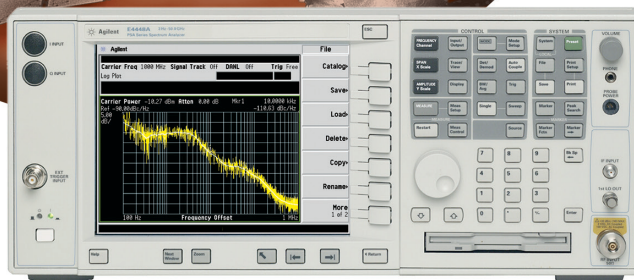


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Performance Exceeding Expectations

The brainpower and the will are already yours; the next step is selecting precisely the right tools to reach the market first.

The new Agilent **N9030A PXA** signal analyzer (currently available up to 26.5 GHz) is built on the heritage of the venerable PSA legacy with the latest technologies. Customers who seek performance and usability beyond the PSA may consider the PXA to maximize their signal insights. PSA owners who seek a migration solution should take advantage of the PXA's "Form/Fit/Function" compatibility with the PSA to mitigate migration risks.

The Agilent PSA Series offers high-performance spectrum analysis up to 50 GHz and beyond with powerful one-button measurements, a versatile feature set, and a leading-edge combination of flexibility, speed, accuracy, and dynamic range. From millimeter wave and phase noise measurements to spur searches and modulation analysis, the PSA Series offers unique and comprehensive high-performance solutions to R&D and manufacturing engineers in cellular and emerging wireless communications, aerospace, and defense.



Dynamic range

Fine-tune measurements with the industry's most usable dynamic range.



Accuracy

Design with confidence using industry's highest accuracy.



Flexibility

Take control of measurement setups through advanced flexibility.



Analysis bandwidth

Maximize your signal analysis capabilities with up to 80 MHz of analysis bandwidth built-in (14-bit digitizer resolution); and up to 300 MHz of analysis bandwidth by using an oscilloscope as a digitizer.

PSA Series frequency range summary

E4443A	3 Hz	6.7 GHz	
E4445A	3 Hz	13.2 GHz	
E4440A	3 Hz	26.5 GHz	External mixing to 325 GHz
E4447A	3 Hz	42.98 GHz	
E4446A	3 Hz	44 GHz	External mixing to 325 GHz
E4448A	3 Hz	50 GHz	External mixing to 325 GHz

Capability Beyond Limitation

Design efficiently and with confidence

To promote productivity in research and development, test and measurement tools must be flexible, thorough, and easy to use. Troubleshooting and design verification can be expedited and simplified with the PSA Series spectrum analyzers. With this one tool, it is easy to optimize setups for unique spectrum measurements, to customize advanced power measurements for modulated signals, and to dive down to the bit level using the digital demodulation personalities.

Having confidence in measurement results is essential to design verification. Understanding the importance of this, Agilent makes measurement integrity its highest priority. We provide guaranteed technical specifications to a set performance level on which you can depend.

Increase and maintain manufacturing throughput

From high-volume automated testing of cellular base stations to manually tuning oscillators, the PSA Series optimizes manufacturing throughput on many levels.

Increased throughput – Fast 1 ms sweeps, 30 ms ACP measurements, and 45/s update rates reduce automated test times. Manual tests are accelerated by one-button setups and fewer required button presses per measurement. The PSA Series shifts easily between measurement personalities, minimizing changeover time and accelerating troubleshooting.

Improved yields – Excellent specifications reduce measurement uncertainty to allow for narrower test margins and improved yields. Sophisticated algorithms constantly monitor analyzer conditions and determine when internal background alignment is required.

One analyzer, many solutions – Using only 177 mm (7 in) of rack space, the PSA Series is packed with features. Superior accuracy (± 0.19 dB typical) and linearity may eliminate the need for a power meter. Cellular communications measurement personalities give it digital demodulation capability. The phase noise personality transforms it to a phase noise tester. The external source control personality enables scalar stimulus/response measurements. The feature list is long and compatible with a broad selection of applications.

Saving measurement time becomes more critical to win competitive battles, whether you are in a manufacturing or R&D setting. By using the state-of-the-art processor and optimizing the instrument's structure, the **N9030A PXA** (currently available up to 26.5 GHz) significantly speeds up the measurements: Up to 12 times speed improvement over the PSA.



The PSA Series offers a wide variety of features for making more than just traditional spectrum analyzer measurements.

- Power Suite
- Measurement personalities
- Modulation analysis
- Modern connectivity

High-Performance Spectrum Analysis



Dynamic range

Great specifications are the starting point for great measurements. The PSA Series has the technology to offer unprecedented control over dynamic range, resolution, and speed.

2 dB step attenuator

160 RBW settings (10% steps)

Optional built-in preamplifier

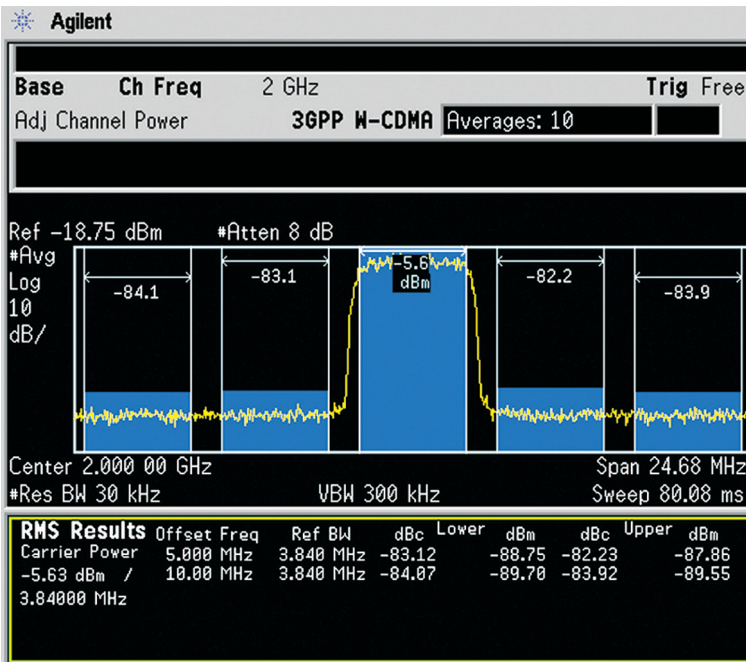
Noise correction for ACP measurements

- -166 dBm typical DANL with built-in preamplifier
- +19 dBm typical TOI
- -118 dBc/Hz typical phase noise at 10 kHz offset
- 81 dB typical W-CDMA ACPR dynamic range with noise correction

The **N9030A PXA** (currently available up to 26.5 GHz) meets or exceeds the PSA key specifications:

- down to -172 dBm typical DANL with NFE* and built-in preamplifier
- > +20 dBm typical TOI
- -128 dBc/Hz phase noise at 10 kHz offset
- 83 dBc typical W-CDMA ACPR dynamic range with noise correction

*NFE: Noise Floor Extension



The PSA Series has excellent dynamic range for a W-CDMA adjacent channel power (ACP) measurement

To learn more, read...

Optimizing Dynamic Range for Distortion Measurements
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High-Performance Spectrum Analysis (Continued)



Accuracy

The PSA Series achieves superior linearity and unsurpassed accuracy due to its advanced design and modern technology.

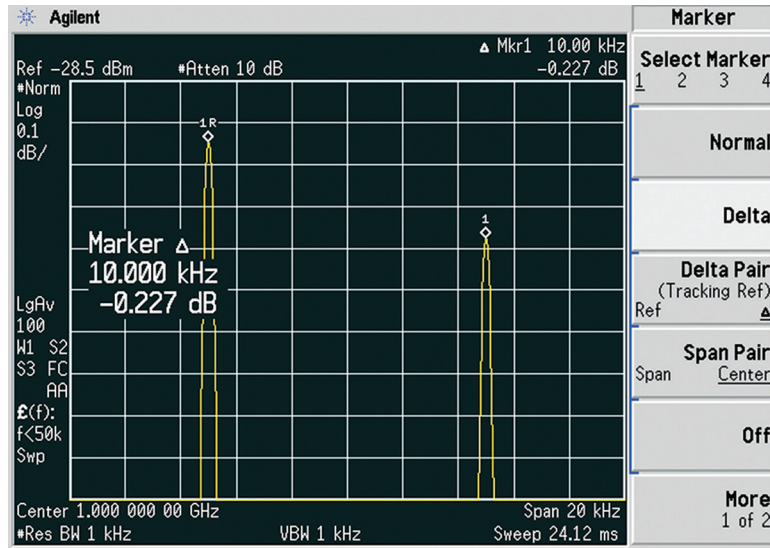
All-digital auto-ranging IF reduces or eliminates amplitude uncertainty

Auto alignment guarantees accuracy with temperature changes

Amplitude correction to compensate for gains and losses in your test setup

- ± 0.19 dB typical amplitude accuracy
- 0 dB reference level uncertainty
- 0 dB display switching uncertainty
- ± 0.05 dB RBW switching uncertainty
- ± 0.07 dB display linearity

The **N9030A PXA** inherits the superior PSA amplitude accuracy specifications.



This figure illustrates 0.1 dB/division display resolution, 0.01 dB reference level resolution, and 0.001 marker resolution with averaging

To learn more, read...

PSA Series Amplitude Accuracy
Product Note
5980-3080EN

High-Performance Spectrum Analysis (Continued)



Flexibility

From the novice to the most knowledgeable expert, the PSA makes it easy for anyone to obtain accurate, reliable results from their measurements.

Swept versus FFT

Perform swept-tuned measurements with digital RBW filters or fast Fourier transform (FFT) measurements with digital FFT filters. Use this flexibility to optimize for speed and sensitivity.

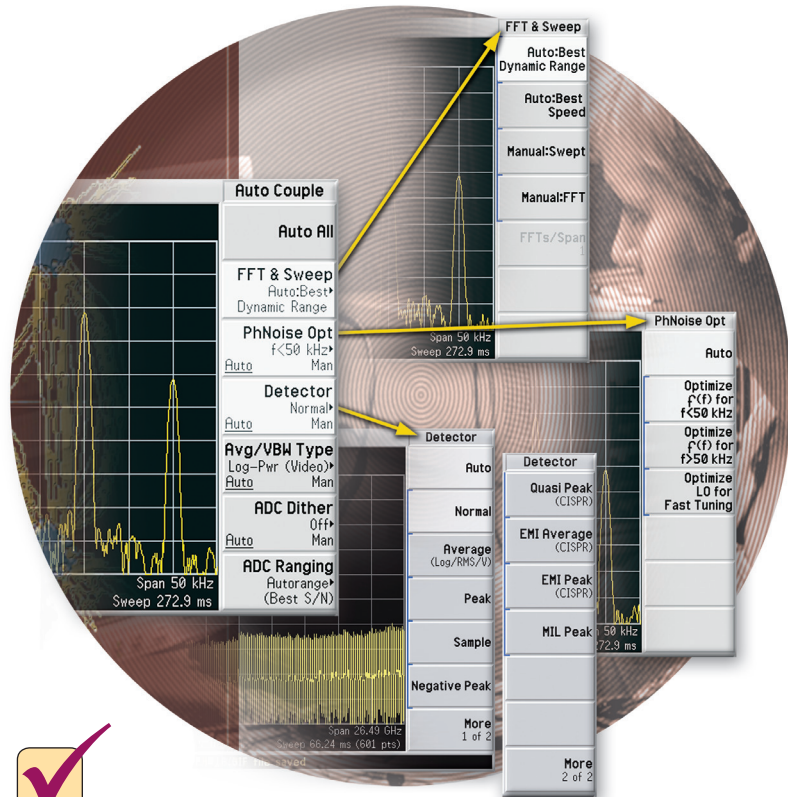
Phase noise optimization

The PSA Series' local oscillator (LO) phase lock loop configuration can be set to optimize phase noise close to a carrier within a 50 kHz offset, outside of a 50 kHz offset, or for tuning speed.

Digital detectors

Detector modes become important for accurately measuring different types of continuous wave, noise, and noise-like signals. The PSA Series offers this complete suite of detectors to assure correct measurement results.

- Normal
- Average (log, rms, voltage)
- Peak
- Sample
- Negative peak
- EMI detectors (quasi-peak, peak, average)



Analysis bandwidth

40/80 MHz bandwidth digitizer (Option 140/122)

Capture and measure complex vector time/frequency domain signals with up to 40 or 80 MHz of analysis bandwidth, up to 78 dB dynamic range, and excellent phase and amplitude flatness using Agilent's advanced interleave technology. Now available on 6.7 GHz, 13.2 GHz, 26.5 GHz, 44 GHz, and 50 GHz PSA Series, Option 140 or 122 helps you optimize the PSA configuration to best fit your signal analysis needs within your budget.

- Analyze carrier signal up to 50 GHz
- Third order intermodulation distortion -78 dBc (nominal)
- Capture depth of 512 Megabytes/128 Msamples
- 14 Bits of ADC resolution
- Random noise reduction using frame trigger
- Real time I/Q data conversion
- Flatness correction
- Broadband in-channel filtering using a wide range of filter

The **N9030A PXA** offers up to 140 MHz analysis bandwidth with 14 bits of ADC resolution (Option B1X) for carrier signals up to 26.5 GHz.

High-Performance Spectrum Analysis (Continued)



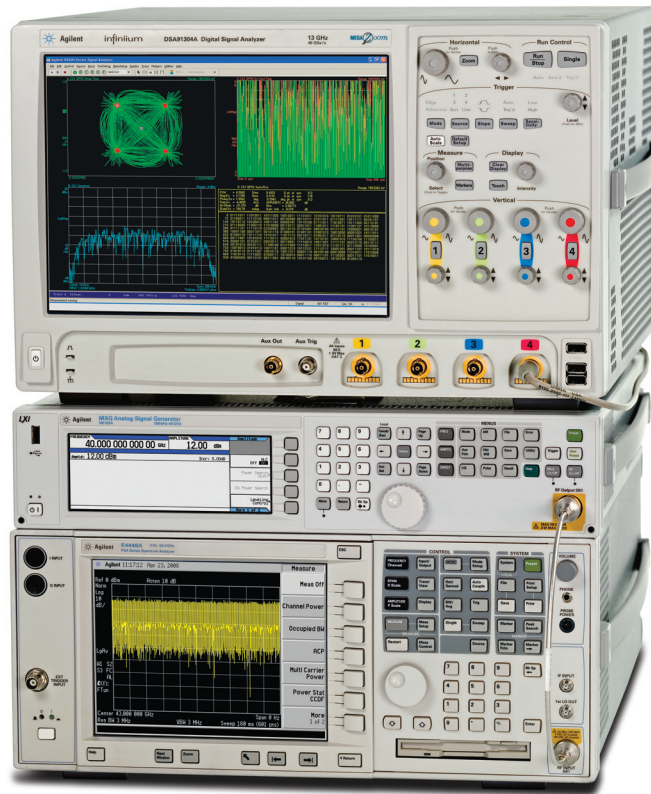
Expanded bandwidth

VSA solution with 300 MHz analysis bandwidth for signals up to 50 GHz

The Agilent PSA Series spectrum analyzer equipped with the 80 MHz wideband IF option (Option 122) has set the standard for bandwidth and measurement accuracy. However, many digital communications, radar, and EW systems produce complex waveforms requiring even greater analysis bandwidth. As analysis bandwidth increases, it becomes more and more difficult to ensure good linear phase performance and flat amplitude response over the measurement channel.

Agilent has eliminated this barrier by providing a new measurement capability in the 89601A vector signal analysis (VSA) software. This new capability allows engineers and technicians to use an Agilent Infiniium Series Oscilloscope to digitize the 321.4 MHz IF output of the PSA spectrum analyzer and achieve an analysis bandwidth of 300 MHz over the frequency range of 3 GHz through 50 GHz. Maximum system performance is guaranteed through a built-in system calibration routine that uses an Agilent ESG, PSG, or MXG signal generator as a calibration source. Calibration is

controlled through the VSA software, providing the user with a familiar control, measurement, and calibration interface for the system. The calibration routine ensures flat amplitude and phase response over the 300 MHz analysis band, which results in minimum residual EVM for digital communications measurements and accurate signal characterization for modern pulsed radar waveforms.



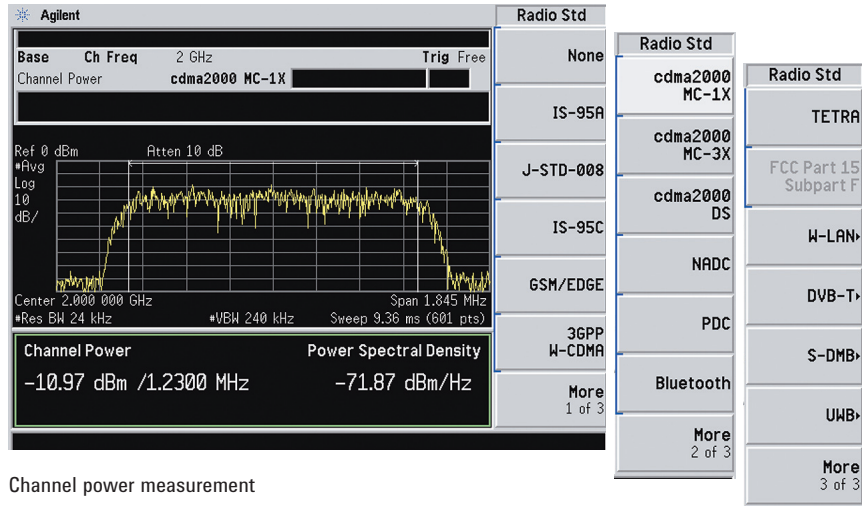
The Power to Realize

Making broadband signal measurements simple and intuitive requires unique spectrum analyzer measurement capability. The PSA Series offers a comprehensive suite of flexible, one-button RF and microwave power measurements, with wireless format-based setups for 2G/3G, W-LAN, *Bluetooth*[™], UWB, and S-DMB standards. PowerSuite is a standard tool set included in every PSA Series spectrum analyzer.

PowerSuite measurements

- channel power
- occupied bandwidth
- adjacent channel power (with multiple offsets)
- multicarrier power/ 12-carrier ACP
- power statistics (CCDF)
- harmonic distortion
- burst power
- third order intercept (TOI)
- spurious emissions
- spectrum emission mask

The PowerSuite is also offered standard in the **N9030A PXA** with improved user interface and faster implementation.



Channel power measurement

EMI Measurements

Perform EMI precompliance measurements using the PSA's built-in CISPR and MIL standards compliant EMI detectors and bandwidths. Avoid costly redesign by measuring the radiated and conducted emissions of your design early in the development process.

To learn more, read...

PSA Series Swept and FFT Analysis Product Note 5980-3081EN

The Power to Realize (Continued)

Amplitude corrections

The Corrections menu, a standard feature in the PSA, allows you to enter and select a set of correction factors for antennas or other system components that you wish to account for in the measurements. These frequency and amplitude corrections will be applied to the displayed data to correct for system losses or gains outside the analyzer. Four different sets of correction data can be stored.

Limit lines

Customizable limit lines for pass/fail testing are standard with every PSA Series spectrum analyzer.

Gated sweep

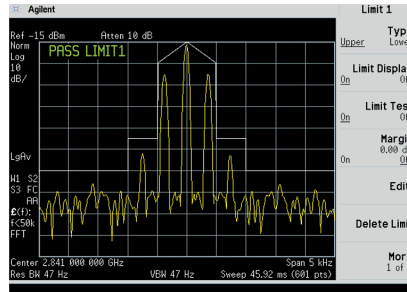
Use the standard, built-in gated sweep capability to analyze time varying signals, such as burst RF or TDMA, without interference from switching the carrier on and off.

Internal RF/ μ W preamplifier (Option 110)

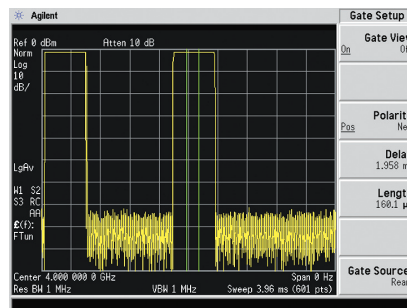
This internal preamplifier operates from 10 MHz to 50 GHz, or the upper frequency limit of the PSA used. Its high gain and low noise figure allows for measurements of extremely low-level signals and is calibrated and characterized.

PSA-based EMI measurement receiver

Add the N9039A RF preselector to the E444xA Series PSA Option 239 to give you a fully CISPR compliant EMI measurement receiver. Use the N5181A MXG signal generator for preselector alignments. The recommended user alignment cycle is 14-days.



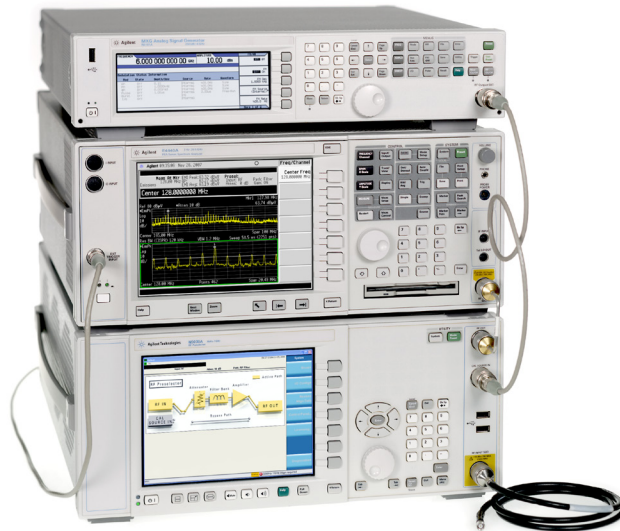
Customize limit lines for pass/fail testing



Gated sweep measurement

To learn more, read...

EMI Measurement Receiver Product Overview 5989-6807EN



PSA-based EMI measurement receiver

Standard features of the **N9030A PXA** also include amplitude correction (Ampcor), limit lines (LL) and gated sweep. The PXA's Ampcor and LL are backward compatible with the PSA and have improved usability. The N9030A PXA provides an optional internal RF/ μ W preamplifier covering 100 kHz up to the maximum frequency of the analyzer.

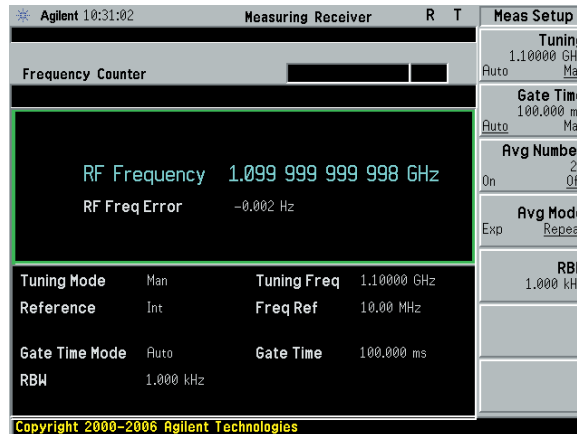
Measurement Personalities

There are 16 measurement personalities available for the PSA Series. Conveniently built-in to the analyzer, these optional application-specific measurement personalities provide advanced capabilities with one-button measurement simplicity.

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Measuring Receiver Personality (Option 233)

Available on all PSA models, the built-in measuring receiver personality converts the PSA Series high-performance spectrum analyzer into the heart of the flexible and compact N5531S measuring receiver system. The N5531S is comprised of a PSA, a P-Series power meter, and a sensor module with single-input connection up to 50 GHz. PSA Option 107 (audio input), along with Option 233 (built-in measuring receiver personality), enables audio analysis capabilities. It sets a new standard for signal generator and attenuator calibration to meet the most stringent metrology and calibration demands. AM/FM/PM carrier triggering, and a CCITT filter for audio or modulation analysis are offered standard with the measuring receiver (Firmware rev. >A.11.08). Recent enhancements include a tracking feature for the tuned RF level (TRFL) measurement, which enables accurate power measurements for drifting signal sources.



PSA measuring receiver personality

WLAN (Option 217)

This measurement personality analyzes the RF and modulation characteristics of IEEE-standard Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN) signals, including 802.11b/a/g. Additionally, signals with slightly different modulation parameters, such as 802.11j and 802.11a-turbo mode, can be analyzed.

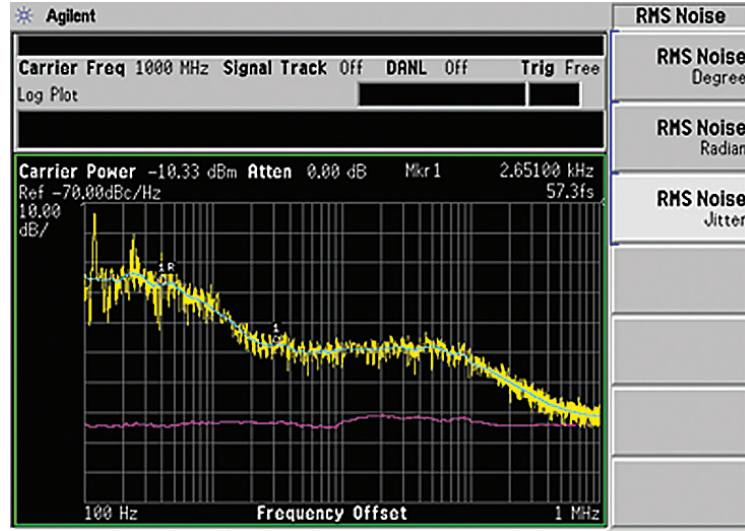
Measurement Personalities (Continued)

Phase noise (Option 226)

This flexible tool quickly and easily generates plots of phase noise in dBc/Hz versus log offset frequency, measures jitter, or makes continuous spot frequency phase noise measurements.

Noise figure (Option 219)

Make noise figure measurements from 200 kHz to 26.5 GHz, or 10 MHz to 50 GHz (with a specified performance up to 3 GHz). Other measurements include gain, Y-factor, $T_{\text{effective}}$, P_{hot} , P_{cold} and a built-in uncertainty calculator to qualify the measurement system.

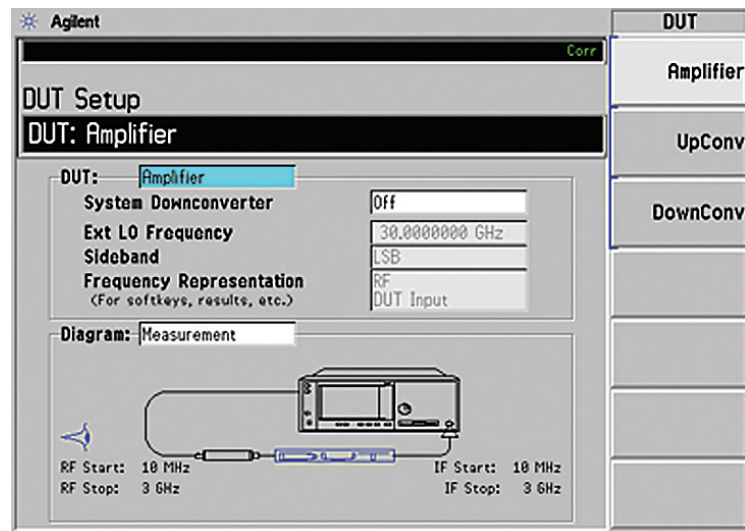


Log plot of phase noise measurement

Updated

External source control (Option 215)

Empower the PSA Series high-performance spectrum analyzers with scalar network analysis capability up to 50 GHz. With Option 215, all the PSA Series models can control Agilent PSG, ESG, or MXG (N5181A/N5182A) signal generators, providing a variety of sweep modes to optimize the stimulus/response measurements required for component characterization. Support to the Agilent MXG offers significant speed and cost advantages to customers.



DUT setup menu for noise figure measurements

The N9068A phase noise measurement application and the N9069A noise figure measurement application are available for the **N9030A PXA**. Take advantage of superior phase noise performance of the PXA to achieve even better accuracy in phase noise measurements.

Flexible digital modulation analysis (Option 241)

Analyze and measure digital modulation quality and troubleshoot a wide variety of digitally modulated signals with this built-in flexible tool. Provide not only the EVM results, but also numerous traces with the EQ filter function.

Cellular communications

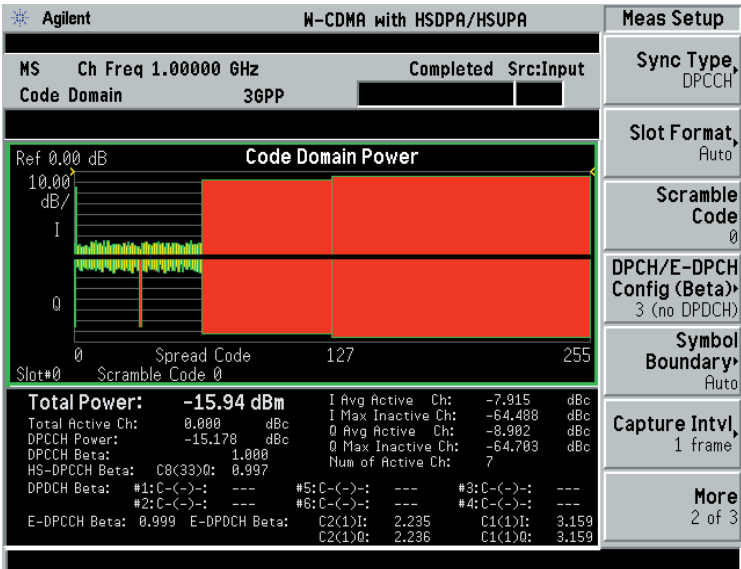
The PSA Series offers powerful, format-based power measurements and modulation analysis for several popular cellular formats.

- **W-CDMA** (Option BAF) for uplink and downlink
- **HSDPA and HSUPA** (Option 210) as an enhancement to the W-CDMA option
- **1xEV-DO** (Option 204) for forward and reverse links including 3GPP2 Rev-A support

Updated

TD-SCDMA (Option 211/212/213)

PSA TD-SCDMA personalities perform measurements on TD-SCDMA signals, including new capabilities for high-speed downlink and uplink packet access—HSDPA/HSUPA and 8PSK modulation analysis. View modulation results, such as composite EVM and code domain power, as well as RF power metrics. The measurements have clear pass/fail indicators to verify standard conformance.



W-CDMA/HSDPA/HSUPA modulation analysis

- **GSM with EDGE** (Option 202) for including EDGE EVM, P_{vT}, P_{FER}, and ORFS
- **cdma2000®** (Option B78) for forward and reverse links
- **1xEV-DV** (Option 214) as an enhancement to the cdma2000 option
- **cdmaOne** (Option BAC)
- **NADC/PDC** (Option BAE)

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Measurement Personality Technical Overviews, a complete list is available on page 22

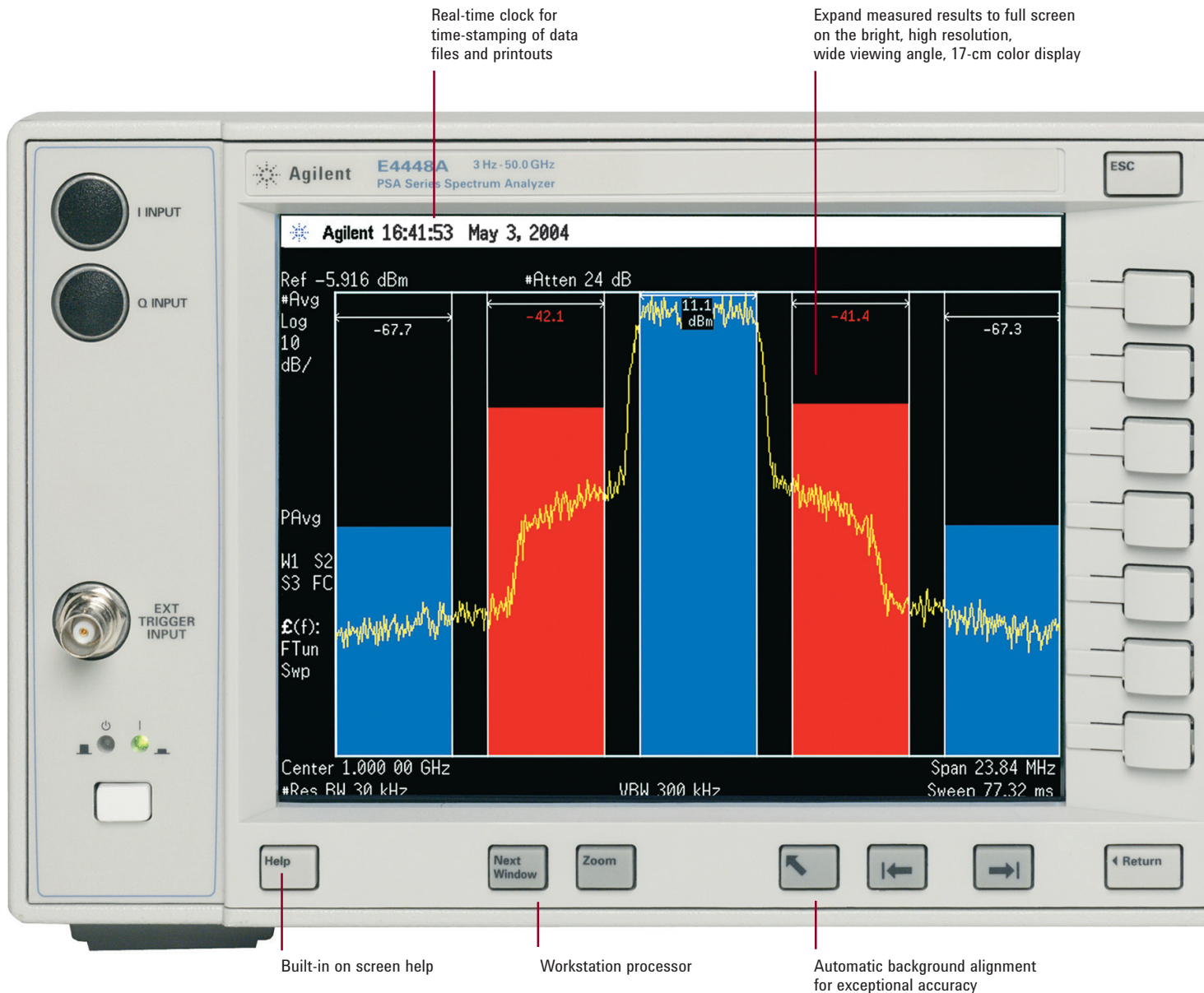
The 89601X VXA vector signal analysis application, built-in to the **N9030A PXA**, provides flexible digital modulation analysis tool, while using the instrument's front panel buttons

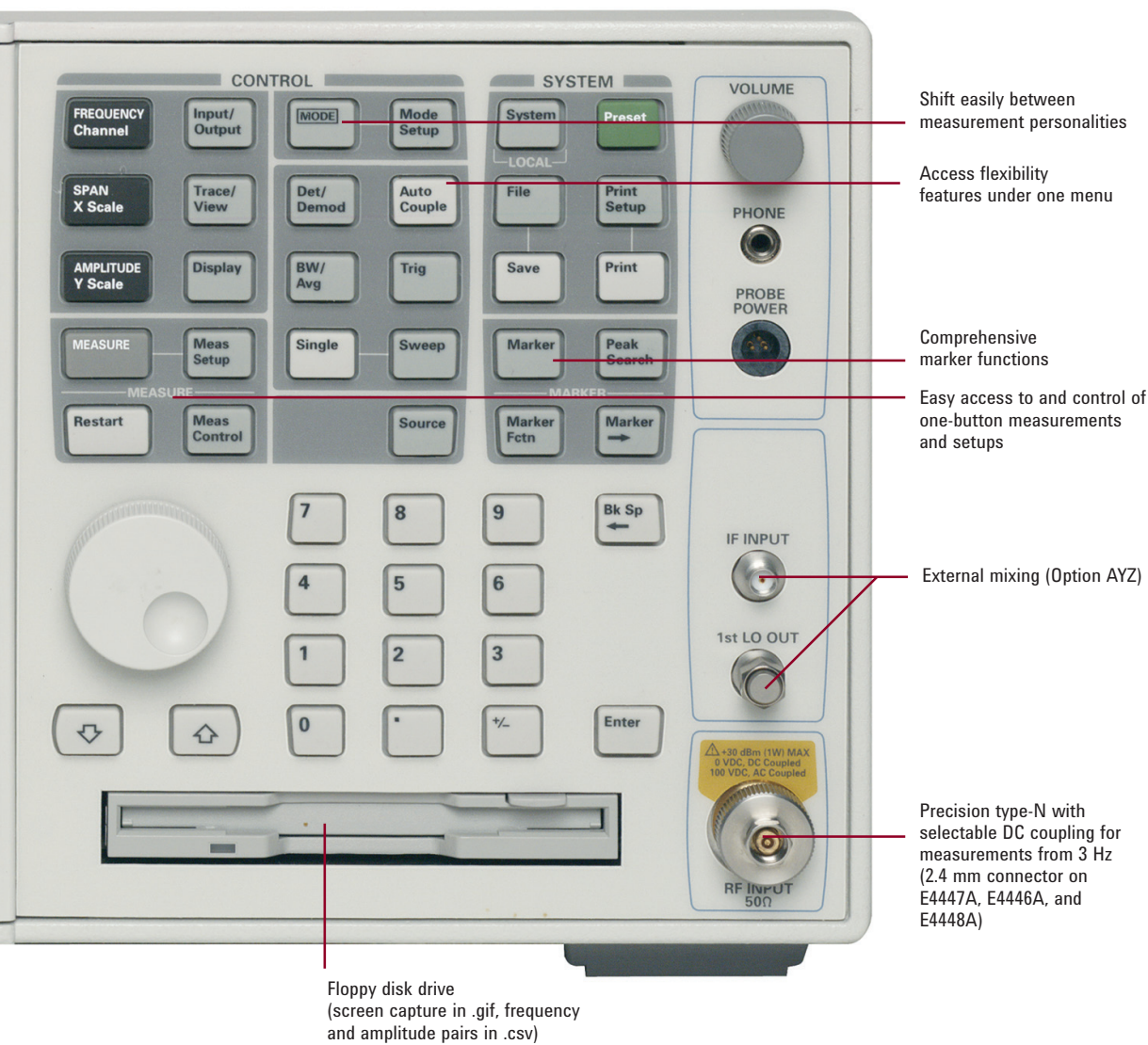
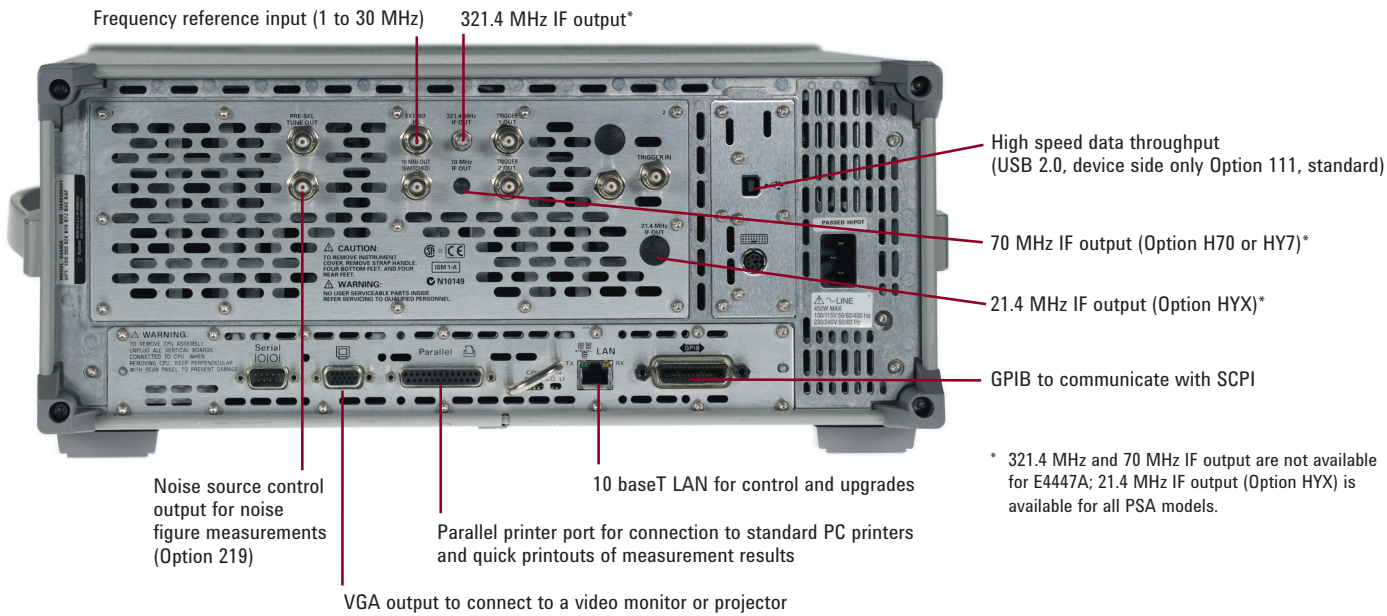
Truly User Friendly

The PSA Series has a simple and intuitive user interface. The display is large and bright with effective use of colors. Front panel hard keys perform frequently used functions and provide access to menus. Soft keys on the display are organized for quick and easy navigation. One-button setups are provided for many measurements.

Built-in, on-screen help makes it very easy to look up information for front panel soft keys and hard keys, including their equivalent remote SCPI commands. Help is available for the base instrument and Power Suite operations, as well as phase noise, noise figure, and TD-SCDMA measurement personalities.

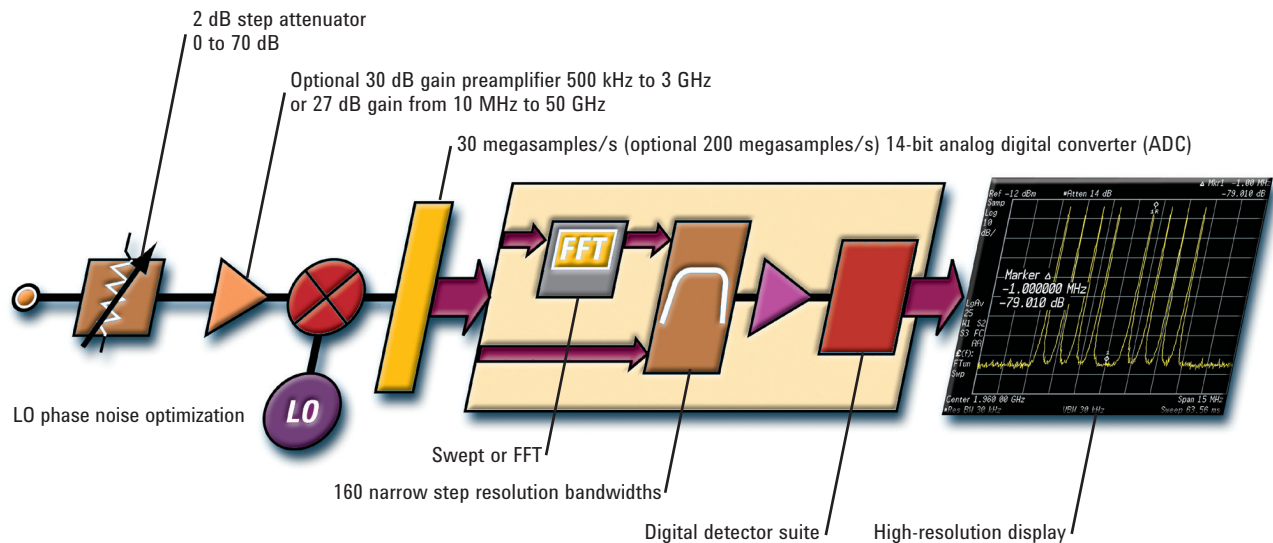
Trace operations allow users to do post-measurement processing among displayed traces, including trace exchange, copying, addition, subtraction, mean, and trace normalization.





A Spectrum Analyzer with a Digital Brain

Agilent PSA Series block diagram



All-digital auto-ranging IF

The PSA Series has an all-digital IF section with auto-ranging capability. After the input signal is downconverted, it is immediately digitized, and all processing is performed digitally. This architecture offers:

- Variable RBW filters in 10% steps
- Exact and predictable resolution bandwidths
- Zero uncertainty in reference level and display scale switching
- Improved filter shape factor
- Faster sweep speeds
- Increased display resolution
- FFT capability
- Multiple detector modes

With auto-ranging, the analyzer adjusts the input signal in real time during the sweep so that the full range of the digitizer is utilized. Thus, at every point in the sweep, the signal is being measured with the full resolution and dynamic range of the ADC.

- Signals are measured accurately everywhere on the display
- Accuracy and linearity do not degrade when measuring small signals in the presence of large signals
- The dynamic range of the instrument is not limited by the dynamic range of the digitizer

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Measurement Innovations and Benefits
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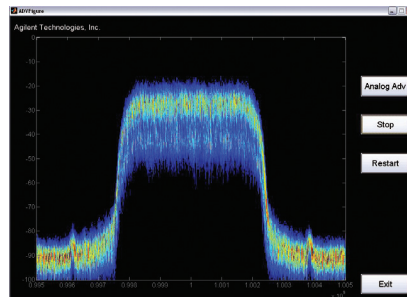
Modern Connectivity

Connect

The PSA Series has a built-in capability to network with PCs, printers, and software programs. Standard connectivity features include:

- **IVI-C/IVI-COM** drivers for Agilent VEE
- **IntuiLink** software for easy transfer of measurement results into Microsoft® Excel and Word
- **Floppy disk drive**
- **GPIB and 10 baseT LAN** for automated control and remote operation
- **82357B USB/GPIB interface** for direct connection from the USB port on your PC to the PSA
- **SCPI** programmability
- **High-speed data throughput** with device-side USB 2.0 interface (Option 111, device-side only); now shipped standard
- **Code compatibility measurement personality suite** (Option 266) for easily upgrading your 8566A/B, 8568A/B, or 8560 and 8590 Series spectrum analyzers to the PSA Series
- **Y-axis video output** (Option 124) provides performance similar to the 8566A/B, 8568A/B spectrum analyzer
- **Parallel port** for printing

- **BenchLink web remote** (Option 230) used to control analyzer functions, record and evaluate data, and view signals in real time, remotely anywhere in the world over the Web



Example application developed in MATLAB software to visualize a W-CDMA signal

- **MATLAB driver support** MATLAB, the well known software environment and programming language, enables you to configure, control, and acquire data from Agilent PSA Series spectrum analyzers; once data is in MATLAB, you can analyze and visualize it using interactive tools and command-line functions for data analysis tasks such as signal processing, statistical analysis, digital filtering, curve fitting, and nonlinear optimization; order MATLAB software directly from Agilent at www.agilent.com/find/N6171A

The **N9030A PXA** offers even more powerful connectivity. When used in a system, the **PXA** can be remotely controlled through GPIB, LAN/LXI, USB 2.0, or Windows desktop connectivity. With open Windows XP Pro and GPIB controller capacity, the PXA can even replace your current PC in the system rack. In addition, the USB port adds versatility by providing both device-side and master functionality.

The **N9061A** remote language compatibility application is included in every **PXA**, allowing seamless migration from the HP 8566/68 and HP/Agilent 856xE/EC legacy spectrum analyzers to the **PXA**.

The **PXA Option N9030A-YAV** is the equivalent to Option 124 in the PSA, offering Y-axis video output to emulate the 8566/68 features.

Agilent's IO Libraries Suite ships with the PSA Series to help you quickly establish an error-free connection between your PC and instruments – regardless of the vendor. It provides robust instrument control and works with the software development environment you choose.

Connecting to the Industry's Leading VSA Software

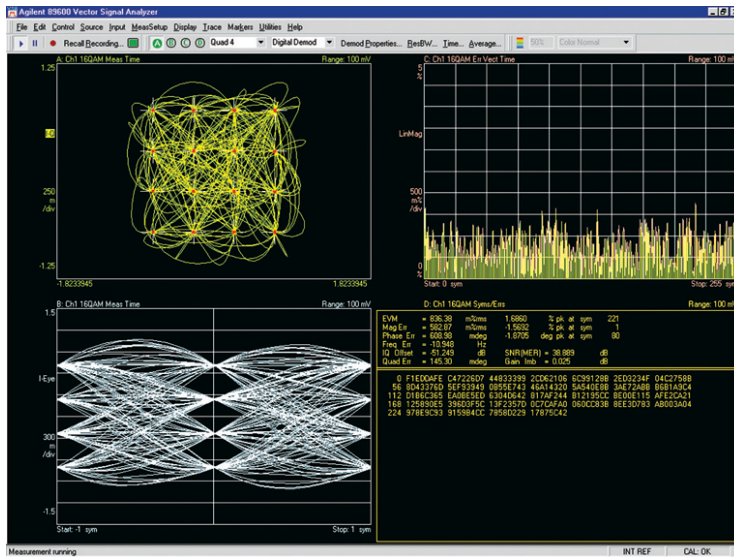
Advanced modulation analysis with Agilent 89600 Series vector signal analysis software

For engineers working with today's emerging broadband communication systems, the PC-based Agilent 89600 Series vector signal analysis (VSA) software and the PSA together provide an indispensable tool for basic research and product development.

Evaluate modulated signals, digital and analog, with 40 or 80 MHz of analysis bandwidth and up to 78 dB of dynamic range (with Option 140 or 122). The 89600 Series vector signal analysis software teams advanced demodulation algorithms with highly flexible scalar and vector analysis tools to help you develop, troubleshoot and verify the physical layer performance of your radio system. Choose from options to analyze general purpose and standards-based modulation formats such as 3G, LTE, HSPA+, WiMAX, WLAN, RFID, and more.

See www.agilent.com/find/89600 for more information.

Agilent's 89600 Series vector signal analysis software resides in the **N9030A PXA** instrument, which has Windows-based operating system, eliminating the requirement of an external PC to run the software, providing the industry's most flexible digital modulation analysis.



Agilent 89600 Series vector signal analysis software

Confidence Brings Reward

PSA series specifications

Every PSA Series spectrum analyzer is thoroughly tested and guaranteed to meet the specifications given in the PSA Spectrum Analyzers Specifications Guide and other product literature. With reliable performance, error budgets for measurement uncertainty can be reduced resulting in increased yields, improved device specification settings, and reduction in test setup costs.

Typical performance

Because 80% of PSA Series analyzers typically perform significantly better than the guaranteed specifications, we supply a “typical” value for the more commonly used specifications. Use this typical data when comparing products, or when the application pushes the limit on a given specification.

Performance verification and instrument calibration

All functions and specifications of each PSA are fully calibrated and certified in the Agilent factory. The recommended calibration cycle for the PSA is two years, and Agilent calibration services are available worldwide to support this product. Furthermore, Agilent can provide ANSI Z540 or ISO 17025 conformant and accredited calibrations upon request, which provide detailed data reports and certifications.



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ISO 17025 and Accredited
Calibrations Brochure
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Key Specifications

For more specification details, refer to the PSA Series Data Sheet, 5980-1284E

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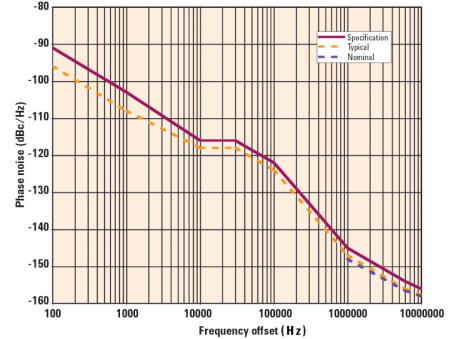
Frequency range 3 Hz to 6.7/13.2/26.5/42.98/44/50 GHz (to 325 GHz with external mixing)

Speed	Sweep time, span \geq 10 Hz	1 ms to 2000 s
	Sweep time span = 0 Hz	1 μ s to 6000 s
	Fast ACP measurement time	\leq 30 ms (0.2 dB standard deviation)
	Local measurement update rate	\geq 50 measurements/s
	Remote measurement update rate	\geq 45 measurements/s
Resolution	Resolution bandwidth range, swept and FFT	1 Hz to 3 MHz (10% steps), 4, 5, 6, 8 MHz
	Variable sweep (trace) point range	101 to 8192
	Phase noise at 1 GHz	
	10 kHz offset	-116 dBc/Hz (-118 dBc/Hz, typical)
	1 MHz offset	-145 dBc/Hz (-148 dBc/Hz, nominal)
10 MHz offset	-155 dBc/Hz (-157 dBc/Hz, nominal)	

Dynamic range	Displayed average noise level (DANL)	
	10 MHz to 3 GHz	-152 dBm (-153 dBm typical)
	3 GHz to 20 GHz	-147 dBm (-149 dBm typical)
	20 GHz to 26.5 GHz	-143 dBm (-145 dBm typical)
	26.5 GHz to 44 GHz	-129 dBm (-132 dBm typical)
	44 GHz to 50 GHz	-127 dBm (-130 dBm typical)
	Preamplifier (DANL), Option 1DS	
	100 kHz to 10 MHz	-158 dBm (-162 dBm typical)
	10 MHz to 3 GHz	-165 dBm (-166 dBm typical)
	Preamplifier (DANL), Option 110	
	10 MHz to 3 GHz	-153 dBm (-154 dBm typical)
	3 MHz to 26.5 GHz	-159 dBm (-161 dBm typical)
	26.5 MHz to 50 GHz	-136 dBm (-145 dBm typical)
	1 dB gain compression, 200 MHz to 3 GHz	+3 dBm (+7 dBm nominal)
	Input attenuator range	0 to 70 dB in 2 dB steps
TOI, 1.7 GHz to 3.0 GHz	+17 dBm (+19 dBm typical)	
ACPR, W-CDMA (5 MHz offset)	Dynamic range	-74.5 dB typical
	With noise correction	-81 dB typical

Accuracy	Absolute amplitude accuracy	$\pm(0.24 \text{ dB} + \text{frequency response})$ [$\pm(0.06 \text{ dB} + \text{frequency response})$ typical]
	Frequency response, 3 Hz to 3 GHz	$\pm 0.38 \text{ dB}$ ($\pm 0.11 \text{ dB}$ typical)
	Frequency accuracy (1 GHz)	$\pm 100 \text{ Hz}$
	ACPR, W-CDMA accuracy (5 MHz offset)	
	Mobile station	$\pm 0.12 \text{ dB}$
Base station	$\pm 0.22 \text{ dB}$	

Analysis bandwidth¹	With Option 140 (E4443A/45A/40A/46A/48A)	40 MHz
	With Option 122 (E4443A/45A/40A/46A/48A)	80 MHz
	With Option B7J (Option E444xA-B7J)	10 MHz
	321.4 MHz IF output ² :	
	-1 dB bandwidth	20 to 30 MHz nominal
	With Option 123:	200 MHz nominal
-3 dB bandwidth	30 to 60 MHz nominal	



PSA Series phase noise performance plot (1 GHz center frequency)

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Data Sheet
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1. Analysis bandwidth is the instantaneous bandwidth available around a center frequency over which the input signal can be digitized for further analysis or processing in the time, frequency, or modulation domain.
2. 321.4 MHz IF output is not available on E4447A; 21.4 MHz IF output with 10 MHz nominal bandwidth is available as option HXY for all PSA models.

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PSA Series Ordering Information

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PSA Series spectrum analyzer

E4443A 3 Hz to 6.7 GHz
 E4445A 3 Hz to 13.2 GHz
 E4440A 3 Hz to 26.5 GHz
 E4447A 3 Hz to 42.98 GHz
 E4446A 3 Hz to 44 GHz
 E4448A 3 Hz to 50 GHz

Options

To add options to a product, use the following ordering scheme:
 Model E444xA (x = 0, 3, 5, 6, 7 or 8)
 Example options E4440A-B7J, E4448A-1DS

Warranty & Service

Standard warranty is three years.
 R-51B-001-5C Warranty Assurance Plan, Return to Agilent, 5 years

Calibration¹

Included Calibration Assurance Plan, Return to Agilent, 3 years, standard
 R-50C-011-5 Calibration Assurance Plan, Return to Agilent, 5 years
 R-50C-016-3 Agilent Calibration + Uncertainties + Guardbanding, 3 years
 R-50C-016-5 Agilent Calibration + Uncertainties + Guardbanding, 5 years
 AMG Agilent Calibration + Uncertainties + Guardbanding (accredited cal)
 A6J ANSI Z540-1-1994 Calibration
 R-50C-021-3 ANSI Z540-1-1994 Calibration, 3 years
 R-50C-021-5 ANSI Z540-1-1994 Calibration, 5 years
 E444xA-0BW Service manual
 UK6 Commercial calibration certificate with data To be ordered with PSA
 R-52A Calibration software and licensing (ordered with PSA)
 N7810A PSA Series calibration application software (stand-alone order)

Measurement Personalities

E444xA-226 Phase noise
 E444xA-219 Noise figure Requires Option IDS or 110 to meet specifications
 E444xA-241 Flexible digital modulation analysis
 E444xA-BAF W-CDMA Requires B7J
 E444xA-210 HSDPA/HSUPA (for W-CDMA) Requires B7J and BAF
 E444xA-202 GSM w/ EDGE Requires B7J
 E444xA-B78 cdma2000 Requires B7J
 E444xA-214 1xEV-DV Requires B7J and B78
 E444xA-204 1xEV-DO Requires B7J
 E444xA-BAC cdmaOne Requires B7J
 E444xA-BAE NADC, PCD Requires B7J
 E444xA-217 WLAN Requires 122 or 140
 E444xA-211 TD-SCDMA power measurement
 E444xA-212 TD-SCDMA modulation Requires B7J
 E444xA-213 HSPA for TD-SCDMA Requires Option 212
 E444xA-215 External source control
 E444xA-266 Programming code compatibility suite
 E444xA-233 Built-in measuring receiver personality
 E444xA-239 N9039A RF preselector control

Hardware

E444xA-1DS RF internal preamplifier (100 kHz to 3 GHz) Excludes 110
 E444xA-110 RF/μW internal preamplifier (10 MHz to upper frequency limit of the PSA) Excludes 1DS
 E444xA-B7J Digital demodulation hardware
 E444xA-122 80 MHz bandwidth digitizer E4440A/43A/45A/46A/48A, excludes 140, 107, H70
 E444xA-140 40 MHz bandwidth digitizer E4440A/43A/45A/46A/48A, excludes 122, 107, H70
 E444xA-123 Switchable MW preselector bypass Excludes AYZ
 E444xA-124 Y-axis video output
 E444xA-AYZ External mixing E4440A/47A/46A/48A only, excludes 123
 E444xA-107 Audio input 100 kΩ Requires 233 to operate; excludes 122, 140
 E444xA-111 USB device side I/O interface Now shipped standard
 E444xA-115 512 MB user memory Excludes 117, Shipped standard in all PSA instruments with serial number prefix ≥ MY4615 unless 117 is installed
 E4440A-BAB Replaces type-N input connector with APC 3.5 connector
 E444xA-H70 70 MHz IF output Excludes 122, 140. Not available for E4447A
 E444xA-HYX 21.4 MHz IF output Available for all PSA models

PC Software

E444xA-230 BenchLink Web Remote Control Software
 E444xA-235 Wide BW digitizer external calibration wizard Requires 122 or 140
 E4443A/45A/40A/46A/48A

Accessories

E444xA-1CM Rack mount kit
 E444xA-1CN Front handle kit
 E444xA-1CP Rack mount with handles
 E444xA-1CR Rack slide kit
 E444xA-015 6 GHz return loss measurement accessory kit
 E444xA-045 Millimeter wave accessory kit
 E444xA-0B1 Extra manual set including CD ROM

1. Options not available in all countries

Product Literature

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PSA Series	Configuration Guide	5989-2773EN
Self-Guided Demonstration for Spectrum Analysis	Product Note	5988-0735EN
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N9030A PXA Data Sheet	Data Sheet	5990-3952EN
N9030A PXA Configuration Guide	Configuration Guide	5990-3953EN
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Using Extended Calibration Software for Wide Bandwidth Measurements, PSA Option 122 & 89600 VSA	Application Note 1443	5988-7814EN
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