Keysight N9320B RF Spectrum Analyzer 9 kHz to 3.0 GHz

Data Sheet





Definitions and Conditions

"Specifications" describe the performance of parameters covered by the product warranty and apply to the full temperature range of 5 to 45 °C, unless otherwise noted.

"Typical" values describe additional product performance information that is not covered by the product warranty. It is performance beyond specifications that 80 percent of the units exhibit with a 95 percent confidence level over the temperature range 20 to 30 °C. Typical performance does not include measurement uncertainty.

"Nominal" values indicate expected performance, or describe product performance that is useful in the application of the product, but are not covered by the product warranty.

The spectrum analyzer will meet its specifications when:

It is within its calibration cycle It has been turned on at least 30 minutes. It has been stored at an ambient temperature within the allowed operating range for at least two hours before being turned on; if it has been stored previously at a temperature range inside the allowed storage range, but outside the allowed operating range.

Frequency and Time Specification

| | | Supplemental Information |
|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Frequency | | |
| Range | 9 kHz to 3 GHz | AC coupled |
| | 100 kHz to 3 GHz | Preamp on |
| Resolution | 1 Hz | |
| Internal 10 MHz frequency reference | | |
| Aging rate | ± 1 ppm/year | |
| Temperature stability | ± 1 ppm | 5 to +45 °C, reference 25 °C |
| Supply voltage stability | ± 0.3 ppm | |
| Residual FM | ≤ 100 Hz p-p in 100 ms nominal | RBW = 1 kHz, VBW = 1 kHz |
| Frequency readout accuracy (start, stop, center | er, marker) | |
| Marker resolution | (freq span)/(number of sweep point -1) | |
| Uncertainty | ± (freq indication x freq reference uncertainty ¹ + | 1% x span + 20% x resolution bandwidth + marker |
| | resolution) | |
| Sweep point | 461, fixed | |
| Marker frequency counter | | |
| Resolution | 1 Hz, 10 Hz, 100 Hz, 1 kHz | Selectable |
| Accuracy | ± [(marker freq x freq reference uncertainty¹) + (c | counter resolution)] |
| Frequency span (FFT and swept mode) | | |
| Range | 0 Hz (zero span), 100 Hz to 3.0 GHz | |
| Resolution | 1 Hz | |
| Accuracy | ± span/(swept points -1) | |
| Sweep time and triggering | | |
| Span range | 10 ms to 1000 s | Span > 0 Hz |
| | 6 μs to 200 s | Span = 0 Hz (minimum resolution = 6 μs) |
| Mode | Continuous, single | |
| Trigger | Free run, video, external | |
| Trigger slope | Positive or negative edge | Selectable |
| Trigger delay | 0 to 80 sweep time | |
| Resolution bandwidth (RBW) | | |
| Range (-3 dB bandwidth) | 10 Hz to 1 MHz, in 1-3-10 sequence | |
| Accuracy | ± 5% nominal | |
| Resolution filter shape factor | < 5:1 nominal | |
| Range (–6 dB bandwidth) | 200 Hz, 9 kHz, 120 kHz, 1 MHz | EMI bandwidth (CISPR 16-1-1 complaint), requires Option EMF |
| Accuracy | ± 10% nominal | |
| Resolution filter shape factor | < 5:1 nominal | -60 dB/-6 dB bandwidth ratio |
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| Video bandwidth (VBW) | V 3.1 Homiliat | oo ab/ o ab banamaan raab |

^{1.} Frequency reference uncertainty = Aging rate x period since adjustment + supply voltage stability + temperature stability.

Amplitude Specifications

| | | Supplemental Information |
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| Amplitude range | | |
| Measurement range | 10 MHz to 3 GHz: Displayed average noise level | |
| | (DANL) to +30 dBm | |
| (PA OFF) | 1 to 10 MHz: DANL up to 23 dBm | |
| | 100 kHz to 1 MHz: DANL up to 20 dBm | |
| Input attenuator range | 0 to 70 dB, in 1 dB steps | |
| Maximum damage level | | |
| Average continuous power | ≤ +37 dBm | Input attenuator setting ≥ 10 dB, 3 minutes maximum |
| Peak pulse power | ≤ +50 dBm (100 W) | For < 10 µs pulse width, < 1% duty cycle, and input attenuation ≥ 40 dB |
| DC voltage | 50 VDC maximum | |
| Level display range | | |
| Log scale units | dBm, dBmV, dBμV, dBμA | |
| Linear scale units | μV, mV, V, μA, mA, A, μW, mW, W | |
| Marker level readout | 0.01 dB | Log scale |
| Resolution | 0.01% of reference level | Linear scale |
| Number of traces | 4 | |
| Detectors | Positive-peak, negative-peak, sample, normal, RMS | |
| Trace function | Clear/write, maximum hold, average, minimum hold, view | |
| Frequency response | | |
| 10 dB input attenuation, reference: 50 | MHz, 20 to -30 °C | |
| 200 kHz to 2.0 GHz | ± 0.5 dB | Preamp off |
| 2.0 to 3.0 GHz | ± 0.7 dB | Preamp off |
| 1 MHz to 2.0 GHz | ± 0.6 dB | Preamp on |
| 2.0 to 3.0 GHz | ± 0.8 dB | Preamp on |
| Input attenuation switching uncerta | inty at 50 MHz | · |
| Attenuation > 2 dB, preamp off | | |
| 0 to 60 dB attenuation | ± 0.4 dB | Relative to 10 dB (reference setting) |
| Absolute amplitude accuracy | | |
| | , VBW 1 kHz, amplitude scale log, span 100 kHz, sweep time cou | upled, peak detector, signal at reference level |
| Preamp off | ± 0.3 dB | Reference level —10 dB, input attenuation 10 d |
| Preamp on | ± 0.4 dB | Reference level -30 dB, input attenuation 10 |

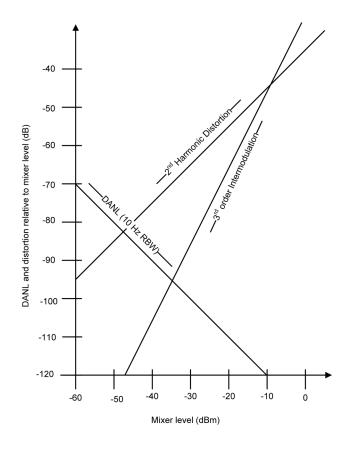
Amplitude Specifications (continued)

| | | Supplemental Information | |
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| Level measurement uncertainty | | | |
| $20 \text{ to } -30 ^{\circ}\text{C}$; frequency > 1 MHz; signal calibration; preamp off | input 0 to -50 dBm; reference level 0 to -50 dBm | ; input attenuation 20 dB; RBW 1 kHz, VBW 1 kHz; after | |
| Overall amplitude accuracy | ± 1.5 dB | | |
| | ± 0.5 dB, typical | | |
| Level display range | | | |
| Log scale units | dBm, dBmV, dBμV, dBμA | | |
| Linear scale and units | W, mW, μW, A, mA, μA, V, mV, μV | | |
| Marker level readout | 0.01 dB | | |
| Resolution | 0.01% of reference level | Log scale | |
| Number of traces | 4 | Linear scale | |
| Detectors | Positive-peak, negative-peak, sample, | Positive-peak, negative-peak, sample, normal, | |
| | RMS | | |
| Trace functions | Clear/write, maximum hold, average, m | ninimum | |
| | hold, view | | |
| Preamplifier | | | |
| Frequency range | 1 MHz to 3.0 GHz | | |
| Gain | 18 dB nominal | | |

Dynamic Range Specifications

| | | Supplemental Information |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 dB gain compression | | |
| Preamp off | 50 MHz to 3.0 GHz | > 0 dBm, typical; total power at input mixer |
| Preamp on | 50 MHz to 3.0 GHz | > -20 dBm, typical; total power at the preamp Total power at the preamp = total power at the input (dBm) - input attenuation (dB) |
| Displayed average noise level (DANL) | | |
| Input terminated, 0 dB RF attenuation, RB\ | W = 10 Hz, VBW = 1 Hz, sample detector | |
| Preamp off | 9 to 100 kHz | < -90 dBm, nominal |
| | 100 kHz to 1 MHz | < -90 dBm - 3 x (f/100 kHz) dB |
| | 1 to 10 MHz | < -124 dBm |
| | 10 MHz to 3 GHz | < -130 dBm + 3 x (f/1 GHz) dB |
| Preamp on | 100 kHz to 1 MHz | < -108 dBm - 3 x (f/100 kHz) dB |
| | 1 to 10 MHz | < -142 dBm |
| | 10 MHz to 3 GHz | < -148 dBm + 3 x (f/1 GHz) dB |
| Spurious response | | |
| Preamp off, signal input -30 dBm, 0 dB RF | attenuation | |
| Second harmonic distortion | 10 to 200 MHz | +30 dBm |
| | 200 to 500 MHz | +35 dBm |
| | 500 MHz to 3 GHz | +43 dBm |
| Preamp off, signal input -30 dBm, 0 dB RF | attenuation | |
| Third-order intermodulation (TOI) | 300 MHz to 3 GHz | +10 dBm; +13 dBm nominal |

Nominal Dynamic Range at 1 GHz



Dynamic Range Specifications (continued)

| | | Supplemental Information | |
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| Spurious response (continued) | | | |
| Input related spurious | < -60 dBc | -30 dBm signal at input mixer, 20 | 0 to 30 °C |
| Residual response (inherent) | < -83 dBc | Input terminated and 0 dB RF att | enuation, preamp off |
| Phase noise | | Specification | Typical |
| Offset from CW signal | 10 kHz | < -88 dBc/Hz | < -90 dBc/Hz |
| Fc = 1 GHz, RBW = 1 kHz, VBW = 10 Hz, | 100 kHz | < -100 dBc/Hz | < -102 dBc/Hz |
| and sample detector, log average, average | 1 MHz | < -110 dBc/Hz | < -112 dBc/Hz |
| times > 40 | | | |
| Residual FM | ≤ 100 Hz peak-to-peak in 100 ms | 1 kHz RBW, 1 kHz VBW | |

Tracking Generator Specifications (Option TG3 required)

| | | Supplemental Information |
|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Output frequency | | |
| Range | 100 kHz to 3 GHz | Settable to 9 kHz |
| Resolution | 1 Hz | |
| Output power level | | |
| Range | -30 to 0 dBm | |
| Resolution | 0.1 dB | |
| Absolute accuracy | ± 0.75 dB | 20 to 30 °C, at 50 MHz with coupled source attenuator, referenced |
| | | to -20 dBm |
| Output flatness | ± 3 dB | 100 kHz to 10 MHz |
| | ± 2 dB | 10 MHz to 3 GHz |
| VSWR | < 1.5:1 | 300 kHz to 3 GHz, input attenuator ≥ 12 dB |
| Connector and impedance | N-type female, 50 Ω | |
| Maximum safe reverse level | | |
| Average total power | 30 dBm (1 W) | |
| AC coupled | 0 VDC MAX | |

Modulation Analysis Specifications

| | | Supplemental Information |
|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Demodulation | | |
| Frequency range | 10 MHz to 3 GHz | |
| Carrier power accuracy | ± 2 dB | ± 1 dB typical |
| Input power | -30 to +20 dBm | Auto attenuation |
| Carrier power displayed resolution | 0.01 dBm | |
| AM measurement (included in Option Al | MA) | |
| Modulation rate | 20 Hz to 100 kHz | |
| Accuracy | 1 Hz, nominal | Modulation rate < 1 kHz |
| | < 0.1% modulation rate, nominal | Modulation rate ≥ 1 kHz |
| Depth | 5 to 95% | |
| Accuracy | ± 4% nominal | |
| FM measurement (included in Option All | MA) | |
| Modulation rate | 20 Hz to 200 kHz | |
| Accuracy | 1 Hz, nominal | Modulation rate < 1 kHz |
| | < 0.1% modulation rate, nominal | Modulation rate ≥ 1 kHz |
| Deviation | 20 Hz to 400 kHz | |
| Accuracy | ± 4% nominal | |
| ASK measurement (included in Option D | DMA) | |
| Symbol rate range | 200 Hz to 100 kHz | |
| Modulation depth/index range | 10 to 90% | |
| Accuracy | ± 4% of reading, nominal | |
| Displayed resolution | 0.1% | |
| FSK measurement (included in Option D | DMA) | |
| Symbol rate range | 1 to 100 kH | |
| FSK deviation range | 1 to 400 kHz | |
| Accuracy | ± 4% nominal | b ≥1 and b ≤ 4, b is the ratio of frequency |
| | | deviation to symbol rate |
| Displayed resolution | 0.01 Hz | |

Inputs and Outputs

| | | Supplemental Information |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Front panel | | |
| RF input connector | N-type female, 50Ω | |
| VSWR | < 1.5:1 | 300 kHz to 3 GHz, input attenuator ≥ 10 dB |
| Calibration output | Amplitude | $-10 \text{ dBm} \pm 0.3 \text{ dB}$ |
| | Frequency | 50 MHz |
| | Accuracy | Same as the frequency reference |
| | Connector and impedance | BNC-type female, 50 Ω |
| Probe power | Voltage/current | +15 V, 150 mA maximum |
| | | –12.6 V, 150 mA maximum |
| RF output connector | N-type female, 50 Ω | Option TG3 installed |
| USB interface (host) | A plug, version 1.1 | |
| Rear panel | | |
| 10 MHz reference output | Output amplitude | > 0 dBm |
| | Connector and impedance | BNC-type female, 50Ω |
| 10 MHz reference input | Input amplitude | -5 to +10 dBm |
| | Frequency lock range | ± 5 ppm of specified external reference input |
| | | frequency |
| | Connector and impedance | BNC-type female, 50Ω |
| External trigger input | Input amplitude | 5 V TTL level |
| | Connector and impedance | BNC-type female, 10 kΩ |
| VGA output | VGA analog RGB | 31.5 kHz horizontal, 60 Hz vertical sync rates, |
| · | | non-interlaced |
| | D-sub 15-pin female connector | VGA compatible |
| | 640 x 480 screen resolution | |
| LAN TCP/IP interface | 10Base, RJ-45 connector | |
| USB interface (device) | B plug, version 1.1 | |
| GPIB interface | IEEE-488 bus connector | Optional G01 installed |

General

| | | Supplemental Information |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Temperature range | | |
| Operating | +5 to +45 °C | |
| Storage | −20 to +70 °C | |
| EMC | | |

EMC

- Complies with European EMC Directive 2004/108/EC
- IEC/EN 61326-1 or IEC/EN 61326-2-1
- CISPR Pub 11 group 1, class A
- AS/NZS CISPR 11:2004
- ICES/NMB-001:2004

This ISM device complies with Canadian ICES-001

Safety

- Complies with European Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC
- IEC/EN 61010-1 2nd Edition
- Canada: CSA C22.2 No. 61010-1-04
- USA: UL 61010-1 2nd Edition

Audio noise

Acoustic noise emission

LpA < 70 dB

Operator position

Normal position

Per ISO 7779

Environmental stress

Samples of this product have been type tested in accordance with the Keysight Technologies, Inc. Environmental Test Maunal and verified to be robust against the environmental stresses of storage, transportation, and end-use; those stresses include, but are not limited to, temperature, humidity, shock, vibration, altitude, and power line conditions. Test methods are aligned with IEC 60068-2 and levels are similar to MILPRF-28800F Class 3

Power requirements

| Voltage and frequency (nominal) | 100 to 240 VAC, 50 to 60 Hz | Auto ranging | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--|
| Power consumption | < 65 W | | |
| Display | | | |
| Resolution | 640 x 480 | | |
| Size | 165.1 mm (6.5 in) diagonal (nominal) | | |
| Data storage | | | |
| Internal | 16 MB nominal | | |
| External | Supports USB 2.0 compatible memory device | S | |
| Weight (without options) | | | |
| Net | 8.4 kg (18 lbs) nominal | | |
| Shipping | 14.5 kg (32 lbs) nominal | | |
| Dimensions | | | |
| Height | 132.5 mm (5.2 in) | 3U rack height | |
| Width | 320 mm (12.6 in) | | |
| Length | 400 mm (15.7 in) | | |
| Warranty | | | |
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The N9320B spectrum analyzer is supplied with a three-year warranty

Calibration cycle

The recommended calibration cycle is one year. Calibration services are available through Keysight Service Centers

Related Literature

- Keysight N9320B RF Spectrum Analyzer, Brochure, literature number 5990-8118EN
- Keysight N9320B RF Spectrum Analyzer, Configuration Guide, literature number 5990-8120EN

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