), inside range, outside range
Trigger on:	SS Word Select or Data
Maximum Data Rate:	12.5 Mb/s
eft Justified triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	32 bits of user-specified data in a left word, right word, or either, including qualifiers of equal to (=) not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq), inside range, and outside range
Trigger on:	Word Select or Data
Maximum Data Rate:	12.5 Mb/s
Right Justified triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	32 bits of user-specified data in a left word, right word, or either, including qualifiers of equal to (=) not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq), inside range, outside range
Trigger on:	Word Select and Data
Maximum Data Rate:	12.5 Mb/s
/IL-STD-1553 triggering, optional	For MIL-STD-1553, trigger selection of Command Word will trigger on Command and ambiguous Command/Status words. Trigger selection of Status Word will trigger on Status and ambiguous Command/Status words.
Bit Rate:	1 Mb/s
Trigger on:	Sync
	Word Type (Command, Status, and Data)
	Command Word (set RT Address (=, \neq , <, >, \leq , \geq , inside range, outside range), T/R, Sub-address Mode, Data Word Count/Mode Code, and Parity individually)
	Status Word (set RT Address (=, ≠, <, >, ≤, ≥, inside range, outside range), Message Error, Instrumentation, Service Request Bit, Broadcast Command Received, Busy, Subsystem Flag, Dynamic Bus Control Acceptance (DBCA), Terminal Flag, and Parity individually)
	Data Word (user-specified 16-bit data value),
	Error (Sync, Parity, Manchester, Non-contiguous data), Idle Time (minimum time selectable from 2 μ s to 100 μ s; maximum time selectable from 2 μ s to 100 μ s; trigger on < minimum, > maximum, inside range, and outside range)

TDM triggering, optional	
Data Trigger:	32 bits of user-specified data in a channel 0-7, including qualifiers of equal to (=), not equal to <>, less than (<), greater than (>), less than or equal to (\leq), greater than or equal to (\geq), inside range, outside range.
Trigger On:	Frame Sync or Data
Maximum Data Rate:	25 Mb/s
USB triggering, optional	
Data Rates Supported:	Full: 12 Mbs, Low: 1.5 Mbs
Trigger On:	Sync, Reset, Suspend, Resume, End of Packet, Token (Address) Packet, Data Packet, Handshake Packet, Special Packet, or Error

Display specifications

Display	
Туре	Display Area - 256.32 mm (H) x 144.18 mm (V), 29 cm (11.6 inch) diagonal TFT active matrix, liquid crystal display (LCD) with capacitive touch. eDP, 2 lanes 2.7 Gbps
Resolution	1920 (H) x 1080 (V) pixels
Luminance, typical	450 cd/m ²
	Display luminance is specified for a new display set at full brightness
Color Support	16,777,216 (8-bit RGB) colors

Ethernet interface	An 8-pin RJ-45 connector that supports 10/100 Mb/s
GPIB interface	Available as an optional accessory that connects to USB Device and USB Host port, with the TEK- USB-488 GPIB to USB Adapter
	Control interface is incorporated in the instrument user interface
HDMI connector	An 19-pin, HDMI type connector
USB interface	Two USB host ports on the front of the instrument: two USB 2.0 High Speed ports.
	One USB host port on the rear of the instrument: USB 2.0 High Speed port.
	One USB 2.0 High Speed device port on the rear of the instrument providing USBTMC support. Also Supports Full Speed and Slow Speed modes
Probe compensator output voltage and frequency, typical	
Output voltage:	0 to 2.5 V amplitude
Source Impedance:	1 ΚΩ
Frequency	1 kHz
Auxiliary output (AUX OUT)	
Selectable Output:	Main Trigger, Event, or AFG
Main Trigger:	HIGH to LOW transition indicates the trigger occurred
Event Out:	The instrument will output a negative edge during a specified trigger event in a test application.
	A falling edge occurs when there is a specified event in a test application (i.e. the waveform crosses the violation threshold in the limit / mask test application).
	A rising edge occurs when the trigger system begins waiting for the next test application event.
AFG:	The trigger output signal from the AFG.

Input/Output port specifications

Data storage specifications

Nonvolatile memory retention time, No time limit for front-panel settings, saved waveforms, setups, and calibration constants typical

Real-time clock	A programmable clock providing time in years, months, days, hours, minutes, and seconds
Memory capacity	
Front panel	A 64 Kbit EEPROM on the LED board that stores the USB vendor ID and device ID for the internal front panel controller
Analog board	The PMU includes 64 KB of nonvolatile memory for storage of its own binary executable
Probe interface	A microcontroller is used to manage probe communication as well as power state for the instrument
Main acquisition	Two eMMC 4 GB ISSI devices contain the U-Boot, kernel, CAL constants, scope application, and user data storage
Mass storage device	Linux: ≥4 GB. Form factor is an embedded eMMC BGA. Provides storage for saved customer data, all calibration constants and the Linux operating system. Not customer serviceable. Partition on the device, with a nominal capacity of 4 GB, is available for storage of saved customer data.
Host processor system	4 Gb of DDR3-1600 DRAM. The host processor utilizes two matched DDR3 non-ECC embedded modules

Power source specifications

Power consumption	130 W maximum
Source voltage	100 V to 240 V ±10%
Source frequency	100 V to 240 V: 50/60 Hz 115 V: 400 Hz ±10%
Fuse rating	T3.15 A, 250 V The fuse is not customer replaceable.

Mechanical specifications

Weight

Sound power level	38 dBA - 40 dBA typical in accordance with ISO 9296
Acoustic noise emission	
Clearance requirements	The clearance requirement for adequate cooling is 2.0 in (50.8 mm) on the right side (when looking at the front of the instrument) and on the rear of the instrument
Depth	148.6 mm (5.85 in.)
Width	370 mm (14.57 in.)
Height	252 mm (9.93 in.)
Dimensions	
	Instrument when packaged for shipping: 17.4 lbs (7.89 kg)
	Soft case (SC3): + 4.0 lbs (1.81 kg)
	Pouch: + 0.2 lbs (0.09 kg)
With accessories	Protective front cover: + 1.0 lbs (0.45 kg)
	MDO32 1GHz: 11.6 lbs (5.26 kg)
Instrument	MDO34 1GHz: 11.7 lbs (5.31 kg)

Environmental specifications

Temperature

Operating	0 °C to +55 °C (+32 °F to +131 °F)
Non-operating	–40 °C to +71 °C (–40 °F to +160 °F)
Humidity	
Operating	5% to 90% relative humidity (% RH) at up to +40 °C
	5% to 60% RH above +40 °C up to +55 °C, non-condensing, and as limited by a maximum wet- bulb temperature of +39 °C
Non-operating	5% to 90% relative humidity up to +40 °C,
	5% to 60% relative humidity above +40 °C up to +55 °C
	5% to 40% relative humidity above +55 °C up to +71 °C, non-condensing, and as limited by a maximum wet-bulb temperature of +39 °C
Altitude	
Operating	3,000 m (9,843 feet)
Non-operating	12,000 m (39,370 feet)
Random vibration	
Non-operating:	2.46 G _{RMS} , 5-500 Hz, 10 minutes per axis, 3 axes, 30 minutes total
Operating:	0.31 G _{RMS} , 5-500 Hz, 10 minutes per axis, 3 axes, 30 minutes total
	Meets IEC60068 2-64 and MIL-PRF-28800 Class 3
Shock	
Operating:	50 G, 1/2 sine, 11 ms duration, 3 drops in each direction of each axis, total of 18 shocks
	Meets IEC 60068 2-27 and MIL-PRF-28800 Class 3
Non-operating	50 G, 1/2 sine, 11 ms duration, 3 drops in each direction of each axis, total of 18 shocks
	Exceeds MIL-PRF-28800F

RF input specifications

Center frequency range	9 kHz to 3.0 GHz (with 3-SA3 installed)
	9 kHz to 1.0 GHz (Any model at 1 GHz BW without 3-SA3 installed)
	9 kHz to 500 MHz (Any model at 500 MHz BW without 3-SA3 installed)
	9 kHz to 350 MHz (Any model at 350 MHz BW without 3-SA3 installed)
	9 kHz to 200 MHz (Any model at 200 MHz BW without 3-SA3 installed)
	9 kHz to 100 MHz (Any model at 100 MHz without 3-SA3 installed)
Resolution bandwidth range for Windowing functions	Kaiser (default): 30 Hz – 150 MHz
	Rectangular: 20 Hz – 150 MHz
	Hamming: 20 Hz – 150 MHz
	Hanning: 20 Hz – 150 MHz
	Blackman-Harris: 30 Hz – 150 MHz
	Flat-Top: 50 Hz – 150 MHz
	Adjusted in 1-2-3-5 sequence
Kaiser RBW Shape Factor	60 db/3 db Shape factor \leq 4:1
✓ Reference frequency error, cumulative	Cumulative Error: ±10 x 10 ⁻⁶
	Includes allowances for aging per year, reference frequency calibration accuracy, and temperature stability.
	Valid over the recommended 1 year calibration interval, from –10 $^\circ\mathrm{C}$ to +55 $^\circ\mathrm{C}$.
	NOTE . The RF and analog channels share the same reference frequency. Reference frequency accuracy is tested by the Long-term Sample Rate and Delay Time Accuracy checks.
Marker frequency measurement accuracy	±(([Reference Frequency Error] x [Marker Frequency]) + (span / 750 + 2)) Hz
	Reference Frequency Error = 10 ppm (10 Hz/MHz)
	Example, assuming the span is set to 10 kHz and the marker is at 1,500 MHz, this would result in a Frequency Measurement Accuracy of $\pm((10 \text{ Hz}/1 \text{ MHz x } 1,500 \text{ MHz}) + (10 \text{ kHz} / 750 + 2)) = \pm 15.015 \text{ kHz}.$
	Marker Frequency with Span/RBW ≤ 1000:1
	Reference Frequency Error with Marker level to displayed noise level > 30 dB
Phase noise from 1 GHz CW	
10 kHz	< -81 dBc/Hz, < -85 dBc/Hz (typical)
100 kHz	< -97 dBc/Hz, < -101 dBc/Hz (typical)
1 MHz	< -118 dBc/Hz, < -122 dBc/Hz (typical)

Displayed average noise level DANL)			
9 kHz - 50 kHz	< -109 dBm/Hz (< -113 dBm/Hz typical)		
50 kHz – 5 MHz	< -126 dBm/Hz (< -130 dBm/Hz typical)		
5 MHz - 2 GHz	< -136 dBm/Hz (< -140 dBm/Hz typical)		
2 GHz – 3 GHz	< -126 dBm/Hz (< -130 dBm/Hz typical)		
/ertical range	20 dB/div to DANL		
Attenuation range	Attenuator Settings from 10 to 30 dB, in 5 dB steps		
Spectrum trace length (points)	751 points		
Spurious response			
2 nd harmonic distortion	>100 MHz: < -55 dBc (< -60 dBc typical)		
	9 kHz to 100 MHz: < -55 dBc		
3 rd harmonic distortion	>100 MHz: < -53 dBc (< -58 dBc typical)		
	9 kHz to 100 MHz: < -55 dBc (< -60 dBc typical)		
2 nd order intermodulation	>15 MHz: < -55 dBc (< -60 dBc typical)		
distortion	9 kHz to 15 MHz, < -47 dBc (< -52 dBc typical)		
3 rd order intermodulation	>15 MHz: < -55 dBc (< -60 dBc typical)		
distortion ()	9 kHz to 15 MHz: < -55 dBc (< -60 dBc typical)		
Residual spurious response	< -78 dBm (< -84 dBm typical, \leq -15 dBm reference level and RF input terminated with 50 Ω)		
At 2.5 GHz	< -62 dBm (< -73 dBm typical)		
At 1.25 GHz	< -76 dBm (< -82 dBm typical)		
Adjacent channel power ratio dynamic range, typical	-58 dBc		
Frequency measurement resolution	1 Hz		
Span	Span adjustable in 1-2-5 sequence		
	Variable Resolution = 1% of the next span setting		
_evel display range	Log scale and units: dBm, dBmV, dBµV, dBµW, dBmA, dBµA		
	Measurement points: 1,000		
	Marker level readout resolution: log scale: 0.1 dB		
	Maximum number of RF traces: 4		
	Trace functions: Maximum Hold; Average; Minimum Hold; Normal; Spectrogram Slice (Uses normal trace)		
	Detectors: Positive-Peak, negative-peak, sample, average		

Reference level	-140 dBm to +20 dBm in steps of 5 dBm			
/ertical position	±100 divisions (displayed in dB)			
laximum operating input level				
Average continuous power	+20 dBm (0.1 W)			
DC maximum before damage	±40 V DC			
Maximum power before damage (CW)	+33 dBm (2 W)			
Maximum power before damage (pulse)	+45 dBm (32 W) (<10 μs pulse width, <1% duty cycle, and reference level of ≥ +10 dBm)			
esolution bandwidth accuracy	Maximum RBW % Error =	= ((0.5/(25 x WF)) * 100		
	WF represents the Windo	w Factor and is set by the	window method being used.	
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	Method	WF	RBW error	
	Rectangular	0.89	2.25%	
	Hamming	1.30	1.54%	
	Hanning	1.44	1.39%	
	Blackman-Harris	1.90	1.05%	
	Kaiser	2.23	0.90%	
	Flat-Top	3.77	0.53%	
 Level measurement uncertainty 	Reference level 10 dBm to -15 dBm. Input level ranging from reference level to 40 dB below reference level. Specifications exclude mismatch error.			
18 °C to 28 °C	9 kHz-1.5 GHz < ±1 dBm (<±0.4 dBm typical)			
	1.5 GHz-2.5 GHz < ±1.3 dBm (<±0.6 dBm typical)			
	2.5 GHz-3 GHz < \pm 1.5 dBm (< \pm 0.7 dBm typical)			
Over operating range	< ±2.0 dBm			
rosstalk to RF from analog	< -60 dB from reference level (≤800 MHz instrument input frequencies)			
channels, typical	< -40 dB from reference level (>800 MHz - 2 GHz instrument input frequencies)			
nanneis, typicai	< -40 dB from reference l	evel (>800 MHz - 2 GHz ir	nstrument input frequencies)	

Arbitrary function generator characteristics

Function types

Arbitrary, Sine, Square, Pulse, Ramp, Triangle, DC Level, Gaussian, Lorentz, Exponential Rise/ Fall, Sine(x)/x, Random Noise, Haversine, Cardiac

Amplitude	range
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Values are peak-to-peak voltages

	Waveform	50 Ω	1 MΩ
	Arbitrary	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Sine	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Square	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Pulse	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Ramp	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Triangle	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Gaussian	10 mV to 1.25 V	20 mV to 2.5 V
	Lorentz	10 mV to 1.2 V	20 mV to 2.4 V
	Exponential rise	10 mV to 1.25 V	20 mV to 2.5 V
	Exponential fall	10 mV to 1.25 V	20 mV to 2.5 V
	Sine(x)/x	10 mV to 1.5 V	20 mV to 3.0 V
	Random noise	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
	Haversine	10 mV to 1.25 V	20 mV to 2.5 V
	Cardiac	10 mV to 2.5 V	20 mV to 5 V
laximum sample rate	250 MS/s		
Maximum sample rate Arbitrary Function record length	250 MS/s 128 k samples		
Arbitrary Function record length	128 k samples		
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz		
arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz	7 40 14 1 0 5 14 1 1 50 0	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi-	-Z; 10 mV _{p-p} to 2.5 V _{p-p} into 50 Ω	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- \pm 0.5 dB at 1 kHz (\pm 1.5 dB	-Ζ; 10 mV _{p-p} to 2.5 V _{p-p} into 50 Ω 3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes)	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dB 1% into 50 Ω	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes)	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mV	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) ∕ and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) / and frequencies > 10 MHz / and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) ∕ and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion (typical) Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR) (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) / and frequencies > 10 MHz / and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion (typical) Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR) (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) / and frequencies > 10 MHz / and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion (typical) Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR) (typical)	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dH 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN 40 dBc (V _{p-p} \ge 0.1 V); 30	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) / and frequencies > 10 MHz / and frequencies > 10 MHz	
Arbitrary Function record length Sine waveform Frequency range Frequency setting resolution Amplitude range Amplitude flatness (typical) Total harmonic distortion (typical) Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR) (typical) Square/Pulse waveform Frequency range	128 k samples 0.1 Hz to 50 MHz 0.1 Hz 20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi- ±0.5 dB at 1 kHz (±1.5 dHz) 1% into 50 Ω 2% for amplitude < 50 mN 3% for amplitude < 20 mN 40 dBc (V _{p-p} ≥ 0.1 V); 30 0.1 Hz to 25 MHz 0.1 Hz	3 for <20 mV _{p-p} amplitudes) / and frequencies > 10 MHz / and frequencies > 10 MHz	

Duty cycle resolution	0.1%			
Pulse width minimum (typical)	10 ns			
Rise/fall time (typical)	5 ns (10% - 90%)			
Pulse width resolution	100 ps			
Overshoot (typical)	< 4% for signal steps greater than 100 mV_{pp}			
Asymmetry				
Jitter (TIE RMS) (typical)	< 500 ps			
	60 ps TIE RMS, ≥100 mV _{pp} amplitude, 40%-60% duty cycle			
Ramp/Triangle waveform				
Frequency range	0.1 Hz to 500 kHz			
Frequency setting resolution	0.1 Hz			
Variable symmetry	0% to 100%			
Symmetry resolution	0.1%			
DC level range, typical	±2.5 V in to Hi-Z; ±1.25 V into 50 Ω			
Gaussian Pulse, Lorentz Pulse, Haversine maximum frequency	5 MHz			
Exponential Rise/Fall maximum frequency	5 MHz			
Sine(X)/X maximum frequency	2 MHz			
Random noise amplitude range	20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} into Hi-Z; 10 mV _{p-p} to 2.5 V _{p-p} into 50 Ω			
Sine and ramp frequency accuracy	130 ppm (frequency ≤10 kHz); 50ppm (frequency >10 kHz)			
Square and pulse frequency accuracy	130 ppm (frequency ≤10 kHz); 50ppm (frequency >10 kHz)			
Signal amplitude resolution	500 uV (50 Ω)			
	1 mV (Hi-Z)			
uSignal amplitude accuracy	\pm [(1.5% of peak-to-peak amplitude setting) + (1.5% of absolute DC offset setting) + 1 mV] (frequency = 1 kHz)			
DC Offset Range	±2.5 V into Hi-Z			
	±1.25 V into 50 Ω			
DC offset resolution	500 uV (50 Ω)			
	1 mV (Hi-Z)			
DC Offset Accuracy	±[(1.5% of absolute offset voltage setting) + 1 mV]			
	Add 3 mV of uncertainty per 10 °C change from 25 °C ambient			
Cardiac maximum frequency	500 kHz			
Random noise waveform				
Amplitude range	20 mV _{p-p} to 5 V _{p-p} in to Hi-Z; 10 mV _{p-p} to 2.5 V _{p-p} into 50 Ω			
Amplitude resolution	0% to 100% in 1% increments			

Sine and ramp frequency accuracy	130 ppm (frequency ≤10 kHz); 50 ppm (frequency > 10 kHz)			
✓ Square and pulse frequency accuracy	130 ppm (frequency ≤10 kHz); 50 ppm (frequency > 10 kHz)			
Signal amplitude resolution	500 μV (50 Ω)			
	1 mV (Hi-Z)			
Signal amplitude accuracy	±[(1.5% of peak-to-peak amplitude setting) + (1.5% of DC offset setting) + 1 mV] (frequency = 1 kHz)			
DC offset				
DC offset range	±2.5 V into Hi-Z;			
	± 1.25 V into 50 Ω			
DC offset resolution	1 mV into Hi-Z;			
	500 uV into 50 Ω			
DC offset accuracy	\pm [(1.5% of absolute offset voltage setting) + 1 mV] Add 3 mV for every 10 °C change from 25 °C			
AM/FM Modulation characteristics				
Carrier Waveform	All except Pulse, Noise, DC, and Cardiac			
Internal modulating waveform	Sine, Square, Triangle, Down Ramp, Up Ram	Sine, Square, Triangle, Down Ramp, Up Ramp, Noise		
Internal modulating frequency	100 mHz to 50 kHz			
AM modulation depth	0.0% to 100.0%			
Min FM peak deviation	DC			
Max FM peak deviation	Output Function	Max Deviation Frequency		
	ARB	12.5 MHz		
	Sine	25 MHz		
	Square	12.5 MHz		
	Ramp	250 kHz		
	Sinc	1 MHz		
	Other 2.5 MHz			

Digital voltmeter	and counter
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Measurement types	AC_{rms} , DC_{rms} , $AC+DC_{rms}$ (reads out in volts or amps); frequency count		
Voltage accuracy			
DC	±(2 mV + [(((4 * (Vertical scale voltage)) / (Absolute input voltage)) + 1)% of Absolute input voltage] + (0.5% of Absolute offset voltage))		
	Example: an input channel set up with +2 V offset and 1 V/div measuring a -5 V signal would have $\pm(2 \text{ mV} + [(((4*1)/5) + 1)\% \text{ of } 5 \text{ V}] + [0.5\% \text{ of } 2 \text{ V}]) = \pm(2 \text{ mV} + [1.8\% \text{ of } 5 \text{ V}] + [0.5\% \text{ of } 2 \text{ V}]) = \pm(2 \text{ mV} + 90 \text{ mV} + 10 \text{ mV}) = \pm102 \text{ mV}$. This is roughly $\pm2\%$ of the input voltage.		
AC	±2% (40 Hz to 1 kHz)		
	±2% (20 Hz to 10 kHz) typical		
	For AC measurements, the input channel vertical settings must allow the $V_{\rm pp}$ input signal to cover between 4 and 8 divisions.		
Resolution	Voltage: 4 digits		
	Frequency: 5 digits		
Frequency accuracy	±(10 μHz/Hz + 1 count)		
Frequency counter maximum input	100 MHz for 100 MHz models		
frequency	150 MHz for all other models		
	Trigger Sensitivity limits must be observed for reliable frequency measurements.		

Performance verification

This chapter contains performance verification procedures for the specifications marked with the ν symbol. The following equipment, or a suitable equivalent, is required to complete these procedures.

Table 3: Required equipment

Description	Minimum requirements	Examples	
DC voltage source	3 mV to 100 V, ±0.1% accuracy	Fluke 9500B Oscilloscope Calibrator with a	
Leveled sine wave generator	9 kHz to 3,000 MHz, ±4% amplitude accuracy	9530 Output Module An appropriate BNC-to-0.1 inch pin adapter	
Time mark generator	80 ms period, ±1 ppm accuracy, rise time < 50 ns	between the Fluke 9530 and P6316 probe	
50 Ω BNC cable	Male-to-male connectors	Tektronix part number 012-0057-01 (43 inch)	
BNC feed-through termination	50 Ω	Tektronix part number 011-0049-02	
RF signal generator	9 kHz to 3 GHz, –20 dBm to +10 dBm	Anritsu MG3690C series with options 2, 3, 4, 15, 22	
Power meter	Use with Power sensor	Rhode & Schwarz NRX	
Power sensor	-30 dBm to +10 dBm	Rhode & Schwarz NRP-Z98	
Frequency counter	0.1 Hz to 50 MHz, 5 ppm accuracy	Tektronix FCA3000	
DMM	DC Voltage: 0.1% accuracy AC RMS Voltage: 0.2% accuracy	Tektronix DMM4040	

You may need additional cables and adapters, depending on the actual test equipment you use.

These procedures cover all 3 Series MDO models. Please disregard any checks that do not apply to the specific model you are testing.

Print the test record on the following pages and use it to record the performance test results for your oscilloscope.

NOTE. Completion of the performance verification procedure does not update the stored time and date of the latest successful adjustment. The date and time are updated only when the adjustment procedures in the service manual are successfully completed.

The performance verification procedures verify the performance of your instrument. They do not adjust your instrument. If your instrument fails any of the performance verification tests, you should consult the factory adjustment procedures described in the *3 Series MDO Service Manual*.

Upgrade the Firmware

For the best functionality, you can upgrade the oscilloscope firmware.

To upgrade the firmware of the oscilloscope:

- 1. Open up a Web browser and go to www.tektronix.com/software/downloads. Proceed to the software finder. Download the latest firmware for your oscilloscope on your PC.
- 2. Unzip the files and copy the firmware.img file into the root folder of a USB flash drive or USB hard drive.
- **3.** Power off your oscilloscope.
- **4.** Insert the USB flash or hard drive into the USB port on the front panel of your oscilloscope.
- **5.** Power on the oscilloscope. The instrument automatically recognizes the replacement firmware and installs it.

NOTE. Do not power off the oscilloscope or remove the USB drive until the oscilloscope finishes installing the firmware.

If the instrument does not install the firmware, rerun the procedure. If the problem continues, try a different model of USB flash or hard drive. Finally, if needed, contact qualified service personnel.

- 6. When the upgrade is complete, power off the oscilloscope and remove the USB flash or hard drive.
- 7. Power on the oscilloscope.
- **8.** Tap **Help** and select **About**. The oscilloscope displays the firmware version number.
- 9. Confirm that the version number matches that of the new firmware.

Test Record

Print this section for use during the Performance Verification.

Model number	Serial number	Procedure performed by	Date

Test	Passed	Failed
Self Test		

Input Impedance				
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit	Test result	High limit
Channel 1				
Channel 1 Input	10 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Impedance, 1 MΩ	100 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
	1 V/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Channel 1 Input	10 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Impedance, 50 Ω	100 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Channel 2	1	1	1	1
Channel 2 Input	10 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Impedance, 1 MΩ	100 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
	1 V/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Channel 2 Input	10 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Impedance, 50 Ω	100 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Channel 3 ¹				
Channel 3 Input	10 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Impedance, 1 MΩ	100 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
	1 V/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Channel 3 Input	10 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Impedance, 50 Ω	100 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Channel 4 ²				
Channel 4 Input	10 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Impedance, 1 MΩ	100 mV/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
	1 V/div	990 kΩ		1.01 MΩ
Channel 4, Input	10 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω
Impedance, 50 Ω	100 mV/div	49.5 Ω		50.5 Ω

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Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit (div)	Test result	High limit (div)
Channel 1	Fortiour couro		rootroout	
Channel 1 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 1 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
MΩ, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 1 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.200		0.500
50Ω , 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	2 mv/div 10 mV/div	-0.250		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 1 DC Balance, MΩ, 250 MHz BW	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1111, 200 11112 BT	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 1 DC Balance, 50 Ω, Full BW	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 1 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
MΩ, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 2				
Channel 2 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200

DC Balance Tests				
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit (div)	Test result	High limit (div)
Channel 2 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 2 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 2 DC Balance	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.2000		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 2 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 2 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 3 ³			1	1
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200

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DC Balance Tests				
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit (div)	Test result	High limit (div)
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
i0 Ω, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 3 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 4 ⁴				
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
i0 Ω, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200

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Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit (div)	Test result	High limit (div)
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 20 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, 250 MHz BW	2 mV/div	-0.2000		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.500		0.500
50 Ω, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.250		0.250
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200
Channel 4 DC Balance,	1 mV/div	-0.300		0.300
1 MΩ, Full BW	2 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	10 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	100 mV/div	-0.200		0.200
	1 V/div	-0.200		0.200

Bandwidth at Channel	Termination	Vertical scale	V _{in- pp}	V _{bw-pp}	Limit	Test result <i>Gain</i> = V _{bwpp} /V _{inpp}
1	50 Ω	10 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	5 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	2 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	1 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
2	50 Ω	10 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	5 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	2 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	1 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
3 5	50 Ω	10 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	5 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	2 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	1 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
4 6	50 Ω	10 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	5 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	2 mV/div			≥ 0.707	
	50 Ω	1 mV/div			≥ 0.707	

DC Gain Accuracy						
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit	Test result	High limit		
Channel 1 0 V offset, 0 V	1 mV/div	-2.5%		2.5%		
vertical position, 20 MHz BW, 1 MΩ	2 mV/div	-2.0%		2.0%		
DVV, 1 IVIS2	4.98 mV/div	-3.0%		3.0%		
	5 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	10 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	20 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	49.8 mV	-3.0%		3.0%		
	50 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	100 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	200 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	500 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%		
	1 V/div	-1.5%		1.5%		

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DC Gain Accuracy	N 0 1 1			
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit	Test result	High limit
Channel 2 0 V offset, 0 V	1 mV/div	-2.5%		2.5%
vertical position, 20 MHz BW, 1 MΩ	2 mV/div	-2.0%		2.0%
DVV, 1 1VIS2	4.98 mV/div	-3.0%		3.0%
	5 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	10 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	20 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	49.8 mV	-3.0%		3.0%
	50 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	100 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	200 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	500 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	1 V/div	-1.5%		1.5%
Channel 3 ⁷ 0 V offset,	1 mV/div	-2.5%		2.5%
0 V vertical position, 20 MHz BW, 1 MΩ	2 mV/div	-2.0%		2.0%
	4.98 mV/div	-3.0%		3.0%
	5 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	10 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	20 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	49.8 mV	-3.0%		3.0%
	50 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	100 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	200 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	500 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	1 V/div	-1.5%		1.5%

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DC Gain Accuracy				
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Low limit	Test result	High limit
Channel 4 ⁸ 0 V offset,	1 mV/div	-2.5%		2.5%
0 V vertical position, 20 MHz BW, 1 MΩ	2 mV/div	-2.0%		2.0%
	4.98 mV/div	-3.0%		3.0%
	5 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	10 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	20 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	49.8 mV	-3.0%		3.0%
	50 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	100 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	200 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	500 mV/div	-1.5%		1.5%
	1 V/div	-1.5%		1.5%

Performance checks	Vertical scale	Vertical offset ⁹	Low limit	Test result	High limit
All models					
Channel 1 20 MHz	1 mV/div	700 mV	696.2 mV		703.8 mV
BW, 1 MΩ	1 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.8 mV		-696.2 mV
	2 mV/div	700 m	696.1 mV		703.9 mV
	2 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.9 mV		-696.1 mV
	10 mV/div	1 V	993 mV		1007 mV
	10 mV/div	–1 V	–1007 mV		–993 mV
	100 mV/div	10.0 V	9.930 V		10.07 V
	100 mV/div	–10.0 V	–10.07 V		-9.930 V
	1 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		-99.30 V
	1.01 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1.01 V/div	-100 V	–100.7 V		-99.30 V

⁸ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.
 ⁹ Use this value for both the calibrator output and the oscilloscope offset setting.

Performance checks	Vertical scale	Vertical offset ⁹	Low limit	Test result	High limit
Channel 2 20 MHz	1 mV/div	700 mV	696.2 mV		703.8 mV
BW, 1 MΩ	1 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.8 mV		-696.2 mV
	2 mV/div	700 mV	696.1 mV		703.9 mV
	2 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.9 mV		-696.1 mV
	10 mV/div	1 V	993 mV		1007 mV
	10 mV/div	–1 V	–1007 mV		–993 mV
	100 mV/div	10.0 V	9.930 V		10.07 V
	100 mV/div	–10.0 V	–10.07 V		-9.930 V
	1 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		-99.30 V
	1.01 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1.01 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		-99.30 V
Channel 3 ¹⁰ 20 MHz	1 mV/div	700 mV	696.2 mV		703.8 mV
ΒW, 1 MΩ	1 mV/div	–700 mV	-703.8 mV		-696.2 mV
	2 mV/div	700 mV	696.1 mV		703.9 mV
	2 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.9 mV		-696.1 mV
	10 mV/div	1 V	993 mV		1007 mV
	10 mV/div	–1 V	–1007 mV		–993 mV
	100 mV/div	10.0 V	9.930 V		10.07 V
	100 mV/div	–10.0 V	–10.07 V		-9.930 V
	1 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		-99.30 V
	1.01 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1.01 V/div	-100 V	–100.7 V		–99.30 V

⁹ Use this value for both the calibrator output and the oscilloscope offset setting.
 ¹⁰ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

DC Offset Accuracy					
Performance checks	Vertical scale	Vertical offset ⁹	Low limit	Test result	High limit
Channel 4 ¹¹ 20 MHz	1 mV/div	700 mV	696.2 mV		703.8 mV
BW, 1 MΩ	1 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.8 mV		–696.2 mV
	2 mV/div	700 mV	696.1 mV		703.9 mV
	2 mV/div	–700 mV	–703.9 mV		–696.1 mV
	10 mV/div	1 V	993 mV		1007 mV
	10 mV/div	–1 V	–1007 mV		–993 mV
	100 mV/div	10.0 V	9.930 V		10.07 V
	100 mV/div	–10.0 V	-10.07 V		-9.930 V
-	1 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		–99.30 V
	1.01 V/div	100 V	99.30 V		100.7 V
	1.01 V/div	–100 V	–100.7 V		–99.30 V

Sample Rate and Delay Time Accuracy					
Performance checks	Low limit	Test result	High limit		
Sample Rate and Delay Time Accuracy	-2 division		+2 division		

Random Noise, Sample A	Acquisition Mode	Bandwidth Selection	Test result	High limit
For 1 GHz bandwidth	Channel 1	Full		3.1 mV
instruments at 100 mV/div		250 MHz		3.4 mV
		20 MHz		3.4 mV
	Channel 2	Full		3.1 mV
		250 MHz		3.4 mV
		20 MHz		3.4 mV
	Channel 3 ¹²	Full		3.1 mV
		250 MHz		3.4 mV
		20 MHz		3.4 mV
	Channel 4 ¹³	Full		3.4 mV
		250 MHz		3.4 mV
		20 MHz		3.4 mV

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⁹ Use this value for both the calibrator output and the oscilloscope offset setting.
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Random Noise, Sample A	Acquisition Mode	Bandwidth Selection	Test result	High limit
For 500 MHz bandwidth	Channel 1	Full		3.1 mV
instruments 100 mV/div at 100 mV/div		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 2	Full		3.1 mV
	Channel 2	250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 3 ¹⁴	Full		3.1 mV
		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 4 ¹⁵	Full		3.1 mV
		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
For 350 MHz bandwidth	Channel 1	Full		3.3 mV
instruments at 100 mV/div		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 2	Full		3.3 mV
		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 3 ¹⁶	Full		3.3 mV
		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 4 ¹⁷	Full		3.3 mV
		250 MHz		3.3 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
For 200 MHz bandwidth	Channel 1	Full		3.25 mV
instruments at 100 mV/div		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 2	Full		3.25 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 3	Full		3.25 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 4	Full		3.25 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV

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Random Noise, Sample A	cquisition Mode	Bandwidth Selection	Test result	High limit
For 100 MHz bandwidth	Channel 1	Full		2.85 mV
instruments at 100 mV/div		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 2	Full		2.85 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 3 ¹⁸	Full		2.85 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV
	Channel 4 ¹⁹	Full		2.85 mV
		20 MHz		3.25 mV

nannel 1				
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MHz	does not apply to 100 ar	nd 200 MHz models)
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	100 mV	800 mV		233 ps
	500 mV	4 V		233 ps
	1 V	4 V		237 ps
	MDO = 40 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 24 MHz	2	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		435 ps
	100 mV	800 mV		359 ps
	500 mV	4 V		356 ps
	1 V	4 V		583 ps
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 M	Hz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns
	MDO = 40 µs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz		I

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Delta Time Measu	urement Accuracy, < 1 GHz	instruments		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns
	1 V	4 V		535 ns
	MDO = 400 µs/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 kH	łz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs
Channel 2				
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MHz	z (does not apply to 100 ar	nd 200 MHz models)
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	100 mV	800 mV		233 ps
	500 mV	4 V		233 ps
	1 V	4 V		237 ps
	MDO = 40 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 24 MHz	2	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		435 ps
	100 mV	800 mV		359 ps
	500 mV	4 V		356 ps
	1 V	4 V		583 ps
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 M	Hz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz	1	1
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns

	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns		
	1 V	4 V		535 ns		
	MDO = 400 µs/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 kH	lz			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs		
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs		
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs		
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs		
Channel 3 ²⁰						
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MHz	(does not apply to 100 a	nd 200 MHz models)		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	100 mV	800 mV		233 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		233 ps		
	1 V	4 V		237 ps		
	MDO = 40 ns/Div, Source frequency = 24 MHz					
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		435 ps		
	100 mV	800 mV		359 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		356 ps		
	1 V	4 V		583 ps		
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 Mi	lz			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns		
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns		
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns		
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns		
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz	1			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns		

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	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns			
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns			
	1 V	4 V		535 ns			
		, Source frequency = 2.4 kł		000 113			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs			
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs			
	500 mV	4 V		2.74 µs 2.70 µs			
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs			
Channel 4 ²¹	IV	4 V		5.55 µs			
			- (de se met en mbr te 400 er				
	MDO = 4 hs/Div, S MDO V/Div	ource frequency = 240 MHz					
		Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	100 mV	800 mV		233 ps			
	500 mV	4 V		233 ps			
	1 V	4 V		237 ps			
		MDO = 40 ns/Div, Source frequency = 24 MHz					
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	5 mV	40 mV		435 ps			
	100 mV	800 mV		359 ps			
	500 mV	4 V		356 ps			
	1 V	4 V		583 ps			
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	, Source frequency = 2.4 M	Hz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns			
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns			
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns			
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns			
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz					
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns			
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns			
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns			
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns			
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz					
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit			
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns			

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Delta Time Mea	asurement Accuracy, < 1 GHz	instruments		
	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns
	1 V	4 V		535 ns
	MDO = 400 µs/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 kH	łz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs

nannel 1						
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	100 mV	800 mV		119 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		119 ps		
	1 V	4 V		128 ps		
	MDO = 40 ns/Div,	MDO = 40 ns/Div, Source frequency = 24 MHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		386 ps		
	100 mV	800 mV		298 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		294 ps		
	1 V	4 V		584 ps		
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	MDO = 400 ns/Div, Source frequency = 2.4 MHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns		
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns		
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns		
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns		
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz	I	I		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns		

	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns
	1 V	4 V		535 ns
	MDO = 400 µs/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 kl	lz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs
Channel 2				
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MH	Z	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	100 mV	800 mV		119 ps
	500 mV	4 V		119 ps
	1 V	4 V		128 ps
	MDO = 40 ns/Div, S	Source frequency = 24 MH	Z	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		386 ps
	100 mV	800 mV		298 ps
	500 mV	4 V		294 ps
	1 V	4 V		584 ps
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 M	Hz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns
	MDO = 40 μs/Div, 9	Source frequency = 24 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns

	1 V	4 V		535 ns
	MDO = 400 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 kl	lz	1
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs
Channel 3 ²²				
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MHz	2	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	100 mV	800 mV		119 ps
	500 mV	4 V		119 ps
	1 V	4 V		128 ps
	MDO = 40 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 24 MHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		386 ps
	100 mV	800 mV		298 ps
	500 mV	4 V		294 ps
	1 V	4 V		584 ps
	MDO = 400 ns/Div,	Source frequency = 2.4 M	lz	
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns
	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns

²² Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

	1 V	4 V		535 ns		
	MDO = 400 µs/Div,	, Source frequency = 2.4 kł	lz	1		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs		
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs		
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs		
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs		
Channel 4 ²³						
	MDO = 4 ns/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 MH	1			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	100 mV	800 mV		119 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		119 ps		
	1 V	4 V		128 ps		
	MDO = 40 ns/Div, Source frequency = 24 MHz					
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		386 ps		
	100 mV	800 mV		298 ps		
	500 mV	4 V		294 ps		
	1 V	4 V		584 ps		
	MDO = 400 ns/Div	, Source frequency = 2.4 M	Hz			
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		3.69 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		2.75 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		2.71 ns		
	1 V	4 V		5.36 ns		
	MDO = 4 µs/Div, S	ource frequency = 240 kHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		36.8 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		27.4 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		27.0 ns		
	1 V	4 V		53.5 ns		
	MDO = 40 μs/Div,	Source frequency = 24 kHz				
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit		
	5 mV	40 mV		368 ns		
	100 mV	800 mV		274 ns		
	500 mV	4 V		270 ns		

²³ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

Delta Time Measurement Accuracy, 1 GHz instruments					
	1 V	4 V		535 ns	
	MDO = 400 μs/Div,	, Source frequency = 2.4 kl	Ηz		
	MDO V/Div	Source Vpp	Test Result	High Limit	
	5 mV	40 mV		3.68 µs	
	100 mV	800 mV		2.74 µs	
	500 mV	4 V		2.70 µs	
	1 V	4 V		5.35 µs	

Digital channel	Threshold	V _s .	V _{s+}	Low limit	Test result V _{sAvg} = (V _s + V _{s+})/2	High limit
D0	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D1	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D2	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D3	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D4	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D5	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D6	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D7	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D8	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D9	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D10	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D11	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D12	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V

Digital Threshold Accuracy (with 3-MSO option)						
Digital channel	Threshold	V _s .	V _{s+}	Low limit	Test result V _{sAvg} = (V _s + V _{s+})/2	High limit
D13	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D14	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V
D15	0 V			-0.1 V		0.1 V
	4 V			3.78 V		4.22 V

Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL)					
Performance cheo	cks	Low limit	Test result	High limit	
All models	9 kHz – 50 kHz	N/A		–109 dBm/Hz	
	50 kHz – 5 MHz	N/A		–126 dBm/Hz	
	5 MHz – BW (3-SA3 not installed)	N/A		–136 dBm/Hz	
	5 MHz – 2 GHz (3-S3A installed)	N/A		-136 dBm/Hz	
	2 GHz – 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed)	N/A		-126 dBm/Hz	

Residual Spurious Response					
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit	
All models	9 kHz to 50 kHz	N/A		–78 dBm	
	50 kHz to 5 MHz	N/A		–78 dBm	
	5 MHz to 2 GHz (not 1.25 GHz)	N/A		–78 dBm	
	1.25 GHz (3-SA3 installed)	N/A		–76 dBm	
	2 GHz to 3 GHz (not 2.5 GHz) (3-SA3 installed)	N/A		–78 dBm	
	2.5 GHz (3-SA3 installed)	N/A		–69 dBm	

Level weasure	ment Uncertainty		1	1	
Performance checks			Low limit	Test result	High limit
+10 dBm	All models	9 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		50 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 kHz – 900 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		1 MHz – 9 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		10 MHz - 90 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 MHz – BW	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
0 dBm	All models	9 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		50 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 kHz – 900 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		1 MHz – 9 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		10 MHz - 90 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 MHz – BW	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
–15 dBm	All models	9 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		50 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 kHz – 900 kHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		1 MHz – 9 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		10 MHz – 90 MHz	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB
		100 MHz – BW	–1.2 dB		+1.2 dB

Functional check with a TPA-N-PRE Preamp attached					
Performance checks		Limit	Test result		
All models	1.7 GHz	≤ 1.5 dB			
	2.9 GHz	≤ 1.5 dB			

Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL) with a TPA-N-PRE Preamp Attached					
Performance chec	cks	Low limit	Test result	High limit	
All models	9 kHz - 50 kHz	N/A		–117 dBm/Hz	
	50 kHz - 5 MHz	N/A		–138 dBm/Hz	
	50 kHz - BW (3-SA3 not installed)	N/A		-148 dBm/Hz	
	5 MHz - 2 GHz (3-SA3 installed)	N/A		-148 dBm/Hz	
	2 GHz - 3 GHz (-3SA3 installed)	N/A		–138 dBm/Hz	

Auxiliary (Trigger) Output Tests					
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit	
Trigger Output	High 1 MΩ	≥ 2.25 V		—	
	Low 1 MΩ	—		≤ 0.7 V	
	High 50 Ω	≥ 0.9 V		—	
	Low 50 Ω	_		≤ 0.25 V	

AFG Sine and Ramp Frequency Accuracy					
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit	
All models	Sine Wave at 10 kHz, 2.5 V, 50 Ω	9.9987 kHz		10.0013 kHz	
	Sine Wave at 50 MHz, 2.5 V, 50 Ω	49.9975 MHz		50.0025 MHz	

AFG Square and Pulse Frequency Accuracy						
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit		
All models	Square Wave at 25 kHz, 2.5 V, 50 Ω	24.99875 kHz		25.00125 kHz		
	Square Wave at 25 MHz, 2.5 V, 50 Ω	24.99875 MHz		25.00125 MHz		

AFG Signal Amplitude Accuracy						
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit		
All models	Square Wave 20 mV _{pp} @ 1 kHz, 50 Ω, 0 V Offset	9.35 mV		10.65 mV		
	Square Wave 1 V _{pp} @ 1 kHz, 50 Ω, 0.2 V Offset	490.5 mV		509.5 mV		

AFG DC Offset Accuracy					
Performance checks		Low limit	Test result	High limit	
All models	20 mV DC offset @ 50 Ω	18.7 mV		21.3 mV	
	1 V DC offset @ 50 Ω	984 mV		1.016 V	

DVM Voltage Accuracy Tests (DC) Channel 1					
1	-5	-5	-5.117		-4.883
0.5	-2	-2	-2.052		-1.948
0.5	-1	-0.5	-1.0345		-0.9655
0.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5175		-0.4825
0.01	0.002	0	0.00042		0.00442
0.2	0.5	0.5	0.4825		0.5175
0.5	1	0.5	0.9655		1.0345
0.5	2	2	1.948		2.052
1	5	5	4.883		5.117
Channel 2	- 1	I	1	1	
Vertical Scale	Input Voltage	Offset Voltage	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
1	-5	-5	-5.117		-4.883
0.5	-2	-2	-2.052		-1.948
0.5	-1	-0.5	-1.0345		-0.9655
0.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5175		-0.4825
0.01	0.002	0	0.00042		0.00442
0.2	0.5	0.5	0.4825		0.5175
0.5	1	0.5	0.9655		1.0345
0.5	2	2	1.948		2.052
1	5	5	4.883		5.117
Channel 3 ²⁴					
Vertical Scale	Input Voltage	Offset Voltage	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
1	-5	-5	-5.117		-4.883
0.5	-2	-2	-2.052		-1.948
0.5	-1	-0.5	-1.0345		-0.9655
0.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5175		-0.4825
0.01	0.002	0	0.00042		0.00442
0.2	0.5	0.5	0.4825		0.5175
0.5	1	0.5	0.9655		1.0345

²⁴ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

DVM Voltage Accuracy Tests (DC)					
0.5	2	2	1.948		2.052
1	5	5	4.883		5.117
Channel 4 ²⁵	I	I		I	I
Vertical Scale	Input Voltage	Offset Voltage	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
1	-5	-5	-5.117		-4.883
0.5	-2	-2	-2.052		-1.948
0.5	-1	-0.5	-1.0345		-0.9655
0.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5175		-0.4825
0.01	0.002	0	0.00042		0.00442
0.2	0.5	0.5	0.4825		0.5175
0.5	1	0.5	0.9655		1.0345
0.5	2	2	1.948		2.052
1	5	5	4.883		5.117

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Channel 1				
Vertical Scale	Input Signal	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
5 mV	20 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	9.800 mV		10.200 mV
10 mV	50 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	24.5 mV		25.500 mV
100 mV	0.5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	245.000 mV		255.000 mV
200 mV	1 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	490.000 mV		510.000 mV
1 V	5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	2.450 mV		2.550 mV
Channel 2				
Vertical Scale	Input Signal	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
5 mV	20 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	9.800 mV		10.200 mV
10 mV	50 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	24.5 mV		25.500 mV
100 mV	0.5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	245.000 mV		255.000 mV
200 mV	1 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	490.000 mV		510.000 mV
1 V	5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	2.450 mV		2.550 mV
Channel 3 ²⁶				
Vertical Scale	Input Signal	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit
5 mV	20 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	9.800 mV		10.200 mV
10 mV	50 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	24.5 mV		25.500 mV
100 mV	0.5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	245.000 mV		255.000 mV
200 mV	1 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	490.000 mV		510.000 mV

²⁵ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.
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DVM Voltage Accuracy Tests (AC)					
1 V	5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	2.450 mV		2.550 mV	
Channel 4 ²⁷					
Vertical Scale	Input Signal	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit	
5 mV	20 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	9.800 mV		10.200 mV	
10 mV	50 mV _{pp} at 1 kHz	24.5 mV		25.500 mV	
100 mV	0.5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	245.000 mV		255.000 mV	
200 mV	1 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	490.000 mV		510.000 mV	
1 V	5 V _{pp} at 1 kHz	2.450 mV		2.550 mV	

Channel 1					
	Nominal	Low Limit	Test Result	High Limit	
	9.0000 Hz	8.9998 Hz		9.0002 Hz	
	99.000 Hz	98.998 Hz		99.002 Hz	
	999.00 Hz	998.98 Hz		999.02 Hz	
	99.000 kHz	98.998 kHz		99.002 kHz	
	999.00 kHz	998.98 kHz		999.02 kHz	
	150 MHz ¹	149.99 MHz		150.01 MHz	
Channel 2		I		I	
	9.0000 Hz	8.9998 Hz		9.0002 Hz	
	99.000 Hz	98.998 Hz		99.002 Hz	
	999.00 Hz	998.98 Hz		999.02 Hz	
	99.000 kHz	98.998 kHz		99.002 kHz	
	999.00 kHz	998.98 kHz		999.02 kHz	
	150 MHz ²	149.99 MHz		150.01 MHz	
Channel 3 ³	I				
	9.0000 Hz	8.9998 Hz		9.0002 Hz	
	99.000 Hz	98.998 Hz		99.002 Hz	
	999.00 Hz	998.98 Hz		999.02 Hz	
	99.000 kHz	98.998 kHz		99.002 kHz	
	999.00 kHz	998.98 kHz		999.02 kHz	
	150 MHz ⁴	149.99 MHz		150.01 MHz	

⁴ Verifies the maximum frequency.

²⁷ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.
¹ Verifies the maximum frequency.
² Verifies the maximum frequency.
³ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

DVM Frequency Accuracy Tests and Maximum Input Frequency						
Channel 4 ⁵						
	9.0000 Hz	8.9998 Hz	9.0002 Hz			
	99.000 Hz	98.998 Hz	99.002 Hz			
	999.00 Hz	998.98 Hz	999.02 Hz			
	99.000 kHz	98.998 kHz	99.002 kHz			
	999.00 kHz	998.98 kHz	999.02 kHz			
	150 MHz ⁶	149.99 MHz	150.01 MHz			

Performance Verification Procedures

The following three conditions must be met prior to performing these procedures:

- 1. The oscilloscope must have been operating continuously for ten (10) minutes in an environment that meets the operating range specifications for temperature and humidity.
- 2. You must perform a signal path compensation (SPC). (See *Self Tests System Diagnostics and Signal Path Compensation* section below.) If the operating temperature changes by more than 5 °C (41 °F), you must perform the signal path compensation again.
- **3.** You must connect the oscilloscope and the test equipment to the same AC power circuit. Connect the oscilloscope and test instruments into a common power strip if you are unsure of the AC power circuit distribution. Connecting the oscilloscope and test instruments into separate AC power circuits can result in offset voltages between the equipment, which can invalidate the performance verification procedure.

The time required to complete all the procedures is approximately one hour.



WARNING. Some procedures use hazardous voltages. To prevent electrical shock, always set voltage source outputs to 0 V before making or changing any interconnections.

⁶ Verifies the maximum frequency.

⁵ Channels 3 and 4 are only on four-channel oscilloscopes.

Self Tests, System Diagnostics, and Signal Path Compensation

These procedures use internal routines to verify that the oscilloscope functions and passes its internal self tests. No test equipment or hookups are required. Start the self test with these steps:

Run the System Diagnostics (may take several minutes):

- 1. Disconnect all probes and cables from the oscilloscope inputs.
- 2. Push **Default Setup** on the front-panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 3. Tap Utility > Self Test. This displays the Self Test configuration menu.
- 4. Tap the **Run Self Test** button.
- 5. Wait while the self test runs. When the self test completes, a dialog box displays the results of the self test.
- 6. Verify that the status of all tests is **Passed**.
- 7. Cycle the oscilloscope power off and back on before proceeding.

NOTE. Remember to cycle the oscilloscope power off and back on before proceeding.

Run the signal-path compensation routine (may take 5 to 15 minutes per channel):

- 1. Push Default Setup on the front panel.
- 2. Tap Utility > Calibration. This displays the Calibration configuration menu.
- 3. Tap the Run SPC button to start the routine.
- 4. Signal-path compensation may take 5 to 15 minutes to run per channel.
- 5. Verify that the SPC Status is Passed.
- 6. Return to regular service: Tap anywhere outside the menu to exit the Calibration menu.

The self test procedures are completed. If any of the above tests failed, run the tests again. If there are still failures, contact Tektronix Customer Support.

NOTE. You cannot run the remaining performance tests until the self tests pass and the SPC has successfully run.

Check Input Termination DC Coupled (Resistance)

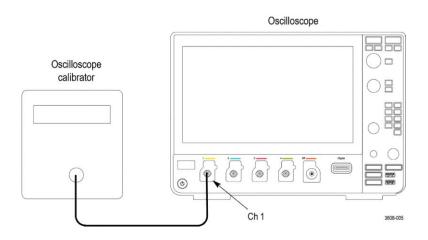
This test checks the Input Termination for 1 M Ω or 50 Ω settings.

1. Connect the output of the oscilloscope calibrator (for example, Fluke 9500) to the oscilloscope channel 1 input, as shown below.



WARNING. Be sure to set the generator to Off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, and/or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages.

NOTE. Impedance measuring equipment that produces a voltage across the channel that exceeds the measurement range of the instrument may report erroneous impedance results. A measurement voltage exceeds the measurement range of the instrument when the resulting trace is not visible on the graticule.



- **2.** Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- **3.** Push the channel button on the front panel for the oscilloscope channel that you are testing, as shown in the test record (for example, 1, 2, 3, or 4).
- 4. Confirm that the oscilloscope termination and calibrator impedance are both set to 1 M Ω .
- Turn the Vertical Scale knob to set the vertical scale, as shown in the test record (for example, 10 mV/div, 100 mV/div, 1 V/div). See *Input Termination Tests* on page 35.
- 6. Measure the input resistance of the oscilloscope with the calibrator. Record this value in the test record.
- 7. Repeat steps 5 and 6 for each volt/division setting in the test record.

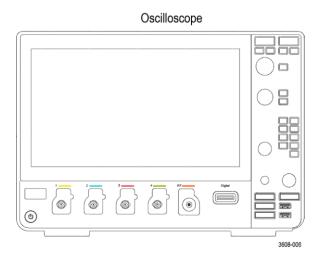
- 8. Change the oscilloscope termination to 50 Ω and repeat steps 5 through 7.
- 9. Repeat steps 4 through 9 for each channel listed in the test record and relevant to the model of oscilloscope that you are testing, as shown in the test record (for example, 2, 3, or 4).

Check DC Balance

This test checks the DC balance.

You do not need to connect the oscilloscope to any equipment to run this test. The only piece of equipment needed is a BNC feed-through 50 Ω terminator.

1. For 50 Ω coupling, attach a 50 Ω terminator to the channel input of the oscilloscope being tested.



- 2. Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 3. Double-tap the Horizontal badge on the Settings bar and set the Horizontal Scale to 1 ms/div.
- **4.** Tap the channel 1 button on the oscilloscope Settings bar to display a channel badge.
- 5. Double tap the Ch 1 badge to open its menu.
- 6. Set the Vertical Scale to 1 mV/div.
- 7. Set the channel **Termination** to **50** Ω .
- 8. Tap Bandwidth Limit and select 20 MHz, 150 MHz, or Full, as given in the test record.
- 9. Tap outside the menu to close it.

- **10.** Double-tap the **Acquisition** badge and set the **Acquisition Mode** to **Average.**
- 11. Set the Number of Waveforms to 16.
- 12. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **13.** Double-tap the **Trigger** badge and set the **Source** to **AC line**. You do not need to connect an external signal to the oscilloscope for this DC Balance test.
- 14. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 15. Add a Mean amplitude measurement for channel 1 to the Results bar:
 - a. Tap the Add New... Measure button to open the Add Measurements menu.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to **Ch 1**.
 - c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, double-tap the Mean button to add the Mean measurement badge to the Results bar.
- **16.** View the mean measurement value in the display and enter that mean value as the test result in the test record. See *DC Balance Tests* on page 36.

NOTE. Translate the mean value into divisions for use in the test record. To do this, divide the voltage value by the vertical scale value. (e.g. 0.2 V / (1 V / division) = 0.2 divisions)

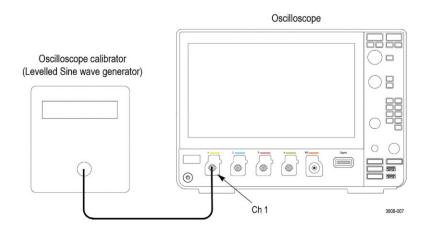
- **17.** Repeat step 6 and step 16 for each volts/division value listed in the results table.
- **18.** Repeat step 6 and step 17 for each bandwidth setting in the test record table.
- **19.** Repeat the channel tests at 1 M Ω impedance as follows:
 - **a.** Double-tap the channel 1 badge.
 - **b.** Set the **Termination** to 1 M Ω .
 - c. Repeat steps 7 through 18.
- **20.** Repeat the procedure for all remaining channels as follows:
 - **a.** Move the 50 Ω terminator to the next channel input to be tested.
 - **b.** Double-tap the channel badge of the channel that you have finished testing and set **Display** to **Off.**

- c. Tap the channel button on the Settings bar of the next channel to test.
- **d.** Starting from step 6, repeat the procedures until all channels have been tested. To change the source for the Mean measurement for each channel test:
 - a. Double-tap the Mean measurement badge.
 - **b.** Tap the **Configure** panel.
 - c. Tap the Source 1 field and select the next channel to test.
- **21.** Tap outside the menu to close it.

Check Analog Bandwidth

This test checks the bandwidth for each channel.

1. Connect the output of the leveled sine wave generator (for example, Fluke 9500) to the oscilloscope channel 1 input as shown below.



- **2.** Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 3. Double-tap the Acquisition badge and set the Acquisition mode to Sample.
- 4. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 5. Add the peak-to-peak measurement as follows:
 - **a.** Tap the **Measure** button.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to the channel under test.
 - c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, tap the Peak-to-Peak measurement button and then tap the Add button to add the measurement badge to the Results bar.
 - d. Tap outside the menu to close it.

- 6. Set the channel under test settings:
 - **a.** Double-tap the badge of the channel under test to open its configuration menu.
 - b. Set Vertical Scale to 1 mV/div.
 - c. Set Termination to 50 Ω .
 - d. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- Adjust the leveled sine wave signal source to display a waveform of 8 vertical divisions at the selected vertical scale with a set frequency of 10 MHz. For example, at 5 mV/div, use a ≥40 mV_{p-p} signal; at 2 mV/div, use a ≥16 mV_{p-p} signal.

NOTE. At some V/div settings, the generator may not provide 8 vertical divisions of signal. Set the generator output to obtain as many vertical divisions of signal as possible.

- 8. Double-tap the Horizontal badge in the Settings bar.
- 9. Set the Horizontal Scale to 1 ms/division.
- 10. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 11. Record the Peak-to-Peak measurement in the V_{in-pp} entry of the test record.
- 12. Double-tap the Horizontal badge in the Settings bar.
- 13. Set the Horizontal Scale to 4 ns/division.
- **14.** Adjust the signal source to the maximum bandwidth frequency for the bandwidth and model being tested.
- 15. Record the peak-to-peak measurement as follows:
 - Record the Peak-to-Peak measurement at the new frequency in the V_{bw-pp} entry of the test record.

Table 4: Maximum Bandwidth Frequency worksheet

Termination	Vertical Scale	Maximum Bandwidth Frequency						
For instruments with 1 GHz bandwidth								
50 Ω	10 mV/div	1 GHz						
50 Ω	5 mV/div	500 MHz						
50 Ω	2 mV/div	350 MHz						
50 Ω	1 mV/div	150 MHz						
For instruments with 500 MHz bandwidth								
50 Ω	5 mV/div	500 MHz						

Termination	Vertical Scale	Maximum Bandwidth Frequency
50 Ω	2 mV/div	350 MHz
50 Ω	1 mV/div	150 MHz
For instruments with 350 MHz bandwidth	-	
50Ω	5 mV/div	350 MHz
50Ω	2 mV/div	350 MHz
50Ω	1 mV/div	150 MHz
For instruments with 200 MHz bandwidth		1
50 Ω	2 mV/div	200 MHz
50 Ω	1 mV/div	150 MHz
50 Ω	1 mV/div	100 MHz
For instruments with 100 MHz bandwidth	-	
50 Ω	1 mV/div	100 MHz

16. Use the values of *Vbw-pp* and *Vin-pp* recorded in the test record, and the following equation, to calculate the *Gain* at bandwidth:

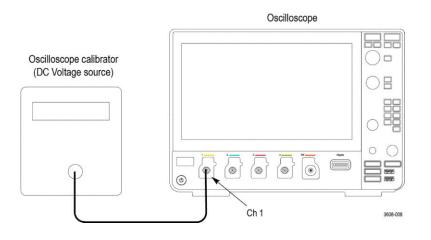
Gain = *Vbw-pp*/*Vin-pp*.

- 17. To pass the performance measurement test, Gain should be ≥ 0.707 . Enter *Gain* in the test record.
- **18.** Repeat steps 6 through 16 for all combinations of Vertical Scale and Horizontal Scale settings listed in the test record.
- **19.** Repeat the tests at 1 M Ω impedance as follows:
 - **a.** Set the calibrator output to Off or 0 volts.
 - **b.** Change the calibrator impedance to $1 \text{ M}\Omega$.
 - c. Double-tap the badge of the channel under test to open its menu.
 - d. Set the **Termination** to 1 M Ω .
 - e. Repeat steps 6 through 18.
- **20.** Repeat the test for all remaining channels as follows:
 - a. Set the calibrator to 0 volts and 50 Ω output impedance.
 - **b.** Move the calibrator output to the next channel input to be tested.
 - **c.** Press the channel button of the channel that you have finished testing to turn the channel off.
 - **d.** Tap the channel button on the oscilloscope Settings bar of the next channel to test.
 - e. Double-tap the Peak-to-Peak measurement badge.
 - f. Tap the Configure panel.
 - g. Tap the Source 1 field and select the next channel to test.
 - **h.** Starting from step 6, repeat the procedure until all channels have been tested.

Check DC Gain Accuracy

This test checks the DC gain accuracy.

1. Connect the oscilloscope to a DC voltage source. If using the Fluke 9500 calibrator, connect the calibrator head to the oscilloscope channel to test.



- **2.** Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 3. Double-tap the Acquisition badge and set Acquisition Mode to Average.
- 4. Set the Number of Waveforms to 16.
- 5. Tap outside the menu to close the menu.
- 6. Double-tap the Trigger badge and set the trigger Source to AC line.
- 7. Tap outside the menu to close the menu.
- 8. Add the Mean measurement to the Results bar:
 - a. Tap the Measure button to open the Add Measurements menu.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to **Ch 1**.
 - c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, tap the Mean button and then tap the Add button to add the Mean measurement badge to the Results bar.
- **9.** Tap the channel button of the channel to test, to add the channel badge to the Settings bar.

- **10.** Double tap the channel to test badge to open its menu and set the channel settings:
 - a. Set Vertical Scale to 1 mV/div.
 - **b.** Set **Termination** to **50** Ω .
 - c. Tap Bandwidth Limit and set to 20 MHz.
 - **d.** Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **11.** Record the negative-measured and positive-measured mean readings in the Gain expected worksheet as follows:
 - **a.** On the calibrator, set the DC Voltage Source to the $V_{negative}$ value as listed in the 1 mV row of the worksheet.
 - **b.** Double-tap the **Acquisition** badge and tap **Clear** to reset the measurement statistics.
 - c. Enter the Mean reading in the worksheet as V_{negative-measured}.
 - **d.** On the calibrator, set the DC Voltage Source to V_{positive} value as listed in the 1 mV row of the worksheet.
 - e. Double-tap the Acquisition badge (if not open) and tap Clear.
 - f. Enter the $_{Mean}$ reading in the worksheet as $V_{positive-measured}$.

Table 5: Gain Expected worksheet - channel 1

Oscilloscope Vertical Scale Setting	V _{diffExpected}	V _{negative}	V _{positive}	V _{negative-measure}	V _{positive-measured}	V _{diff}	Test Result(Gain Accuracy)
1 mV/div	7 mV	–3.5 mV	+3.5 mV				
2 mV/div	14 mV	–7 mV	+7 mV				
4.98 mV	34.86 mV	–17.43 mV	+17.43 mV				
5 mV	35 mV	–17.5 mV	+17.5 mV				
10 mV	70 mV	–35 mV	+35 mV				
20 mV	140 mV	–70 mV	+70 mV				
49.8 mV	348.6 mV	–174.3 mV	+174.3 mV				
50 mV	350 mV	–175 mV	+175 mV				
100 mV	700 mV	–350 mV	+350 mV				
200 mV	1400 mV	–700 mV	+700 mV				
500 mV	3500 mV	–1750 mV	+1750 mV				
1.0 V	7000 mV	-3500 mV	+3500 mV				

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1 mV/div	7 mV	–3.5 mV	+3.5 mV				
2 mV/div	14 mV	–7 mV	+7 mV				
4.98 mV	34.86 mV	–17.43 mV	+17.43 mV				
5 mV	35 mV	–17.5 mV	+17.5 mV				
10 mV	70 mV	–35 mV	+35 mV				
20 mV	140 mV	–70 mV	+70 mV				
49.8 mV	348.6 mV	–174.3 mV	+174.3 mV				
50 mV	350 mV	–175 mV	+175 mV				
100 mV	700 mV	–350 mV	+350 mV				
200 mV	1400 mV	–700 mV	+700 mV				
500 mV	3500 mV	–1750 mV	+1750 mV				
1.0 V	7000 mV	–3500 mV	+3500 mV				

Table 6: Gain Expected worksheet - channel 2

Table 7: Gain Expected worksheet - channel 3

Oscilloscope Vertical Scale Setting	V _{diffExpected}	V _{negative}	V _{positive}	V _{negative-measure}	V _{positive-measured}	V _{diff}	Test Result(Gain Accuracy)
1 mV/div	7 mV	–3.5 mV	+3.5 mV				
2 mV/div	14 mV	–7 mV	+7 mV				
4.98 mV	34.86 mV	–17.43 mV	+17.43 mV				
5 mV	35 mV	–17.5 mV	+17.5 mV				
10 mV	70 mV	–35 mV	+35 mV				
20 mV	140 mV	–70 mV	+70 mV				
49.8 mV	348.6 mV	–174.3 mV	+174.3 mV				
50 mV	350 mV	–175 mV	+175 mV				
100 mV	700 mV	–350 mV	+350 mV				
200 mV	1400 mV	–700 mV	+700 mV				
500 mV	3500 mV	–1750 mV	+1750 mV				
1.0 V	7000 mV	–3500 mV	+3500 mV				

Table 8: Gain Expected worksheet - channel 4

Oscilloscope Vertical Scale Setting	V _{diffExpected}	V _{negative}	V _{positive}	V _{negative-measure}	V _{positive-measured}	V _{diff}	Test Result(Gain Accuracy)
1 mV/div	7 mV	–3.5 mV	+3.5 mV				
2 mV/div	14 mV	–7 mV	+7 mV				

Oscilloscope Vertical Scale Setting	V _{diffExpected}	V _{negative}	V _{positive}	V _{negative-measure}	V _{positive-measured}	V _{diff}	Test Result(Gain Accuracy)
4.98 mV	34.86 mV	–17.43 mV	+17.43 mV				
5 mV	35 mV	–17.5 mV	+17.5 mV				
10 mV	70 mV	–35 mV	+35 mV				
20 mV	140 mV	–70 mV	+70 mV				
49.8 mV	348.6 mV	–174.3 mV	+174.3 mV				
50 mV	350 mV	–175 mV	+175 mV				
100 mV	700 mV	–350 mV	+350 mV				
200 mV	1400 mV	–700 mV	+700 mV				
500 mV	3500 mV	–1750 mV	+1750 mV				
1.0 V	7000 mV	–3500 mV	+3500 mV				

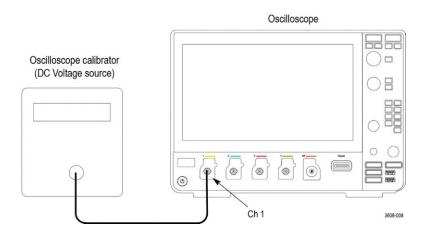
12. Calculate Gain Accuracy as follows:

- a. Calculate V_{diff} as follows: V_{diff}= | V_{negative-measured}- V_{positive-measured} |
- **b.** Enter V_{diff} in the worksheet.
- c. Calculate Gain Accuracy as follows: Gain Accuracy = (($V_{diff} V_{diffExpected}$)/ $V_{diffExpected}$) × 100%
- d. Enter the Gain Accuracy value in the worksheet and in the test record.
- **13.** Repeat steps 10 through 12 for all vertical scale settings in the work sheet and the test record.
- 14. Repeat tests at 1 M Ω impedance as follows:
 - a. Set the calibrator to 0 volts and 1 M Ω output impedance.
 - **b.** Double-tap the badge of the channel being tested.
 - c. Set the Termination to 1 $M\Omega$
 - **d.** Repeat steps 10 through 13 for all vertical scale settings in the test record.
- 15. Repeat the procedure for all remaining channels:
 - a. Set the calibrator to 0 volts and 50 Ω output impedance.
 - **b.** Move the calibrator output to the next channel input to be tested.
 - **c.** Press the channel button of the channel that you have finished testing to turn off the channel.
 - d. Double-tap the Mean measurement badge.
 - e. Tap the Configure panel.
 - f. Tap the Source 1 field and select the next channel to test.
 - **g.** Starting from step 10, set the values from the test record for the channel under test, and repeat the above steps until all channels have been tested.
- **16.** Touch outside a menu to close the menu.

Check Offset Accuracy

This test checks the offset accuracy.

1. Connect the oscilloscope to a DC voltage source to run this test. If using the Fluke 9500 calibrator as the DC voltage source, connect the calibrator head to the oscilloscope channel to test.





WARNING. Set the generator output to Off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages.

- 2. Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 3. Double-tap the Acquisition badge and set Acquisition Mode to Average.
- 4. Set the Number of Waveforms to 16.
- 5. Tap outside the menu to close the menu.
- 6. Double-tap the Trigger badge and set the trigger Source to AC line.
- 7. Double-tap the Horizontal badge and set Horizontal Scale to 20 ms/div.
- 8. Add the Mean measurement to the Results bar:
 - a. Tap the Measure button to open the Add Measurements menu.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to **Ch 1**.
 - c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, tap the Mean button and then tap the Add button to add the Mean measurement badge to the Results bar.

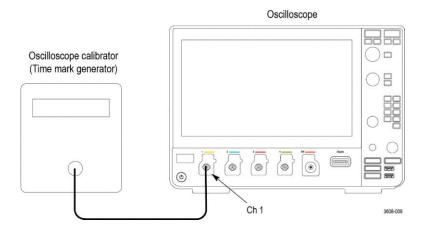
- **9.** Tap the channel button (starting with channel 1) on the Settings bar to add the channel under test to the Settings bar.
- **10.** Double-tap the channel under test badge to open its configuration menu and change the vertical settings:
 - a. Set Vertical Scale to 1 mV/div.
 - b. Set Offset to 900 mV.
 - c. Set Position to 0 by tapping Set to 0.
 - d. Set Termination to 50 Ω .
 - e. Tap Bandwidth Limit and set to 20 MHz.
 - f. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 11. Set the calibrator output to +900 mV, as shown in the test record, and turn the calibrator output On.
- 12. Enter the Mean measurement value in the test record.
- **13.** Double-tap the channel under test badge to open its configuration menu and change the **Offset** to **-900 mV**.
- 14. Set the calibrator output to -900 mV, as shown in the test record.
- 15. Enter the Mean measurement value in the test record.
- **16.** Repeat step 10 through 15, changing the channel vertical settings and the calibrator output as listed in the test record for the channel under test.
- 17. Repeat the channel tests at 1 M Ω impedance as follows:
 - a. Set the calibrator output to Off or 0 volts.
 - **b.** Change the calibrator impedance to 1 M Ω and voltage to +900 mV.
 - **c.** Turn the calibrator output On.
 - d. Repeat steps 10 through 15, changing the channel **Termination** to $1 \text{ M}\Omega$ and the vertical Offset value and the calibrator output as listed in the 1 M Ω test record for the channel under test.
- 18. Repeat the procedure for all remaining channels as follows:
 - a. Double-tap the Mean measurement badge.
 - **b.** Tap the **Configure** panel.
 - c. Tap the Source 1 field and select the next channel to test.
 - d. Set the calibrator to 0 volts and 50 Ω output impedance.
 - e. Move the calibrator output to the next channel input to test.
 - **f.** Press the channel button of the channel that you have finished testing to turn the channel off.

- **g.** Tap the channel button on the oscilloscope Settings bar of the next channel to test.
- **h.** Starting from step 2, repeat the procedure until all channels have been tested.
- **19.** This completes the procedure.

Check Long-term Sample Rate and Delay Time Accuracy

This test checks the sample rate and delay time accuracy (time base).

- 1. Push **Default Setup** on the oscilloscope front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 2. Connect the output of the time mark generator to the oscilloscope channel 1 input using a 50 Ω cable. Use the time mark generator with a 50 Ω source with the oscilloscope set for internal 50 Ω termination.



- **3.** Set the time mark generator to 80 ms. Use a time mark waveform with a fast rising edge.
- 4. Set the mark amplitude to $1 V_{pp}$.
- 5. Set the channel under test settings:
 - **a.** Double-tap the Channel 1 badge to open its configuration menu.
 - b. Set Vertical Scale to 500 mV/div.
 - c. Set Termination to 50 Ω .
 - d. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 6. Double-tap the Horizontal badge in the Settings bar.
- 7. Set the Horizontal Scale to 20 ms/div.
- 8. Double-tap the Trigger badge in the Settings bar.
- 9. Adjust the Trigger Level for a triggered display.

- 10. Adjust the vertical **Position** knob to center the time mark on center screen.
- **11.** Adjust the **Horizontal Position** knob counterclockwise to set the delay to exactly 80 ms.
- 12. Set the Horizontal Scale to 400 ns/div.
- **13.** Compare the rising edge of the marker to the center horizontal graticule. The rising edge should be within ±2 divisions of the center graticule. Enter the deviation in the test record. See *Sample Rate and Delay Time Accuracy* on page 44.

NOTE. One division of displacement from graticule center corresponds to a 5 ppm time base error.

This completes the procedure.

Check Random Noise Sample Acquisition Mode

This test checks random noise. You do not need to connect any test equipment to the oscilloscope for this test.

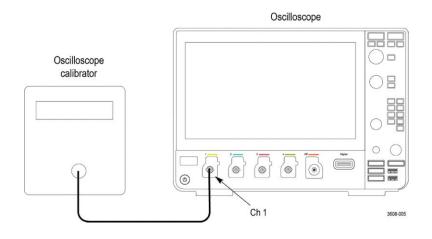
- 1. Disconnect everything connected to the oscilloscope inputs.
- 2. Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings. This sets the oscilloscope to Channel 1, Full Bandwidth, 1 M Ω input termination, 100 mV/div, and 4.00 µs/div.
- 3. Double-tap the Horizontal settings badge.
- 4. Set Horizontal Scale to 10 ms/div.
- 5. Double-tap the Channel badge of the channel being tested.
- 6. Set **Termination** to 50 Ω .
- 7. Set the **Bandwidth Limit** to the desired bandwidth.
- 8. Add the AC RMS measurement:
 - **a.** Tap the **Measure** button.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to the channel being tested.
 - c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, tap the AC RMS measurement button and then tap the Add button to add the measurement badge to the Results bar.
 - d. Double-tap the AC RMS measurement badge and tap Show Statistics in Badge to display statistics in the measurement badge.
 - e. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 9. Add the Mean measurement:
 - a. Tap the Measure button.
 - **b.** Set the **Source** to the channel being tested.

- c. In the Amplitude Measurements panel, tap the Mean measurement button and then tap the Add button to add the measurement badge to the Results bar.
- d. Double-tap the Mean measurement badge and tap Show Statistics in Badge to display statistics in the measurement badge.
- e. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 10. Record the measurements.
- 11. Calculate RMS noise voltage = Square root of (RMS² Mean²), and record the result.
- **12.** The calculated RMS noise voltage from step 11. should be less than the high limit in the test record (the calculated maximum RMS noise).
- **13.** Repeat the above test for the other bandwidths listed in the test record.
- **14.** Repeat the above test for all other input channels. Channels 3 and 4 are only available on four channel oscilloscopes.

Check Delta Time Measurement Accuracy

This test checks the Delta time measurement accuracy (DTA) for a given instrument setting and input signal.

- 1. Set the sine wave generator output impedance to 50Ω .
- 2. Connect a 50 Ω coaxial cable from the signal source to the oscilloscope channel being tested.





WARNING. Set the generator output to Off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages.

- 3. Push the oscilloscope front-panel Default Setup button.
- **4.** Double-tap the badge of the channel under test to open its configuration menu.
- 5. Set Termination to 50 Ω .
- 6. Set the Vertical Scale to a value in the test record being tested.
- 7. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 8. Double-tap the **Trigger** badge, and then, if necessary, set the **Trigger Source** to the channel being tested:
- 9. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 10. Double-tap the Horizontal badge.
- 11. Set the Horizontal Scale to a value in the test record being tested.
- 12. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 13. Add a Burst Width measurement for the channel under test:
 - **a.** Tap the **Measure** button.
 - **b.** Tap the **Time Measurements** panel.

- **c.** Tap the **Burst Width** measurement and then tap the **Add** button to add the measurement badge to the Results bar.
- d. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **14.** Double-tap the **Burst Width** results badge to open the measurement configuration menu.
- **15.** Tap **Show Statistics in Badge** to display the measurement statistics in the results badge.
- 16. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- Refer to the Test Record *Delta Time Measurement Accuracy* table. See *Delta Time Measurement Accuracy Tests* on page 50. Set the oscilloscope and the signal source as directed there.
- **18.** Wait five or 10 seconds for the oscilloscope to acquire all the samples before taking the reading.
- **19.** Verify that the **Std Dev** is less than the upper limit shown for each setting, and note the reading in the Test Record.
- **20.** Repeat steps 4 through 19 for each setting combination shown in the Test Record for the channel being tested.
- **21.** Push the channel button on the front panel for the current channel to shut off the channel. Push the channel button for the next channel to be tested, and move the coaxial cable to the appropriate input on the oscilloscope. Only the channel being tested should be enabled
- 22. Repeat steps 4 through 21 until all channels have been tested.

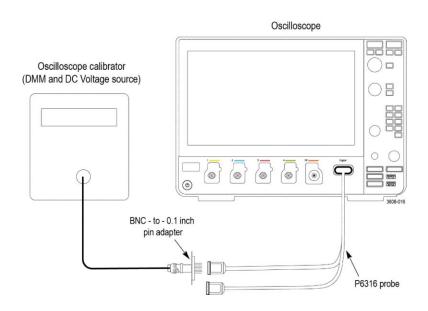
NOTE. For this test, enable only one channel at a time. If additional channels are enabled at the same time, the maximum sample rate is reduced and the limits in the Test Record are no longer valid.

Check Digital Threshold Accuracy (with 3-MSO option)

For models with the 3-MSO option only, this test checks the threshold accuracy of the digital channels. This procedure applies to digital channels D0 through D15, and to channel threshold values of 0 V and +4 V.

- 1. Connect the P6316 digital probe to the instrument.
- 2. Connect the P6316 Group 1 pod to the DC voltage source to run this test. You will need a BNC-to-0.1 inch pin adapter to complete the connection.

NOTE. If using the Fluke 9500 calibrator as the DC voltage source, connect the calibrator head to the P6316 Group 1 pod. You will need a BNC-to-0.1 inch pin adapter to complete the connection.



- **3.** Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 4. Display the digital channels and set the thresholds as follows:
 - **a.** Tap the **D15-D0** button on the Settings bar.
 - b. Double-tap the D15-D0 badge on the Settings bar.
 - c. Tap the D15-D8 Turn All On button to turn all bits on.
 - d. Tap the D7-D0 Turn All On button to turn all bits on.
 - e. Tap the D15-D8 **Thresholds** field at the bottom of the menu and set the value to **0** V.
 - **f.** Tap the D7-D0 **Thresholds** field at the bottom of the menu and set the value to **0 V**. The thresholds are set for the 0 V threshold check.
 - g. Tap outside the menu to close it.

- 5. You need to record the test values in the test record row for 0 V for each digital channel. See *Digital Threshold Accuracy Tests (with 3-MSO option)* on page 54.
- 6. Double-tap the Trigger badge.
- 7. Tap Slope and change the slope to rising edge.
- 8. Set the **Source** to the appropriate channel, such as D0.

By default, the Type is set to Edge, Coupling is set to DC, Slope is set to Rising, Mode is set to Auto, and Level is set to match the threshold of the channel being tested.

- 9. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **10.** Set the DC voltage source (Vs) to -400 mV. Wait 3 seconds. Check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display.

If the channel is a static logic level high (green), change the DC voltage source Vs to -500 mV.

11. Increment Vs by +20 mV. Wait 3 seconds and check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display. If the channel is at a static logic level high (green), record the Vs value as in the 0 V row of the test record.

If the channel is a logic level low (blue) or is alternating between high and low, repeat this step (increment Vs by 20 mV, wait 3 seconds, and check for a static logic high). Continue until a value for **Vs-** is found.

NOTE. *In this procedure, the channel might not change state until after you pass the set threshold level.*

- **12.** Double-tap the **Trigger** badge.
- **13.** Tap **Slope** and change the slope to falling edge.
- 14. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **15.** Set the DC voltage source (Vs) to +400 mV. Wait 3 seconds. Check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display.

If the channel is a static logic level low (blue), change the DC voltage source Vs to +500 mV.

16. Decrement Vs by -20 mV. Wait 3 seconds and check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display. If the channel is at a static logic level low, record the Vs value as **Vs+** in the 0 V row of the test record.

If the channel is a logic level high (green) or is alternating between high and low, repeat this step (decrement Vs by 20 mV, wait 3 seconds, and check for a static logic low). Continue until a value for Vs+ is found.

17. Find the average, $V_{sAvg} = (V_{s-} + V_{s+})/2$. Record the average as the test result in the test record.

Compare the test result to the limits. If the result is between the limits, continue with the procedure to test the channel at the +4 V threshold value.

- 18. Repeat the procedure starting with step 6 for each remaining digital channel.
- 19. Double-tap the Trigger badge.
- **20.** Set the **Source** to the appropriate channel, such as D0.
- **21.** Tap **Slope** and change the slope to falling edge.
- 22. The remaining part of this procedure is for the +4 V threshold test.
 - a. Double-tap the D15-D0 badge on the Settings bar.
 - b. Tap the D15-D8 Turn All On button to turn all bits on.
 - c. Tap the D7-D0 Turn All On button to turn all bits on.
 - **d.** Tap the D15-D8 **Thresholds** field at the bottom of the menu and set the value to **4.00** V.
 - e. Tap the D7-D0 Thresholds field at the bottom of the menu and set the value to **4.00** V.
 - f. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **23.** Set the DC voltage source (Vs) to +4.4 V. Wait 3 seconds. Check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display.

If the channel is a static logic level low (blue), change the DC voltage source Vs to +4.5 V.

24. Decrement Vs by -20 mV. Wait 3 seconds and check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display. If the channel is at a static logic level low, record the Vs value as **Vs+** in the 4 V row of the test record.

If the channel is a logic level high (green) or is alternating between high and low, repeat this step (decrement Vs by 20 mV, wait 3 seconds, and check for a static logic low). Continue until a value for Vs+ is found.

- **25.** Double-tap the **Trigger** badge.
- **26.** Tap **Slope** and change the slope to rising edge.
- 27. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- **28.** Set the DC voltage source (Vs) to +3.6 V. Wait 3 seconds. Check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display.

If the channel is a static logic level high (green), change the DC voltage source Vs to +3.5 V.

29. Increment Vs by +20 mV. Wait 3 seconds and check the logic level of the corresponding digital channel in the display. If the channel is at a static logic level high, record the Vs value as in the 4 V row of the test record.

If the channel is a logic level low (blue) or is alternating between high and low, repeat this step (increment Vs by 20 mV, wait 3 seconds, and check for a static logic high). Continue until a value for **Vs-** is found.

30. Find the average, $V_{sAvg} = (Vs + Vs +)/2$. Record the average as the test result in the test record.

Compare the test result to the limits. If the result is between the limits, the channel passes the test.

31. Repeat the procedure starting with step 19 for each digital channel.

This completes the procedure.

Check Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL)

This test does not require an input signal.

The test measures the average internal noise level of the instrument, ignoring residual spurs.

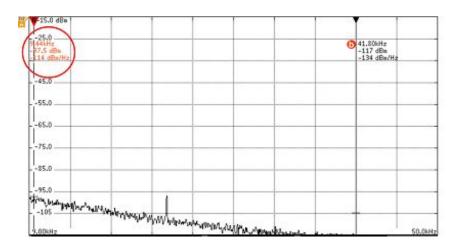
It checks these ranges:

- 9 kHz to 50 kHz
- 50 kHz to 5 MHz
- 5 MHz to BW (3-SA1 not installed)
- 5 MHz to 2 GHz (3-SA1 installed)
- 2 GHz to 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed)

NOTE. If the specific measurement frequency results in measuring a residual spur that is visible above the noise level, the DANL specification applies not to the spur but to the noise level on either side of the spur. Please refer to the Spurious Response specifications.

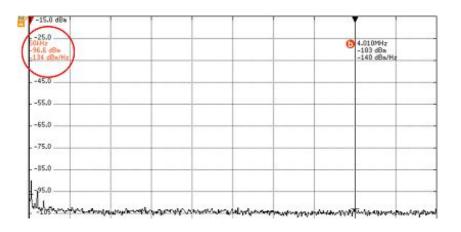
- **1.** *Initial oscilloscope setup:*
 - **a.** Terminate the RF input in 50 Ω with no input signal applied.
 - b. Push the Default Setup button on the front panel.
 - c. Tap the **RF** button to turn on the RF channel.
 - d. Turn on the average trace as follows:
 - **a.** Double-tap the **RF** badge to open the RF VERTICAL SETTINGS configuration menu.
 - **b.** Tap **TRACES** to open the TRACES panel.
 - c. Tap Spectrum Traces Normal to turn off Normal.
 - d. Tap Spectrum Traces Average to turn on Average.
 - e. Turn on the average detection as follows:
 - a. Tap the Detection Method Manual button.
 - **b.** For the Average Spectrum Trace touch **Detection Type** and select **Average** from the drop-down list.

- **f.** Set the reference level to -15 dBm as follows:
 - **a.** Tap Vertical Settings to open the Vertical Settings panel.
 - b. Tap Reference Level and set the Ref Level to -15.0 dBm.
- **g.** Set the start and stop frequency as follows:
 - a. Double-tap the Horizontal badge.
 - b. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 9 kHz.
 - c. Tap Stop Frequency and set the stop frequency to 50 kHz.
- 2. Check from 9 kHz to 50 kHz:
 - **a.** Set Manual Marker (a) at the frequency with the highest noise level as follows: Tap the **Cursors** button. Turn Multipurpose knob **a** to move the marker to the frequency at the noise threshold (highest point of noise), ignoring any spurs. For this span, it should be near 9 kHz on the far left of the screen. See the following figure.



- **b.** Record the noise threshold value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 3. In the test record, enter the result at this frequency (9 kHz).

- 4. Check from 50 kHz to 5 MHz:
 - a. Double-tap the Horizontal badge.
 - b. Tap Stop Frequency and set the stop frequency to 5 MHz.
 - c. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 50 kHz.
 - d. Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
 - e. Set marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - f. Tap Center Frequency and set the frequency to 2.525 MHz.
 - **a.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.



- 5. In the test record, enter the result at this frequency (50 kHz).
- 6. Check from 5 MHz to BW (3-SA3 not installed):
 - a. Set the Stop Frequency to the maximum bandwidth.
 - **b.** Set the **Start Frequency** to **5 MHz**.
 - c. Set marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - **d.** Tap **Center Frequency** and set the frequency to half the maximum bandwidth.
 - e. Set the span to 10 MHz as follows: Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
 - **f.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 7. Check from 5 MHz to 2 GHz (3-SA3 installed).
 - a. Set the Stop Frequency to 2 GHz.
 - **b.** Set the **Start Frequency** to **5 MHz**.
 - c. Set marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - d. Tap Center Frequency and set the frequency to 1 GHz.

- e. Set the span to 10 MHz as follows: Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
- **f.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 8. Check from 2 GHz to 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed).
 - a. Set the Stop Frequency to 3 GHz.
 - b. Set the Start Frequency to 2 GHz.
 - c. Set marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - d. Tap the Center Frequency and set the frequency to1.5 GHz.
 - e. Set the span to 10 MHz as follows: Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
 - **f.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.

Check Residual Spurious Response

This check verifies that the oscilloscope meets the specification for residual spurious response. This check does not require an input signal.

- 1. Initial Setup:
 - **a.** Terminate the oscilloscope RF input in 50 Ω with no input signal applied.
 - b. Push Default Setup.
 - c. Tap RF. Double-tap the RF badge.
 - d. Tap TRACES to open the Traces panel
 - e. Tap Spectrum Traces Average to select Average. Tap Spectrum Traces Normal to turn off Normal.
 - f. Tap VERTICAL SETTINGS to open the panel.
 - g. Tap Reference Level and set Ref Level to -15 dBm.
- 2. Check in the range of 9 kHz to 50 kHz (all models).
 - a. Double-tap the Horizontal badge.
 - b. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 9 kHz.
 - c. Tap Stop Frequency and set the stop frequency to 50 kHz.
 - d. Observe any spurs above -78 dBm and note them in the test record.

- 3. Check in the range of 50 kHz to 5 MHz.
 - a. Set Stop Frequency to 5 MHz.
 - **b.** Set Start Frequency to 50 kHz.
 - c. Observe any spurs above -78 dBm and note them in the test record.
- **4.** Check in the range of 5 MHz to Maximum Bandwidth (3-SA3 not installed):
 - a. Set Stop Frequency to the maximum bandwidth.
 - **b.** Set Start Frequency to 5 MHz.
 - c. Set RBW to 100 kHz.
 - **d.** Observe any spurs above -78 dBm and note them in the test record.
- 5. Check in the range of 5 MHz to 2 GHz (3-SA3 installed):
 - a. Set Stop Frequency to 2 GHz.
 - **b.** Set Start Frequency to 5 MHz.
 - c. Set **RBW** to **100 kHz**.
 - **d.** Check the spur level at 1.25 GHz, if present. Turn the **Multipurpose a** knob to line up the marker on the 1.25 GHz spur, if it is present. Adjust the marker until the horizontal dash on the marker sits on top of the spur. Note the spur level in the test record.
 - e. Observe any spurs above -78 dBm in the rest of the span, and note them in the test record.
- 6. Check in the range of 2 GHz to 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed):
 - a. Set Stop Frequency to the 3 GHz.
 - **b.** Set Start Frequency to 2 GHz.
 - c. Set RBW to 100 kHz.
 - **d.** Check the spur level at 2.5 GHz, if present. Turn the **Multipurpose a** knob to line up the marker on the 2.5 GHz spur, if it is present. Adjust the marker until the horizontal dash on the marker sits on top of the spur. Note the spur level in the test record.
 - e. Observe any spurs above -78 dBm in the rest of the span, and note them in the test record.

Check Level Measurement Uncertainty

This test checks the level measurement uncertainty at three reference levels: +10 dBm, 0 dBm, and -15 dBm. This check uses the generator to step frequencies across four spans to verify that the instrument meets the specification.

For this check, you will need the following equipment, which is described in the Required Equipment table. See *Table 3: Required equipment* on page 33.

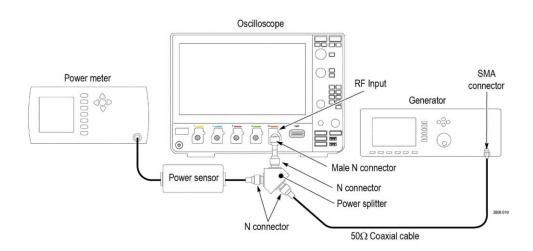
- RF signal generator
- Power meter
- Power sensor
- Power splitter
- Adapters and cables as shown in the following figure.



WARNING. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages. Be sure to set the generator to off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, and/or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure.

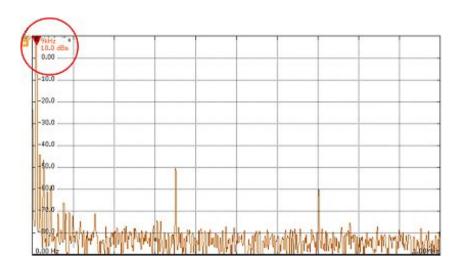
NOTE. Use an SMA connector with the RF signal generator. Equipment damage will result if an N connector is used.

1. Connect the equipment as shown in the following figure.



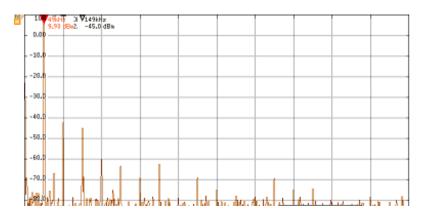
- 2. Initial oscilloscope setup:
 - a. Push the **Default Setup** button on the front panel.
 - **b.** Tap **RF** to turn on the RF channel.

- **3.** Check at +10 dBm:
 - **a.** Double-tap the **RF** badge.
 - **b.** Set the reference level to +10 dBm as follows: Tap **Reference Level** and set the Reference Level to +10 dBm.
 - c. Set the frequency range as follows:
 - Double-tap the **Horizontal** badge.
 - Tap **Start Frequency** and set the Start Frequency to **0 Hz**.
 - Tap **Stop Frequency** ans set the stop frequency to **1 MHz**.
 - d. Set the generator to provide a 9 kHz, +10 dBm signal.
 - e. At 9 kHz, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope. See the following figure.



- Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- f. In the test record, enter the result at this frequency (9 kHz).
- g. Set the generator to provide a 50 kHz, +10 dBm signal.
- h. At 50 kHz, determine the test result as follows:

 Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope. See the following figure.



- Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- i. In the test record, enter the result at this frequency (50 kHz).
- **j.** Step the generator, in 100 kHz intervals, through frequencies from 100 kHz to 900 kHz. At each interval, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- **k.** In the test record, enter the greatest result determined within this frequency range (100 kHz 900 kHz).
- **I.** Change the frequency range as follows:
 - Change the stop frequency to 9.2 MHz.
 - Change the start frequency to **980 kHz**.
- m. Set the generator to provide a 1 MHz, +10 dBm signal.
- **n.** Step the generator, in 1 MHz intervals, through frequencies from 1 MHz to 9 MHz. At each interval, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- **o.** In the test record, enter the greatest result determined within this frequency range (1 MHz to 9 MHz).

- **p.** Change the frequency range as follows:
 - Change the **Stop Frequency** to **92 MHz**.
 - Change the **Start Frequency** to **9.8 MHz**.
- q. Set the generator to provide a 10 MHz, +10 dBm signal.
- **r.** Step the generator, in 10 MHz intervals, through frequencies from 10 MHz to 90 MHz. At each interval, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- **s.** In the test record, enter the greatest result determined within this frequency range (10 MHz to 90 MHz).

For all models without the 3-SA3 3 GHz option (See steps 3.t through 3.w.)

- t. Change the frequency range as follows:
 - Change the **Stop Frequency** to the maximum bandwidth.
 - Change the **Start Frequency** to **99 MHz**.
- u. Set the generator to provide a 100 MHz, +10 dBm signal.
- v. Step the generator, in 100 MHz intervals, through frequencies from 100 MHz to the maximum bandwidth. At each interval, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- **w.** In the test record, enter the greatest result determined within this frequency range (100 MHz to 3 GHz).

For models with the 3-SA3 3 GHz option (See steps 3.x through 3.aa.)

- **x.** Change the frequency range as follows:
 - Change the **Stop Frequency** to **3 GHz**.
 - Change the **Start Frequency** to **99 MHz**.
- y. Set the generator to provide a 100 MHz, +10 dBm signal.

- **z.** Step the generator, in 100 MHz intervals, through frequencies from 100 MHz to 3 GHz. At each interval, determine the test result as follows:
 - Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - Calculate the difference between the two readings. This is the test result.
- **aa.** In the test record, enter the greatest result determined within this frequency range (100 MHz to 3 GHz).
- 4. *Repeat the previous step with these changes:*
 - a. Set the **Reference Level** to **0 dBm**.
 - **b.** Set the generator level to **0 dBm**.
- 5. *Repeat the previous step with these changes:*
 - a. Set the **Reference Level** to -15 dBm.
 - **b.** Set the generator level to -15 dBm.

Functional check of the 3 Series MDO with a TPA-N-PRE attached to its RF Input

The following instructions apply to situations where the 3 Series MDO has a TPA-N-PRE preamplifier attached to its RF input

Perform the following functional check to ensure proper operation of the TPA-N-PRE/3 Series MDO system.

For this check, you will need the following equipment, which is described in the Required Equipment table. See *Table 3: Required equipment* on page 33.

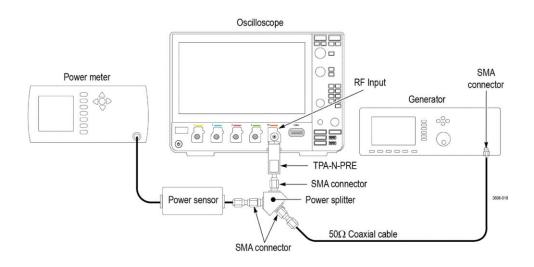
- RF signal generator
- Power meter
- Power sensor
- Power splitter
- Adapters and cables as shown in the following figure.



WARNING. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages. Be sure to set the generator to off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, and/or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure.

NOTE. Use an SMA connector with the RF signal generator. Equipment damage will result if an N connector is used.

1. Connect the equipment as shown in the following figure.



- 2. Initial oscilloscope setup:
 - a. Push the front-panel **Default Setup** button.
 - **b.** Tap **RF** to turn on the RF channel.
 - c. Double-tap the **RF** badge.
 - d. Tap **TRACES** to open the panel.
 - e. Push the Menu button on the TPA-N-PRE preamplifier. On the 3 Series MDO, verify that the **Detection Method** is set to **Auto**.

- 3. Check at 1.7 GHz
 - a. Set the reference level to -15 dBm as follows: Tap VERTICAL SETTINGS to open the panel. Tap Reference Level and set the Reference Level to -15 dBm.
 - **b.** Set the frequency range as follows:
 - Double-tap the **Horizontal** badge.
 - Tap Center Frequency and set the center frequency to 1.7 GHz.
 - Tap **Span** and set the span to **50 MHz**.
 - a. Set the generator to provide a 1.7 GHz, -20 dBm signal.
 - **b.** Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope. See the following figure:

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- **c.** The absolute difference between the two readings should be small (~ 1.5 dB or less). If the 3 Series MDO reading is too low, tighten the preamp more firmly to the oscilloscope by hand and check the reading again.
- **d.** Check at the –30 dBm reference level.
 - Set the generator to provide a 1.7 GHz, -35 dBm signal.
 - Double-tap the RF badge. Tap Reference Level and set the reference level to -30 dBm.
 - Compare the oscilloscope and the power meter readings as before. The absolute difference between the readings should be ~1.5 dB or less. If the oscilloscope reading is too low, tighten the preamp more firmly to the oscilloscope by hand and check the reading again.
- 4. Check at 2.9 GHz
 - a. Double-tap the **RF** badge. Tap **Reference Level** and set the reference level to -15 dBm.
 - **b.** Set the frequency range as follows:
 - Double-tap the **Horizontal** badge.
 - Tap Center Frequency and set the center frequency to 2.9 GHz.
 - Tap **Span** and set the span to **50 MHz**.
 - c. Set the generator to provide a 2.9 GHz, -20 dBm signal.
 - **d.** Note the reading on the power meter and the readout for the Reference marker on the oscilloscope.
 - e. The absolute difference between the two readings should be small (~ 1.5 dB or less). If the oscilloscope reading is too low, tighten the preamp more firmly to the oscilloscope by hand and check the reading again.
 - **f.** Check at the -30 dBm reference level.
 - Set the generator to provide a 2.9 GHz, -35 dBm signal.
 - Double-tap the RF badge. Tap Reference Level and set the reference level to -30 dBm.
 - Compare the oscilloscope and the power meter readings as before. The absolute difference between the readings should be ~1.5 dB or less. If the oscilloscope reading is too low, tighten the preamp more firmly to the oscilloscope by hand and check the reading again.

Check Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL) with a TPA-N-PRE Attached:

This test does not require an input signal.

The test measures the average internal noise level of the instrument, ignoring residual spurs.

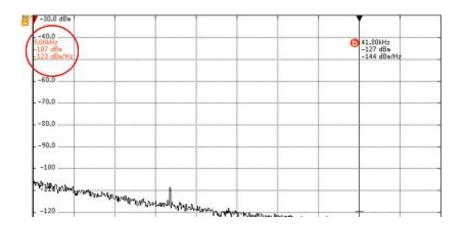
It checks these ranges:

- 9 kHz to 50 kHz
- 50 kHz to 5 MHz
- 5 MHz to BW 3-SA3 not installed)
- 5 MHz to 2 GHz (3-SA3 installed)
- 2 GHz to 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed)

NOTE. If the specific measurement frequency results in measuring a residual spur that is visible above the noise level, the DANL specification applies not to the spur but to the noise level on either side of the spur. Please refer to the Spurious Response specifications. See

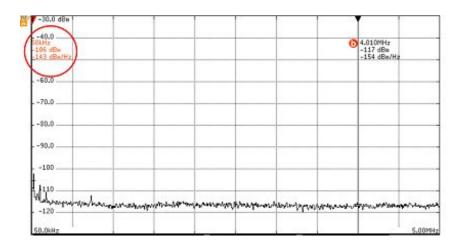
- **1.** *Initial oscilloscope setup:*
 - **a.** Terminate the TPA-N-PRE preamp input in 50 Ω and make sure that no input signal is applied.
 - b. Push the front-panel Default Setup button.
 - c. Tap **RF** to turn on the RF channel.
 - d. Double-tap the RF badge.
 - e. Turn on the average trace as follows:
 - Tap **TRACES** to open the panel.
 - Tap the Spectrum Traces Average button to set average trace to **On**.
 - Tap the Spectrum Traces **Normal** button to set normal trace to **Off**.
 - f. Turn on average detection as follows:
 - Tap Detection Method Manual button.
 - Tap Detection Type and select Average from the drop down list.
 - g. Push the Menu button on the TPA-N-PRE preamplifier.
 - h. Double-tap the Horizontal badge. On the oscilloscope, verify that the **RBW Mode** is set to **Auto**.
 - i. Set the reference level to -30.0 dBm as follows:
 - Double-tap the **RF** badge.
 - Tap the Reference Level button and set the Reference Level to 30.0 dBm.

- 2. Check from 9 kHz to 50 kHz (all models):
 - **a.** Set the stop and start frequencies as follows:
 - Double-tap the **Spectrum** badge.
 - Tap **Stop Frequency** button and set the stop frequency to **50 kHz**.
 - Tap Start Frequency button and set the start frequency to 9 kHz.
 - Wait 60 seconds. Due to the low RBW for this span, it takes a little while for the instrument to compute a valid average.
 - **a.** Set Marker (a) at the frequency with the highest noise level as follows:
 - Turn Multipurpose knob a to move the marker to the frequency at the noise threshold (highest point of noise), ignoring any spurs. See the following figure.



- **a.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- **3.** Check from 50 kHz to 5 MHz (all models):
 - **a.** Set the start and stop frequency as follows:
 - Tap **Stop Frequency** button and set the stop frequency to **5 MHz**.
 - Tap Start Frequency button and set the start frequency to 50 kHz.
 - **a.** Set Marker (a) at the frequency with the highest noise level as follows:

Turn Multipurpose knob a to move the marker to the frequency at the noise threshold (highest point of noise), ignoring any spurs. See the following figure.



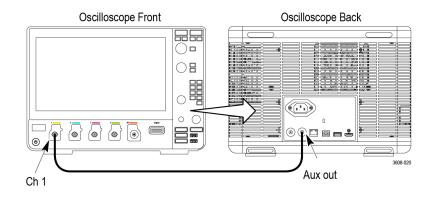
- **a.** Record the noise threshold value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 4. Check from 5 MHz to BW (3-SA3 not installed)
 - **a.** Tap **Stop Frequency** and set the stop frequency to the maximum BW.
 - b. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 5 MHz.
 - c. Set Marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - **d.** *Tap Center Frequency and set the frequency to the center frequency*:
 - e. Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
 - **a.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 5. Check from 5 MHz to 2 GHz (3-SA3 installed)
 - a. Tap Stop Frequency and set the stop frequency to 2 GHz.
 - b. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 5 MHz.
 - c. Set Marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.
 - d. Tap Center Frequency and set the frequency to the center frequency.
 - e. Tap Span and set the Span to 10 MHz.
 - **f.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.
- 6. Check from 2 GHz to 3 GHz (3-SA3 installed):
 - a. Tap Stop Frequency and set the stop frequency to 3 GHz.
 - b. Tap Start Frequency and set the start frequency to 2 GHz.
 - c. Set Marker (a) at the frequency of the highest noise, ignoring any spurs.

- d. Tap Center Frequency and set the frequency to the center frequency.
- e. Tap Span and set the span to 10 MHz.
- **f.** Record the highest noise value (in dBm/Hz) in the test record and compare it to the instrument specification.

Check Auxiliary Output

This test checks the Auxiliary Output.

1. Connect the Aux Out signal from the rear of the instrument to the channel 1 input using a 50 Ω cable.

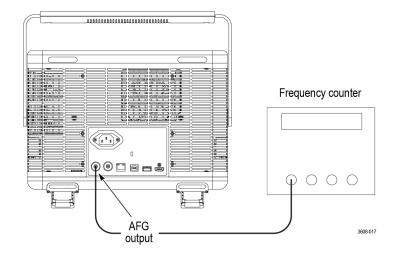


- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- **3.** Double-tap the **Ch 1** badge.
- 4. Set the oscilloscope termination to 1 M Ω . The default **Termination** setting is **1M** Ω .
- 5. Set the horizontal to 4 us/div and the vertical to 1 V/div.
- 6. Tap the Measure button.
- 7. Tap Low in the Amplitude Measurements panel, and then tap Add.
- 8. Tap High in the Amplitude Measurements panel, and then tap Add.
- 9. Tap outside the Add Measurements panel to close the menu.
- 10. Record the high and low measurements in the test record (for example, low = 200 mV and high = 3.52 V). See *Auxiliary (Trigger) Output Tests* on page 57.
- 11. Repeat the procedure, using 50Ω instead of 1 M Ω in step 4.

Check AFG Sine and Ramp Frequency

This test checks the AFG Sine and Ramp Frequency.

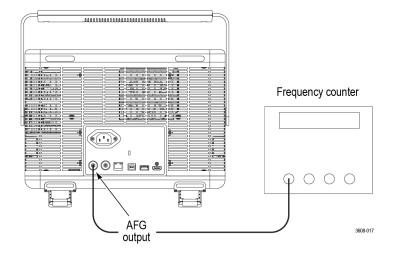
1. Connect AFG output to the frequency counter.



- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the oscilloscope front panel.
- 3. Tap the AFG button.
- **4.** Tap **Waveform Type** and select **Sine** wave (or Ramp) from the drop down list.
- 5. Tap Amplitude and set the amplitude to the value shown in the test record.
- 6. Tap Frequency and the frequency to the value shown in the test record.
- 7. Tap Load Impedance and select 50 Ω .
- **8.** Measure frequency in the frequency counter. Compare results to the limits in the test record.
- 9. Repeat steps 3 8 above for all rows in the test record.

Check AFG Square and Pulse Frequency Accuracy

This test checks the AFG Square and Pulse Frequency Accuracy.

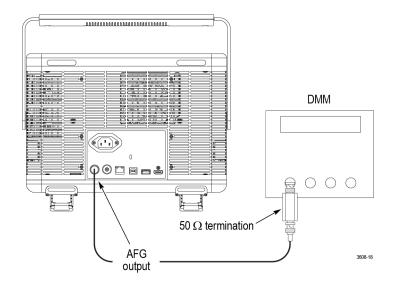


- 1. Connect the AFG output to the frequency counter.
- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the oscilloscope front panel.
- **3.** Tap the **AFG** button.
- 4. Tap Waveform Type and select Square wave (or Pulse) from the list.
- 5. Tap Amplitude, set the Amplitude to the value shown in the test record.
- 6. Tap Frequency, set the frequency to the value shown in the test record.
- 7. Tap Load Impedance and select 50 Ω .
- **8.** Measure frequency in the frequency counter. Compare results to the limits in the test record.
- 9. Repeat steps 3 8 for all rows in the test record.

Check AFG Signal Amplitude Accuracy

This test checks the AFG Signal Amplitude Accuracy.

1. Connect the AFG output to the DMM through a 50 Ω termination.

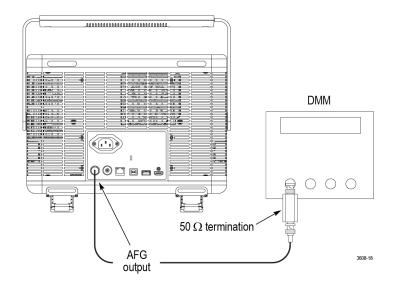


- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the oscilloscope front panel.
- **3.** Tap the **AFG** button.
- 4. Tap Waveform Type and select Square from the list.
- 5. Tap Amplitude and set amplitude to the value shown in the test record.
- 6. Tap Frequency and set frequency to the value shown in the test record.
- 7. Tap Load Impedance and select 50 Ω .
- 8. Set DMM to measure ACRMS Voltage.
- **9.** Measure voltage on the DMM. Compare the result to the limits in the test record.
- 10. Repeat steps 3 9 above for all rows in the test record.

Check AFG DC Offset Accuracy

This test checks the AFG DC Offset Accuracy.

1. Connect the AFG output to the DMM through a 50 Ω termination.

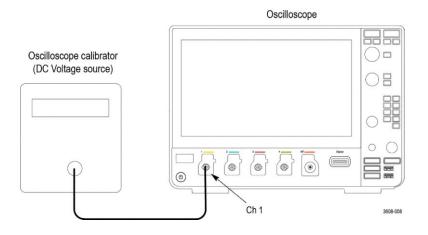


- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the oscilloscope front panel.
- 3. Tap the AFG button.
- 4. Tap Waveform Type and select DC from the list.
- 5. Tap Amplitude and set Amplitude to the value shown in the test record.
- 6. Tap Load Impedance and select 50 Ω .
- 7. Set DMM to measure DC Voltage.
- **8.** Measure voltage on the DMM. Compare the result to the limits in the test record.
- 9. Repeat steps 3 8 above for each line in the test record.

Check DVM Voltage Accuracy (DC)

This test checks the DVM voltage accuracy (DC).

1. Connect the oscilloscope to a DC voltage source to run this test. If using the Fluke 9500 calibrator as the DC voltage source, connect the calibrator head to the oscilloscope channel to test.



- 2. Push the **Default Setup** button on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- **3.** Set the channel settings:
 - **a.** Double tap the badge of the channel under test to open its menu.
 - **b.** Check that Position is set to 0 divs. If not, set the position to 0 divisions.
 - c. Confirm that Termination is set to $1 \text{ M}\Omega$.
 - d. Set the Bandwidth Limit to 20 MHz.
- 4. Set the calibrator impedance to 1 M Ω .
- 5. Turn the Horizontal Scale knob to 1 ms/div.
- 6. Double-tap the Acquisition badge.
- 7. Tap Acquisition Mode and select Average from the list. Use the default number of averages (16).
- 8. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 9. Double-tap the Trigger badge.
- 10. Tap Source and select AC Line as the trigger source.
- **11.** Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 12. Tap the DVM button to add the DVM badge to the Results bar.
- **13.** Double-tap the **DVM** badge.
- 14. In the **DVM** menu, set **Source** to the channel to be tested.
- **15.** Tap the Mode **DC** button to select DC mode.

- 16. Tap outside the menu to close it.
- 17. Set the calibrator to the input voltage shown in the test record (for example, 5 V for a 1 V/div setting).
- **18.** In the channel under test menu, set the **Offset** value to that shown in the test record (for example, -5 V for -5 V input and 1 V/div setting).
- **19.** Turn the vertical **Scale** knob to match the value in the test record (for example, 1 V/division).
- **20.** Enter the measured value on the DVM badge in the test record. See *DVM Voltage Accuracy Tests (DC)* on page 58.
- **21.** Repeat the procedure (steps 17 20) for each volts/division setting shown in the test record.
- **22.** Repeat all steps, starting with step 3, for each oscilloscope channel you want to check. To set the next channel to test:
 - a. Double-tap the badge of the channel under test to open its menu
 - b. Set Display to Off.
 - **c.** Tap the channel button in the Settings bar of the next channel to test to add that channel badge and signal to the display.
- **23.** This completes the procedure.

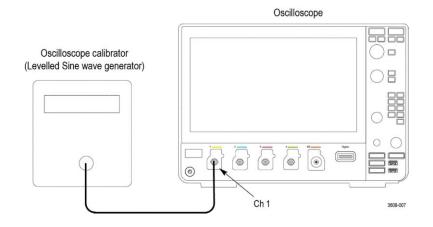
Check DVM Voltage Accuracy (AC)

This test checks the DVM voltage accuracy (AC).

1. Connect the output of the leveled sine wave generator (for example, Fluke 9500) to the oscilloscope channel 1 input as shown below.



WARNING. Set the generator output to Off or 0 volts before connecting, disconnecting, or moving the test hookup during the performance of this procedure. The generator is capable of providing dangerous voltages.



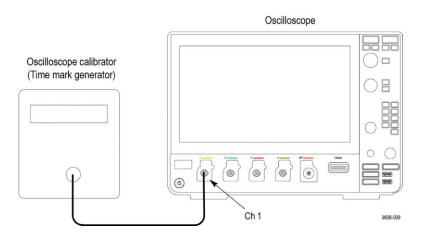
- 2. Set the generator to 50 Ω output impedance (50 Ω source impedance).
- 3. Set the generator to produce a square wave of the amplitude and frequency listed in the test record (for example, 20 mV_{pp} and 1 kHz).
- 4. Push **Default Setup** on the front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 5. Tap **DVM** button to add the DVM badge to the Results bar.
- 6. Double-tap DVM badge.
- 7. Set the DVM Mode to AC RMS.
- 8. Set the DVM Source to the input channel being tested.
- **9.** Double-tap the channel badge of the channel being tested to open its configuration menu.
- **10.** Set the oscilloscope **Termination** to **50** Ω .
- **11.** Turn the vertical scale knob so that the signal covers between 4 and 8 vertical divisions on screen.
- **12.** Enter the measured value in the test record.
- **13.** Repeat steps 11 and 12 for each voltage and frequency combination shown in the test record.

- 14. Repeat all steps for each oscilloscope channel. To set the next channel to test:
 - a. Double-tap the badge of the channel under test to open its menu.
 - **b.** Set **Display** to **Off**.
 - **c.** Tap the channel button in the Settings bar of the next channel to test to add that channel badge and signal to the display.
- **15.** This completes the procedure.

Check DVM Frequency Accuracy and Maximum Input Frequency

This test checks DVM Frequency Accuracy.

- 1. Push **Default Setup** on the oscilloscope front panel to set the instrument to the factory default settings.
- 2. Connect the output of the time mark generator to the oscilloscope channel 1 input using a 50 Ω cable. Use the time mark generator with a 50 Ω source with the oscilloscope set for internal 50 Ω termination.



- **3.** Set the time mark generator to the value shown in the test record. For example, use 9 Hz. Use a time mark waveform with a fast rising edge (square wave), except at 150 MHz use a sine wave.
- 4. Set the mark amplitude to $1 V_{pp}$.
- 5. Set the oscilloscope vertical Scale to 200 mV/div.
- 6. Set the Horizontal Scale to 20 ms/div.
- 7. Adjust the **Trigger Level** for a triggered display.
- 8. Adjust the vertical **Position** knob to center the time mark on center screen.
- 9. Double-tap the Trigger badge.
- 10. Tap MODE & HOLDOFF to display the Mode and Holdoff panel.
- 11. Tap Trigger Frequency Counter to toggle the counter on.

- **12.** Enter the measured value in the test record.
- **13.** Repeat this procedure for each frequency setting shown in the record. (Keep the same vertical and horizontal scales as set in steps 5 and 6.)
- 14. Repeat all these steps for each oscilloscope channel. This completes the procedure.

This completes the Performance Verification procedures