

Frequency and Time Characteristic

Frequency span	
	SSA5083A
Frequency range	9 kHz~13.6 GHz
Frequency resolution	1 Hz
Range	0 Hz (Zero Span), 100 Hz to Max Frequency
Accuracy	\pm Span / (number of sweep points - 1)
Internal Reference Source	
Reference frequency	10.000000 MHz
Reference frequency accuracy	\pm [(time since last adjustment \times frequency aging rate) + temperature stability + initial calibration accuracy]
Standard Reference Source	
Initial calibration accuracy	< 1 ppm, 20 °C~30 °C
Temperature stability	< 1 ppm, 0 °C~50 °C
Frequency aging rate	< 0.5 ppm/first year, 3.0 ppm/20 years
OCXO Precise Reference Source (Opt. 10M_OCXO_L)	
Initial calibration accuracy	< 0.1 ppm, 20 °C~30 °C
Temperature stability	< 1 ppb, 0 °C~50 °C
Frequency aging rate	< 50 ppb/year
Marker	
Marker resolution	Span / (number of sweep points - 1)
Marker uncertainty	\pm [frequency indication \times reference frequency uncertainty + 10% \times resolution bandwidth + $\frac{1}{2} \times$ marker resolution + 1 Hz]
Marker type	Normal, Delta, Fixed, Reference to, Table
Marker Functions	Noise marker, N dB BW, Frequency counter
Frequency Counter resolution	0.1 Hz

Bandwidths

Resolution bandwidth (-3dB)	1 Hz ~ 10 MHz, in 1-3-10 sequence
Resolution filter shape factor	< 5:1 (60 dB:3 dB) (nom.)
RBW uncertainty	< 5% (nom.)
Video bandwidth (-3dB)	1 Hz ~ 10 MHz, in 1-3-10 sequence
VBW uncertainty	< 5% (nom.)
EMI bandwidth (-6dB)	200 Hz, 9 kHz, 120 kHz, 1 MHz (CISPR16 compliant)
Analysis bandwidth	25 MHz, 40 MHz (opt. SSA5000-B40)

Sweep and Trigger

Sweep time	1 μ s to 6000 s, Span=0 Hz 1 ms to 4000 s, Span \geq 100 Hz
Sweep mode	RBW=3k Hz~10 MHz, Swept RBW=1 Hz~10 kHz, FFT
Sweep (trace) points	201~10001
Sweep rule	Single, Continuous
Trigger source	Free, Video, External, Period
Trigger delay	-200 ms ~ +500 ms, Span=0 Hz 1 ms ~ +500 ms, Span \geq 100 Hz, swept and FFT
External trigger	5V TTL level, Rising edge/Falling edge

Time gating

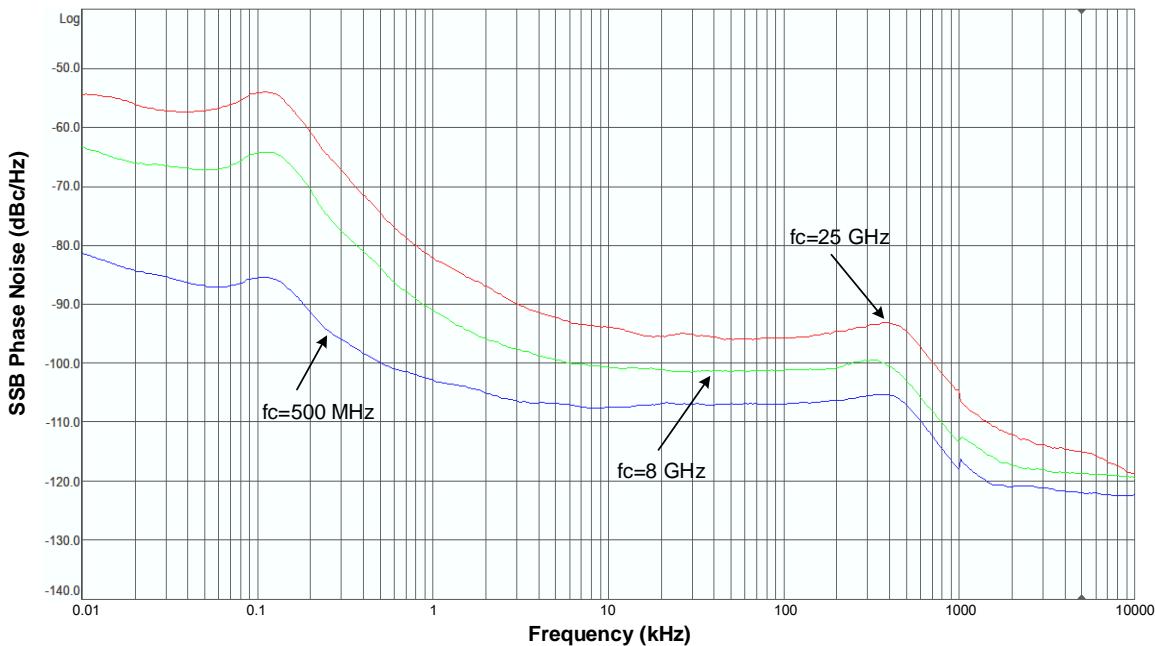
Gate methods	Gated LO, Gated Video, Gated FFT
Gate length	501 μ s~5 s
Gate delay	2 μ s~25 s

Amplitude Accuracy and Range Specifications

Amplitude and Level	
Measurement range	DANL to +10 dBm, 100 kHz ~ 1 MHz, Preamp off DANL to +23 dBm, 1 MHz ~ 26.5 GHz, Preamp off
Reference level	-170 dBm to +23 dBm, 1 dB steps
Preamplifier	20 dB (nom.), 100 kHz~26.5 GHz
Input attenuation	0 ~ 50 dB, 2 dB steps
Maximum input DC voltage	+/- 50 V _{DC}
Maximum average power	27 dBm, 3 minutes, fc ≥ 10 MHz, att > 20 dBm, preamp off 27+10*log(fc/1MHz) dBm, fc < 1 MHz, att ≥ 20 dBm

Level Display	
Logarithmic level axis	1 dB to 200 dB
Linear level axis	0 to reference level, 0% to 100%
Units of level axis	dBm, dBmV, dB μ V, dB μ A, Volt, Watt
Number of traces	6
Trace detectors	Positive-peak, Negative-peak, Sample, Normal, Average(Voltage/RMS/Video)
Trace functions	Clear Write, Max Hold, Min Hold, View, Blank, Average, Math

SSB Phase Noise	
Offset	20 °C to 30 °C, fc = 1 GHz, Normalized to 1 Hz
10 kHz	-103 dBc/Hz, -105 dBc/Hz (typ.)
100 kHz	-103 dBc/Hz, -105 dBc/Hz (typ.)
1 MHz	-116 dBc/Hz, -119 dBc/Hz (typ.)



Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL)

	SSA5083A	SSA5085A
20 °C to 30 °C, att = 0 dB, RBW = 1 Hz, sample detector, trace average > 50		
Preamp off	100 kHz~1 MHz	-130 dBm, -143 dBm(typ.)
	1 MHz~10 MHz	-143 dBm, -148 dBm(typ.)
	10 MHz~1.22 GHz	-144 dBm, -148 dBm(typ.)
	1.22 GHz~3.15 GHz	-140 dBm, -144 dBm(typ.)
	3.15 GHz~7.22 GHz	-137 dBm, -141 dBm(typ.)
	7.22 GHz~13.6 GHz	-136 dBm, -140 dBm(typ.)
	13.6 GHz~18.9 GHz	-134 dBm, -140 dBm(typ.)
	18.9 GHz~24.2 GHz	-132 dBm, -137 dBm(typ.)
	24.2 GHz~26.5 GHz	-124 dBm, -134 dBm(typ.)
Preamp on	100 kHz~1 MHz	-135 dBm, -148 dBm(typ.)
	1 MHz~10 MHz	-153 dBm, -165 dBm(typ.)
	10 MHz~1.22 GHz	-159 dBm, -163 dBm(typ.)
	1.22 GHz~3.15 GHz	-158 dBm, -162 dBm(typ.)
	3.15 GHz~7.22 GHz	-154 dBm, -158 dBm(typ.)
	7.22 GHz~13.6 GHz	-154 dBm, -158 dBm(typ.)
	13.6 GHz~18.9 GHz	-151 dBm, -155 dBm(typ.)
	18.9 GHz~24.2 GHz	-148 dBm, -152 dBm(typ.)
	24.2 GHz~26.5 GHz	-142 dBm, -149 dBm(typ.)

Error and Accuracy		
Resolution bandwidth switching uncertainty	Logarithmic resolution, relative to RBW = 10 kHz ± 0.2 dB (nom.)	
Input attenuation switching uncertainty	20 °C to 30 °C, preamp off, relative to att=20 dB 1 MHz~7.22 GHz 7.22 GHz~26.5 GHz	0.5 dB 0.7 dB
Frequency Response relative to 50 MHz	20 °C to 30 °C, 30% to 70% relative humidity, att=20 dB, preamp off 10 MHz ~ 7.5 GHz 7.5 GHz ~ 13.6 GHz 13.6 GHz ~ 26.5 GHz	± 1.5 dB ± 2.0 dB ± 2.5 dB
Absolute amplitude accuracy	20 °C to 30 °C, input signal level=-50~-10 dBm, RBW=VBW=30 kHz, att=20 dB, peak detector, 95% reliability ±0.4 dB, fc=50 MHz ± 0.4 dB + Frequency Response, Preamp off ± 0.5 dB + Frequency Response, Preamp on	
RF input VSWR	Att = 10 dB, fc≥10 MHz 10 MHz~13.6 GHz 13.6 GHz~24.2 GHz 24.2 GHz~26.5 GHz	1.6 (nom.) 1.9 (nom.) 2.1 (nom.)
Distortion and Spurious Responses		
Second harmonic distortion (SHI)	20 °C to 30 °C, fc≥50 MHz, input signal level=-20 dBm, att=0 dB, preamp off 10 MHz~7.22 GHz 7.22 GHz~13.25 GHz	42 dBm (nom.) 54 dBm (nom.)
Third-order intercept (TOI)	20 °C to 30 °C, fc≥50 MHz, input signal two -20 dBm tones spaced by 100 kHz, att=0 dB, preamp off 50 MHz~7.22 GHz 7.22 GHz~26.5 GHz	11 dBm, 15 dBm (nom.) 10 dBm, 14 dBm (nom.)
1dB gain compression	20 °C to 30 °C, fc≥50 MHz, input signal two tones spaced larger than 20 MHz, att=0 dB, preamp off >5 dBm (nom.)	
Residual response	20 °C to 30 °C, input terminated 50 Ω, att=0 dB < -90 dBm	
Input related spurious	20 °C to 30 °C, mixer level -30 dBm <-65 dBc	

Advanced Measurement Kit (SSA5000-AMK)

Power Measurement	
CHP, Channel Power	Channel Power, Power Spectral Density
ACPR, Adjacent Channel Power Ratio	Main CH Power, Left channel power, Right channel power
OBW, Occupied Bandwidth	Occupied Bandwidth, Transmit Frequency Error
T-Power, Time Domain Power	Zero Span Integrated Power
CNR, Carrier Noise Ratio	C/N, Noise Power

Non-Linear Measurement	
Harmonic measurement	Max Harmonic number 10
TOI, Third-Order Intercept	Measure the third-order products from two tones

Spectrum Monitor Measurement	
Spectrogram	

EMI Measurement (Option SSA5000-EMI)

Measurement	
Measurement View	Frequency scan, Meter, Signal list
Pre-compliance Sequence	Scan, Search, Meas
EMI filter RBW (-6dB)	200 Hz, 9 kHz, 120 kHz, 1MHz(following CISPR 16-1-1)
RBW uncertainty	< 5% (nom.)
Detector	Peak, Voltage Average, Quasi-Peak(following CISPR 16-1-1)
Dwell time	0 us ~ 10 s
RBW/Steps	0.1, 0.3, 0.5, 1, 2, 3
Corrections	4
Limit and Trace	3
Limit Standards	EN550xx, GB9254, FCC Part15, User defined
Attenuator	0-50 dB
Report	Signal List
Frequency scale	Linear, Logarithmic

Analog Modulation Analysis (Option SSA5000-AMA)

Common Parameter		
	SSA5083A	SSA5085A
Carrier Frequency Range	2 MHz~13.6 GHz	2 MHz~26.5 GHz
Carrier Power Accuracy	±2 dB (nom.)	
Carrier Power Range	-30 dBm to +20 dBm (nom.)	
AM		
Modulation rate range	20 Hz to 100 kHz	
Accuracy	1 Hz (nom.) < 0.1% modulation rate (nom.)	Modulation rate < 1 kHz Modulation rate ≥ 1 kHz
Modulation depth range	5% to 95%	
Accuracy	±4% (nom.)	
FM		
Modulation rate range	20 Hz to 200 kHz	
Accuracy	1 Hz (nom.) < 0.1% modulation rate (nom.)	Modulation rate < 1 kHz Modulation rate ≥ 1 kHz
Frequency deviation	1 kHz to 400 kHz	
Accuracy	±4% (nom.)	
PM		
Modulation rate range	50 Hz~50 kHz	
Accuracy	1 Hz(nom.) < 0.1% modulation rate (nom.)	Modulation rate < 1 kHz Modulation rate ≥ 1 kHz
Frequency deviation	0.2~100 rad	
Accuracy	±4%(nom.)	

Digital Modulation Analysis (Option SSA5000-DMA)

Common Parameter	
	SSA5083A
Frequency Range	2 MHz~13.6 GHz
Carrier Power Accuracy	± 2 dB (nom.)
Carrier Power Range	-30 dBm to +20 dBm (nom.)
Measurement	
Modulation Type	ASK: 2ASK; FSK: 2FSK, 4FSK, 8FSK, 16FSK; MSK: GMSK; PSK: BPSK, QPSK, OQPSK, 8PSK; DPSK: DBPSK, DQPSK, D8PSK, $\pi/4$ -DQPSK, $\pi/8$ -D8PSK; QAM: 16, 32, 64, 128, 256
Meas Length	16 to 4096
Points/Symbol	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16
Symbol Rate	1 ksps to 32 Msps, Symbol Rate* Points/Symbol \leq 150 Msps
Trigger Holdoff	500 ms
Burst	Burst power sync, BERT
Filter	
Meas/Ref Filter	Nyquist, Squrt Nyquist, Gauss, Half Sine, Rectangular
Length	2 to 128
Alpha/BT	Alpha 0.01~1, BT 0.01~10
Trace	
Trace Data	IQ Meas Time, IQ Meas Spectrum, IQ Ref Time, IQ Ref Spectrum, Time, Spectrum, IQ Mag Err, IQ Phase Err Symbol Error Chart, Err Vector Time, Err Vector Spectrum,
Trace Formats	Log mag, Lin mag, Real, Imag, I-Q, Constellation, I-eye, Q-eye, Wrap Phase, Unwrap Phase, Trellis eye
Symbol Error Chart	
PSK/DPSK/MSK/QAM	EVM (rms EVM, peak EVM), Magnitude error, Phase error, IQ offset, Carrier offset, SNR Quadrature error, Gain imbalance(not support for MSK)
ASK	ASK Error, ASK depth, carrier offset
FSK	FSK Error, Magnitude error, FSK deviation, carrier offset

Real-Time Spectrum Analysis (Option SSA5000A-RTA1)

Frequency and Time			
Real-Time	25 MHz (Default)		
Bandwidth	40 MHz (Option SSA5000A-B40)		
100% POI Minimum	Full Span, Kaiser Window, Frequency Mask Triggering at full amplitude		
Signal Duration	accuracy		
	7.20 µs		
	Density	30 ms ~ 50 s	
Measurement view	3D+Spectrogram	30 ms ~ 50 s	
	Spectrogram	100 µs ~ 50 s	
	PvT+Spectrum	100 µs ~ 50 s	
MAX Sample rate	51.2 MHz		
FFT per second	150 000(40 MHz analysis BW)		
Marker	8		
Span min	5 kHz		
Window	Kaiser(Default), Hanning, Flattop, Gaussian, Blackman-Harris, Rectangular		
	Any SPAN, six RBW for every window (only one for Rectangular), default min RBW.		
	Typical RBW for Kaiser:		
RBW			
Span			
RBW	40 MHz	100.43 kHz	3.3142 MHz
	20 MHz	50.21 kHz	1.657 MHz
	10 MHz	25.11 kHz	828.55 kHz
	1 MHz	2.51 kHz	82.85 kHz
	100 kHz	251 Hz	8.285 kHz
Spectrogram / PvT			
Maximum stored	50 000 (Loop store)		

Different RBW and span, 100% POI (µs)						
Analysis BW	RBW1	RBW2	RBW3	RBW4	RBW5	RBW6
40 MHz	26.56	16.56	11.56	9.06	7.81	7.20
20 MHz	46.56	26.56	16.56	11.56	9.06	7.81
10 MHz	86.56	46.56	26.56	16.56	11.56	9.06
1 MHz	806.56	406.56	206.56	106.56	56.56	31.56

Different window length for RBW						
Length\Type	1024	512	256	128	64	32
Kaiser(Beta=12)	398.2849	198.9478	99.2793	49.4450	24.5279	12.0693
Hanning	533.4785	266.4785	132.9785	66.2285	32.8535	16.1660
Flattop	212.2447	106.0182	52.9050	26.3483	13.0700	6.4309
Gaussian(alpha=3.5)	404.8707	202.2399	100.9244	50.2666	24.9376	12.2729
Blackman-Harris	399.2401	199.4250	99.5174	49.5636	24.5868	12.0983
Rectangular	801	400.5000	200.2500	100.1250	50.0625	25.0313

Amplitude Accuracy and Range		
Detector	+Peak, -Peak, Sample, Average	
Trace	3	
Spectrum Density Display	0~100% (resolution 0.1%)	
Dynamic range for Spectrogram	200 dB	
Amplitude	Flatness	< 0.4 dB
	Resolution	0.01 dB
	Dynamic range	< 60 dB
Trigger	Free Run, PvT, External	
Frequency Mask Trigger (FMT)	Source	Traces
	Type	Greater Than, Less Than, Outside Mask, Inside Mask
	Actions	Stop, Beep
Colour Mode	Warm(Default), Cool, Gray	