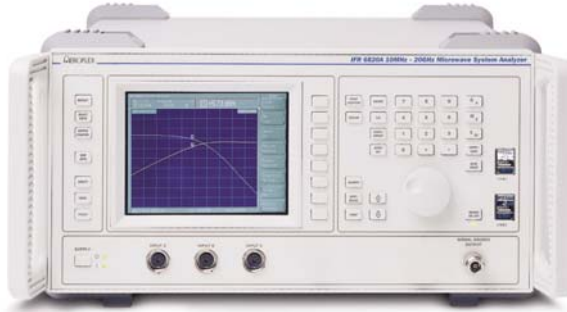


# Microwave

## 6820A Series RF & Microwave Scalar Analyzer



6820A Series Microwave Scalar Analyzers for fast and accurate testing in field and factory

- Precision scalar network measurements
- 3 GHz, 8.4 GHz, 20 GHz, 24 GHz, 40 GHz and 46 GHz frequency versions
- Low noise synthesized signal source with optional step attenuator
- Internal modulation options - pulse modulator and/or FM and pulse generator
- Real time transmission line fault location with 0.1% accuracy
- EEPROM corrected scalar detectors for accurate measurements
- Applications interface allows guided and automatic testing
- Modular design for rapid service

### Five Frequency Versions

The 6820 series of scalar analyzers covers the most commonly required frequency bands in 5 versions. A comprehensive range of accessories is available to support each of these units.

#### 6820A series Scalar Analyzers

6821A	1 MHz to 3 GHz Scalar Analyzer
6822A	10 MHz to 8.4 GHz Scalar Analyzer
6823A	10 MHz to 20 GHz Scalar Analyzer
6824A	10 MHz to 24 GHz Scalar Analyzer
6825A	10 MHz to 46 GHz Scalar Analyzer
6825AR	10 MHz to 40 GHz Scalar Analyzer

### Synthesized Source

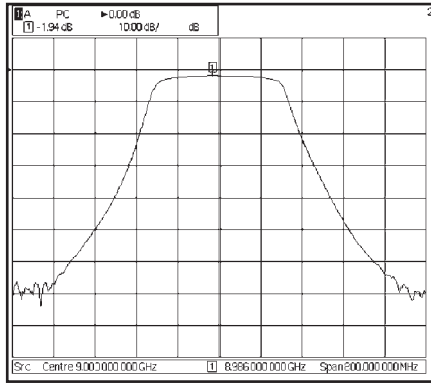
The synthesized source has low phase noise and 1 Hz frequency resolution. VCOs are used for frequencies above 3 GHz and an integrated RF synthesizer for the 1 MHz to 3 GHz range. Optionally increased output power is available from 3 to 24 GHz. Internal filtering results in excellent harmonic performance of <-50 dBc (70 MHz to 24 GHz) for improved scalar measurement accuracy. Optional step attenuators are available to set low output powers for amplifier or receiver testing.

In CW mode the source can be used for local oscillator substitution. A power sweep is provided for amplifier gain compression testing. External FM can be applied by connecting an AF generator to the rear panel. The internal modulation option provides frequency modulation of the source or pulse patterns for internal or external pulse modulators. The internal pulse modulator option allows either an external pulse generator to be connected via a rear panel BNC connector or utilizes the pulse patterns available from the internal modulation option. The pulse patterns may be configured and selected in either single pulse or multi-pulse formats.

When used with the scalar analyzer the source provides a swept synthesized output for frequency characterization of components and systems.

### Scalar Analyzer

The three input scalar analyzer provides network characterization of components and systems. Simultaneous measurement of insertion and return loss are displayed on the 6820 color screen. Excellent measurement accuracy is assured by the use of EEPROM corrected detectors.



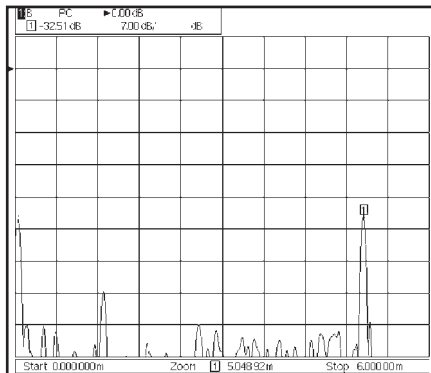
*Bandpass filter insertion loss measurement*

Each detector is individually characterized for linearity and frequency response to provide a measurement accuracy close to that achieved with a power sensor. A range of autotesters with high directivity is available for return loss measurements.

### Fault Location

Fault location software is standard on all 6820A series instruments. Many modern communication systems rely on a coaxial or waveguide feed between the transmitter and antenna. The fast fault location facility of the 6820A can quickly locate the position of faults causing poor return loss in the feed, which can seriously impact system performance.

Measurement resolution and accuracy is assured by the use of a synthesized source with up to 1601 measurement points.



*Fault location measurement of a coaxial feed and antenna*

### Simplified User Interface

Integration of the source and scalar analyzer, and the built-in applications facility, makes operations faster and simpler. The operator uses a single interface to set up any measurement. This saves time and is easier than writing software to perform comprehensive network measurements.

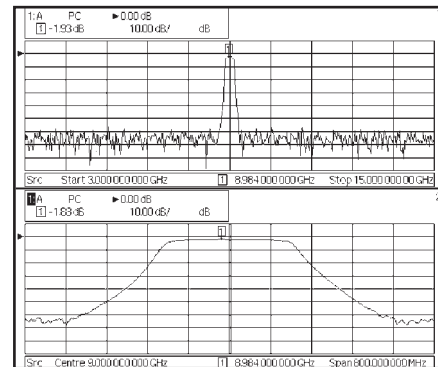
Eight softkeys give rapid access to all commonly used parameters. Softkeys are shaped to inform the user of the action that the key will perform, e.g. enter data, select from list, move to another menu or immediate action. All commonly accessed functions are no more than one level deep, so that the instrument operation is easily learned.

### Applications Interface

An applications interface is built into the 6820A series which allows the user to create their own measurement routines and guide the operator through the test procedure. For example it can display on the 6820A screen how to set up the measurement, lead the operator through a calibration, show where to connect the device under test and then test the device's performance against predefined limits. The applications facility can reduce the incidence of operator error, improve measurement repeatability, provide guidance to infrequent users or simplify complex test procedures.

### Color Display

A large TFT color display is fitted to the 6820A displaying up to four measurements on two channels. Scalar measurements can be displayed simultaneously on independent channels.



*Dual channel display, showing wide band and narrow band frequency sweeps*

### Comprehensive Markers

Up to eight markers are available. The marker menus provide the tools that are most commonly used in each of the measurement modes.

In scalar mode markers automatically calculate peak to peak ripple, N-dB bandwidth, -1 dB bandwidth and find maximum and minimum signal levels. This simplifies device characterization and reduces test time.

For fault location measurements the next peak left/right feature identifies the position and magnitude of each of the discontinuities along the transmission line. The peak find softkey quickly locates the biggest discontinuity on the line.

### Fast Field Repair

6820A has a modular architecture with modules slotted onto a common mother board. In the event of a module failure the instrument can be repaired by module replacement to reduce instrument downtime. Following a repair, software routines realign the replaced module.

## Manufacturing Test

To the production manager the 6820A offers reduced programming time, reduced test time and simplified archiving of results. 6820A is fully compliant with the IEEE 488.2 GPIB standard. A full 401 data points can be transferred over the GPIB in typically <50 ms. Individual data points can be repetitively read in typically 10 ms. This enables full results archiving with minimal time penalty.

Continuity of test is essential in a production environment. A failed test system can result in expensive loss of output. 6820A with its field replaceable modules minimizes any output loss due to test system failure.

## Installing and Maintaining Systems

During the installation period of a microwave system it is always necessary to revalidate key parameters. 6820A provides a comprehensive solution for installation teams. It is housed in a ruggedized case, has secure handles and can be supplied with a protective carrying case.

For systems with long waveguide or coaxial feeds the 6820 is used by the installation team to measure return loss and if necessary fault location. The synthesized source with 1601 measurement points ensures precise fault location measurements. AC Detection can be used for return loss and fault location measurements in the presence of interfering signals, a common cause of poor measurement performance in the field. In this mode the source output is chopped and the resulting pulsed signal is demodulated and processed in such a way that interference and zero drift are effectively cancelled.

By archiving results to external USB Flash Memory, or the internal instrument memory, the 6820A forms the basis of a preventative maintenance system. Experience shows that degradation in the antenna feed is the major source of system field failures. 6820A has the accuracy to monitor and identify gradual system degradation with time.

Additionally, the synthesized microwave source may be used in conjunction with the optional step attenuators, to carry out system sensitivity tests. The internal pulse modulator and modulation options with both single pulse and multi-pulse capability offers the ability to perform tangential sensitivity and range tests for many different types of radar systems

## Results Logging and Outputting

Measurement results can either be saved to internal non-volatile memory or to USB Flash Memory. Traces saved via USB can then be archived or imported into a spreadsheet for viewing.

## SPECIFICATION

### SOURCE

#### Functionality

Synthesized CW  
Synthesized sweeper for use with scalar analyzer  
CW Power sweep

External FM Modulation

Internal FM + Pulse driver (Option 23)

Internal Pulse Modulator (Option 25)

#### Frequency Range

6821A 1 MHz to 3 GHz  
6822A 10 MHz to 8.4 GHz  
6823A 10 MHz to 20 GHz  
6824A 10 MHz to 24 GHz  
6825A 10 MHz to 46 GHz  
6825AR 10 MHz to 40 GHz

#### Resolution (Settable)

1 Hz to 46 GHz

#### CW Accuracy

(Frequency Standard error x Frequency)  $\pm$  10 Hz

#### Swept Accuracy (Typical)

300  $\mu$ s Step Time  
1 MHz to 3 GHz <20 kHz  
3 GHz to 46 GHz <200 kHz

1 ms Step Time  
1 MHz to 3 GHz <1 kHz  
3 GHz to 46 GHz <10 kHz

10 ms Step Time  
1 MHz to 3 GHz <100 Hz  
3 GHz to 46 GHz <1 kHz

#### Levelled Power Range

6821A/2/3/4 standard  
1 MHz to 3 GHz -10 dBm to +10 dBm  
3 GHz to 24 GHz -10 dBm to +5 dBm

6825A & 6825AR  
10 MHz to 8 GHz -10 dBm to +8 dBm +10 dBm typ  
8 GHz to 20 GHz -10 dBm to +5 dBm +7 dBm typ  
20 GHz to 24 GHz -10 dBm to +4 dBm +6 dBm typ  
24 GHz to 40 GHz -10 dBm to 0 dBm +3 dBm typ  
40 GHz to 46 GHz -10 dBm to 0 dBm typ\*  
\* Excluding the effect of connector moding

6822A/3/4 + option 030 (higher power)  
1 MHz to 24 GHz -10 dBm to +10 dBm

6821A + option 010 (110 dB Step Attenuator)  
1 MHz to 3 GHz -120 dBm to +8 dBm

6822A/3 + option 011 (70 dB Step Attenuator)  
10 MHz to 3 GHz -80 dBm to +8 dBm  
3 GHz to 20 GHz -80 dBm to +2 dBm  
+ option 030 (higher power)  
3 GHz to 20 GHz -80 dBm to +7 dBm

6822A/3/4 + option 012 (90 dB Step Attenuator)  
10 MHz to 3 GHz -100 dBm to +8 dBm  
3 GHz to 24 GHz -100 dBm to +2 dBm  
+ option 030 (higher power)  
3 GHz to 24 GHz -100 dBm to +7 dBm

6825A & 6825AR + Option 013 (70 dB Step Attenuator)

10 MHz to 8 GHz	-80 dBm to +6 dBm	+8 dBm typ
8 GHz to 20 GHz	-80 dBm to +2 dBm	+4 dBm typ
20 GHz to 24 GHz	-80 dBm to +1 dBm	+3 dBm typ
24 GHz to 40 GHz	-80 dBm to -3 dBm	0 dBm typ

Note: 1. For option 002 (Field Replaceable connectors) guaranteed levelled output is reduced by 0.5 dB

2. For option 025, (internal pulse modulator) the guaranteed levelled output is reduced as the option specification.

#### Settable Power Resolution

0.01 dB

#### Power Sweep Range (from Maximum Levelled Power) Without Attenuator

>20 dB (except when option 025, internal pulse modulation is fitted)

#### Internal Levelling Accuracy at 0 dBm (no options fitted, option 030)

1 MHz to 3 GHz,  $\pm 0.7$  dB  
3 GHz to 24 GHz,  $\pm 1.0$  dB  
24 GHz to 40 GHz,  $\pm 1.5$  dB

#### Levelled Power Accuracy With Options 010, 012, 013

1 MHz to 3 GHz  
 $\pm 1$  dB ( $\pm 0.3$  dB or 2% of attenuator setting dB whichever is greater)  
3 GHz to 24 GHz  
 $\pm 1$  dB ( $\pm 1$  dB or 4% of attenuator setting in dB whichever is greater)  
24 GHz to 40 GHz  
 $\pm 1.5$  dB ( $\pm 1.0$  dB or 4% of attenuator setting in dB whichever is greater)

#### Linearity (No Options Fitted, Option 030) Over Levelled Power Range Relative to 0 dBm

1 MHz to 40 GHz  $\pm 0.5$  dB

#### Power Stability With Temperature (Typical)

1 MHz to 40 GHz  $< 0.1$  dB/°C

#### Harmonics and Sub-Harmonics Over Levelled Power Range Harmonics

<70 MHz,  $< -25$  dBc  
70 MHz to 3 GHz,  $< -55$  dBc  
3GHz to 24GHz  $< -50$  dBc  
24 GHz to 40 GHz,  $< -20$  dBc

#### Sub-Harmonics

10 MHz to 3 GHz  $< -60$  dBc  
3 GHz to 24 GHz None  
24 GHz to 40 GHz  $< -40$  dBc

#### Spurious Signals (Typical)

For carrier frequencies <375 MHz  
Offset:  
30 kHz to 150 kHz,  $< -50$  dBc  
>150kHz  $< -55$  dBc

For carrier frequencies >375 MHz  
Offset:  
30 kHz to 150 kHz,  $< -50$  dBc  
>150kHz  $< -60$  dBc

#### Phase Noise <dBc/Hz in CW mode

CW Freq	Frequency offset		
	1 kHz	10 kHz	100kHz
0.25 GHz	-86	-95	-108
0.5 GHz	-98	-112	-134
1 GHz	-92	-106	-128
2 GHz	-86	-100	-122

4 GHz	-80	-92	-100
10 GHz	-72	-84	-90
20 GHz	-66	-78	-82
24 GHz	-64	-76	-80
40 GHz	-63	-75	-79

#### Source Match (Typical)

1 MHz to 3 GHz,  $< -15$  dB

3 GHz to 20 GHz,  $< -10$  dB

20 GHz to 40 GHz,  $< -8$  dB

#### Output Connector

6821A/2/3; Precision N Type, female

6824A: Precision 3.5 mm, female

6825A: Precision 2.92 mm female

or optional field replaceable connectors

#### Modulation

##### External Frequency Modulation

Peak deviation (1 V peak input)

10 MHz - 375 MHz	1 kHz to 5 MHz
375 MHz - 750 MHz	250 Hz to 1.25 MHz
750 MHz - 1.5 GHz	500 Hz to 2.5 MHz
1.5 GHz - 3 GHz	1 kHz to 5 MHz
3 GHz - 46 GHz	20 kHz to 1 MHz

Accuracy (1 kHz modulating frequency) 20-400 kHz deviation

$\pm 3$  % of indication  $\pm 1$  Hz excluding residual FM

-3 dB bandwidth, AC coupled mode

10 MHz - 3 GHz  $< 100$  Hz to  $> 1$  MHz typical

3 GHz - 46 GHz  $< 100$  Hz to  $> 500$  kHz typical

-3 dB bandwidth, DC coupled mode

10 MHz - 3 GHz DC to  $> 1$  MHz typical

3 GHz - 46 GHz DC to  $> 500$  kHz typical

#### Option 023 Internal Modulation Generator

##### FM Source

Modulation signal sinewave, 0.1 Hz to 500 kHz, resolution 0.1 Hz  
Other specifications as for External Frequency Modulation except:

Accuracy (1 kHz modulating frequency) 20-400 kHz deviation  $\pm 5$  % of indication  $\pm 1$  Hz excluding residual FM

#### Pulse Generator Source

<b>Modes</b>	Single Pulse, Pulse Pattern
<b>Pulse Pattern</b>	Pulse patterns comprising up to 256 pulse width/ PRI pairs can be set up, stored and recalled
<b>Trigger Modes</b>	External, Internal continuous
<b>Pulse Widths (PW)</b>	120 ns to $> 1$ second
<b>Resolution</b>	120 ns
<b>Pulse Period (PRI)</b>	240ns to 7 seconds (PRF $< 1$ Hz to 4.16 MHz)
<b>Resolution</b>	120 ns
<b>Pulse Delay</b>	Zero to 100 ms where zero is $< 120$ ns referred to trigger or sync pulse falling edge
<b>Resolution</b>	120 ns
<b>Sync Output</b>	120 ns pulse referred to trigger. Available at trigger socket
<b>Inputs/Outputs</b>	
Trigger in/out	Rear panel BNC connector provides

either trigger input or sync output dependent upon trigger mode. TTL level

Level is TTL, High = On, Low = Off.

When pulse mod Off is selected the output is the selected CW output level

#### Options 025a & 025b Internal Pulse Modulator

##### Option 25a (6822A and 6823A)

**Frequency Range** 50 MHz to 18 GHz (8.4 GHz for 6822A)  
Usable to 20GHz

**RF Output Range** The levelled power range is reduced by:  
<3.5 dB up to 6 GHz  
<4.5 dB up to 14 GHz  
<5.0 dB up to 18 GHz  
when pulse modulation is selected

**RF Level Accuracy** Adds  $\pm 0.3$  dB to the levelled power accuracy specification when pulse modulation is enabled and for powers of < -1 dBm

##### Source Harmonics (with Pulse Modulation enabled)

50 MHz - 2 GHz <-35 dBc  
2 GHz - 20 GHz <-50 dBc

##### On/Off Ratio

50 MHz - 1 GHz >55 dB  
1 GHz - 9 GHz >60 dB  
9 GHz - 17 GHz >70 dB  
17 GHz - 18 GHz >80 dB  
18GHz - 20GHz >80 dB (typical)

**Rise/Fall Times** (measured at 10% and 90%)

Rise Time <8 ns (Typically < 5 ns)

Fall Time <12 ns (Typically < 9 ns)

##### Option 25b (6824A, 6825A and 6825AR)

**Frequency Range** 50 MHz to 40 GHz (24 GHz for 6824A)  
(46 GHz for 6825A)

**RF Output Range** The levelled power range is reduced by:  
<5 dB up to 20 GHz  
<8 dB up to 30 GHz  
<9 dB up to 40 GHz  
when pulse modulation is selected

**RF Level Accuracy** Adds  $\pm 0.3$  dB to the levelled power accuracy specification when pulse modulation is enabled and for output powers of <-3 dBm

##### Source Harmonics (with Pulse Modulation enabled)

50 MHz - 375 MHz <-35 dBc  
375 MHz - 24 GHz <-50 dBc  
24 GHz - 40 GHz <-20 dBc

##### On/Off Ratio

50 MHz - 10 GHz >60 dB  
10 GHz - 26.5 GHz >60 dB (typically > 70 dB)  
26.5 GHz - 40 GHz >60 dB (typically > 80 dB)

**Rise/Fall Times** (measured at 10% and 90% of edge)

Rise Time <7 ns (Typically < 6 ns)

Fall Time <11 ns (Typically < 10 ns)

#### Pulse Modulation Control

##### Modes

Pulse, Pulse CW

External (via rear panel BNC connector)

Internal (if Opt 23 fitted)

#### Control

Control of pulse modulation is:

Internal via soft key menu when the modulation generator option (Opt 023) is fitted or

External via the rear panel BNC Mod in/out socket.

**Pulse CW** In both internal or external modes, allows setting of output Level in the 'On' condition for reference or calibration.

## SCALAR ANALYZER

### SYSTEM FEATURES

#### Frequency Range

As per source frequency range

#### Number of Inputs

3 detector inputs

#### Number of Measurement Points

User selectable from 2 to 1601

#### Applications

Return loss vs frequency  
Insertion loss vs frequency  
Fault Location  
Voltage vs frequency

#### Detection Modes

AC and DC

#### Noise Reduction

Averaging, 1 to 1000  
Smoothing, 0.01 to 20%

#### Power Measurements

Using scalar detectors

#### Detector Correction

Frequency response and linearity read from EEPROM for 6230A/L and fault locators.  
Support for 6230 and autotesters.

### INSERTION LOSS MEASUREMENTS

#### Measurement Dynamic Range, AC Scalar Detection, with 623XA Detector

Max source output to -60 dBm  
Max source output to -65 dBm (with averaging)

Typical values:

>65 dB (10 MHz to 40 GHz)  
>75 dB (1 MHz to 3 GHz) only with 6232A

#### Measurement Update Rate

401 points in 270 ms with DC detection

#### Calibration

Through path calibration or short and short/open calibrations for single ended insertion loss

#### Inputs

Single input or ratio

#### Accuracy

Linearity + mismatch

#### Linearity (applies after normalization)

#### Linearity (for Power Levels >-50 dBm)

$\pm 0.2$  dB / 10 dB but not >0.5 dB in total



## RETURN LOSS MEASUREMENTS

### Measurement Update Rate

401 points in 270 ms with DC detection

### Calibration

Short, Open, Short/Open

### Inputs

Single input or ratio

### Accuracy

Linearity + directivity + test port mismatch

### Linearity (for Power Levels >-45 dBm)

$\pm 0.2$  dB / 10 dB but not > 0.5 dB in total

## FAULT LOCATION MEASUREMENTS

### Measurement Range

Up to 25 km depending on cable or waveguide loss

### Units

Feet or meters

### Number of Measurement Points

User selectable from 50 to 1601

### Minimum Resolution

For two equal amplitude discontinuities using maximum sweep width

6821A:  $12.18 \times V_r$  cm

6822A:  $4.32 \times V_r$  cm

6823A:  $1.82 \times V_r$  cm

6824A:  $1.51 \times V_r$  cm

6825A:  $0.91 \times V_r$  cm

where  $V_r$  is the relative velocity factor for the transmission line

### Measurement Update Rate

512 points in 250 ms, DC detection

### Dynamic Range

DC detection 70 dB

AC detection 80 dB

### Distance Accuracy

3 mm or 0.1% of range for a single fault

### Transmission Line Database

Data supplied as standard

### Required Accessory

624X series fault locator or 658X series transmission line test head or accessory power divider (see optional accessories)

## FREQUENCY STANDARD

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### Internal 10 MHz OCXO

#### Drift

$\pm 5$  in  $10^8$  over 0 to 55°C

#### Ageing

$\pm 2$  in  $10^7$  per year (OCXO)

### External Frequency Standard

1 MHz or 10 MHz, Connector: BNC

## REAR PANEL CONNECTORS

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### RS-232

9 way D-type connector, male

Baud rate 300 to 9600

### GPIO Interface

GPIO is IEEE 488.1 and 488.2 compatible. The interface has 2 functions.

-Instrument control with full Talk/Listen capability

-Control of plotter using HPGL. Plotter is buffered to permit measurements to proceed whilst plotting.

### Frequency Standard In/Out BNC

1 MHz or 10 MHz input or 10 MHz output selectable from front panel

### Mod In/Out BNC

Mod in/out

Rear panel BNC connector, TTL level. Impedance approx 100  $\Omega$

### Printer Outputs

USB (Front Panel) or 25 way D-type connector Parallel Interface

### External Monitor

Standard VGA, 640 by 480 color output

15 way high density D-type female connector

### Voltage Output

Auxiliary 9-pin connector

Settable for 0 to 10 V ramp, fixed voltage or chart recorder drive

### External Levelling Input

Input voltage range: 0 to +1 V

Connector: BNC

## GENERAL FEATURES

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### Number of Display Channels

2

### Number of Measurements

4 (2 per display channel)

### Number of Measurement Points

2 to 1601 for one trace, scalar

### Display

Color active matrix TFT liquid crystal display with 16.5 cm (6.5 in) visible diagonal

### Data Storage

USB Flash Memory

### MARKERS

8 per trace plus separate delta marker

### Marker Functions

Marker, delta marker, minimum, maximum, search left, search right, N-dB bandwidth (with center frequency), marker tracking.

### Scalar Analyzer

Active marker Max / Min

Max / Min Tracking

Find PK-PK

PK-PK Tracking

Search Right / Left

Bandwidth / Optional CF / DF (Q)  
dB / Octave, dB / Decade Readout  
Delta Marker On / Off  
-1 dB gain compression

#### **Fault Location**

Find Max / Track Max  
Next PK Right / Left  
Set PK Level  
Delta marker On / Off

#### **General**

Marker Table  
Assign Active MKR / Position Active MKR  
Set-up Markers (i.e. On / Off, Position)  
Large Readout  
All Off

#### **Marker Resolution**

Frequency: 6 digits or 1 Hz, user selectable  
Power: 0.01 dB  
Voltage: 1 nV

#### **Measurement Manipulation**

Display live measurement.  
Display trace memory.  
Display live measurement relative to trace memory.  
Measurement hold may be applied for each trace.  
Any input or ratio of inputs may be assigned to any one or more than one trace(s). A trace may display absolute power, power relative to a path calibration or power minus a trace memory.

#### **Input Offsets**

An offset in the range -99.99 dB to +99.99 dB in 0.01 dB steps may be applied per detector input.

#### **Weight - Variant and Option Dependent**

16 kg (35 lbs)

#### **Size (Not including front handles)**

230 mm H x 430 mm W x 570 mm D  
9 in H x 17 in W x 22 in D

#### **Power Supply**

100-240 V~ (Limit 90-264 V~)  
50-60 Hz (Limit 45-66 Hz)  
  
108-118 V~ (Limit 90-132 V~)  
50-400Hz (Limit 45-440 Hz)  
  
200 W maximum

#### **Rated Range of Use**

Temperature 0 to 50°C  
6825A and 6825AR only +5°C to 45°C only  
Humidity Up to 93% RH at 40°C

#### **Conditions of Storage and Transportation**

Temperature -40 to +71°C  
Humidity Up to 93% RH at 40°C  
Altitude Up to 4570 m (15000 ft)

#### **ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY**

Conforms to the protection requirements of EEC Council directive 2004/108/EC.

Conforms to the limits specified in the following standards:

IEC/EN61326-1 : 2006

RF Emission Class A, Immunity table 3.

The radiated RF emission from this equipment is below Class A (reference CISPR 11). Class A equipment is intended for use in industrial environments. There may be potential difficulties in ensuring electromagnetic compatibility in other environments due to radiated disturbances.

When using a 6230L detector, the noise floor may increase if exposed to a conducted RF disturbance level of >1.5V.

#### **SAFETY**

Conforms with the requirements of EC Council Directive 2006/95/EC (as amended) and the product safety standard IEC/EN 61010-1 : 2001 + C1 : 2002 + C2 : 2003 for class 1 portable equipment, for use in a Pollution Degree 2 environment. The instrument is designed to operate from an Installation Category 2 supply.

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## VERSIONS AND OPTIONS

When ordering please quote the full ordering number information.

### Ordering

#### Numbers Versions

##### 6820A Scalar Analyzers

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6825AR	10 MHz to 40 GHz Scalar Analyzer

##### Supplied Accessories

46886/067	CD-ROM containing:
46892/920	6820A/6840A Series Operating Manual
46892/922	6810A and 6820A/6840A Series Getting Started Guide
46892/921	6820A/6840A Series Remote Operating Manual
46892/932	6810A Series Operating/Remote Programming Manual

43123/076	AC Supply Lead
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37591/755	Front Panel Cover
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##### Options

002	Field Replaceable Precision N (f) or 3.5 mm (f) RF Connectors for Source Output. (not available on 6821A) or 2.92 mm (f) RF connector for 6825A&6825AR
010	3 GHz 110 dB Step Attenuator (only available for 6821A)
011	20 GHz 70 dB Step Attenuator (only available for 6822A/6823A)
012	26.5 GHz 90 dB Step Attenuator (not available for 6821A/6825A/6825AR)
013	40 GHz 70 dB Step Attenuator (only available for 6825A & 6825AR)
023	Internal Modulation Generator (FM & Pulse)
025	Internal Pulse Modulator (Opt 25a 6822A/6823A), (Opt 25b 6824A/6825A/6825AR)
030	Higher Output Power (not applicable to 6821A/6825A/6825AR)

##### Complementary Product

6146	500 MHz to 18 GHz Pulse Modulator
54441/019	AC Power Supply for 6146
6147	70 MHz to 40 GHz Pulse Modulator

## ACCESSORIES

### 6230A/L SCALAR DETECTORS

6230A series	Standard Detectors (-65 dBm to +20 dBm) typical
6230A	10 MHz to 20 GHz, N type (m)
6232A	1 MHz to 3 GHz, N Type (m)
6233A	10 MHz to 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m)
6234A	10 MHz to 46 GHz, 2.92 mm (m)
6230L series	Low VSWR detectors (-59 dBm to +26 dBm typical)
6230L	10 MHz to 20 GHz, N type (m)
6233L	10 MHz to 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m)
6234L	10 MHz to 46 GHz, 2.92 mm (m)

### AUTOTESTERS AND RF BRIDGE

#### Autotesters

59999/158	10 MHz to 18 GHz N (m)
59999/159	10 MHz to 18 GHz N (f)
59999/168	10 MHz to 40 GHz 2.92 mm (m)
59999/169	10 MHz to 40 GHz 2.92 mm (f)

#### RF Bridge

59999/170	5 MHz to 2 GHz N (f)
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### FAULT LOCATORS

#### Fault Locators

6242F	10 MHz to 3 GHz, N (f)
6242M	10 MHz to 3 GHz, N (m)
6240F	10 MHz to 20 GHz, N (f)
6240M	10 MHz to 20 GHz, N (m)
6243F	10 MHz to 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (f)
6243M	10 MHz to 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m)
6241	10 MHz to 20 GHz, 7 mm

#### Microwave Ruggedized Cables for Fault Locators

54311/197	1.5 m, 18 GHz, N (m) to Right Angle N (m)
54311/198	3.0 m, 18 GHz, N (m) to Right Angle N (m)
54311/201	1.5 m, 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m) to Right Angle 3.5 mm (m)
54311/202	3.0 m, 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m) to Right Angle 3.5 mm (m)

#### RF Ruggedized Cables for Fault Locators

54311/199	1.5 m, 3 GHz, N (m) to Right Angle N (m)
54311/200	3.0 m, 3 GHz, N (m) to Right Angle N (m)

#### Microwave Ruggedized Cables

54311/116	1.5 m, 20 GHz, N (m) to N (m)
54311/109	3.0 m, 20 GHz, N (m) to N (m)
54311/117	1.5 m, 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m) to 3.5 mm (m)
54311/110	3.0 m, 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m) to 3.5 mm (m)

#### Fault Locator and Scalar Detector DC Cables

43139/099	1.5 m, DC Cable
43139/100	3.0 m, DC Cable
43139/101	10 m, DC Cable
43139/102	25 m, DC Cable
43139/103	50 m, DC Cable

Note : All specifications quoted are for operation at calibration temperature  $\pm 3^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Specifications involving Type N connectors above 18 GHz are not traceable to national standards as these do not exist at present.

Specifications involving 2.92 mm connectors above 40 GHz are not traceable to national standards as these do not exist at present.

Typical specifications are non-warranted.

Guided Applications not available at launch.



## ACCESSORIES

### Power Splitters/Dividers

54311/123	Power Splitter DC to 18 GHz, Type N
54311/124	Power Splitter DC to 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm
54311/161	Power Splitter DC to 40 GHz, 2.92 mm
54311/187	Power Divider DC to 18 GHz
54311/188	Power Divider DC to 26.5 GHz

### RF Ruggedized Cables for Bridges and Dividers

54311/195	1.5 m, 3 GHz, N (m) to N (m)
54311/196	3.0 m, 3 GHz, N (m) to N (m)

### Fixed Loads

54421/020	7 mm Fixed Load
54421/021	3.5 mm (f) Fixed Load
54421/022	3.5 mm (m) Fixed Load
54421/023	N (m) Fixed Load
54421/024	N (f) Fixed Load

### Precision Adapters

54311/175	N (m) to N (m)
54311/167	N (m) to N (f)
54311/174	N (f) to N (f)
54311/176	N (f) to 3.5 mm (f)
54311/177	N (m) to 3.5 mm (f)
54311/178	N (m) to 3.5 mm (m)
54311/185	N (f) to 3.5 mm (m)
54311/137	N (m) to TNC (f)
54311/138	N (m) to TNC (m)
54311/139	N (f) to TNC (f)
54311/186	N (f) to TNC (m)
54311/203	7 mm to N (f)
54311/204	7 mm to TNC (m)
54311/205	7 mm to TNC (f)
54311/136	TNC (m) to TNC (m)
54311/107	3.5 mm (f) to 3.5 mm (f)
54311/165	3.5 mm (m) to 3.5 mm (f)
54311/164	3.5 mm (m) to 3.5 mm (m)
54311/162	2.92 mm (m) to 2.92 mm (m)
54311/206	2.92 mm (m) to 2.92 mm (f)
54311/207	2.92 mm (f) to 2.92 mm (f)

### Standard Adapters

54311/133	N (f) to SMA (f)
54311/134	N (m) to SMA (f)
54311/135	TNC (m) to SMA (m)

## Miscellaneous Electrical Cables

54311/170	Positive Voltage Measurement Cable
54311/112	Negative Voltage Measurement Cable
43129/189	GPIO Cable
43139/042	BNC (m) to BNC (m) 1.5 m
46884/560	Parallel Printer Interface Cable
43137/604	Autotester Adapter Cable 0.5 m
43139/104	Autotester Adapter Cable 1.5 m

### Standard Microwave Cables

54351/022	0.5 m, 18 GHz, N (m) to N (m)
54351/025	0.5 m, 26.5 GHz, 3.5 mm (m) to 3.5 mm (m)
54351/027	0.5 m, 40 GHz, 2.92 mm (m) to 2.92 mm (m)

### Attenuators

56534/901	Precision Fixed Coaxial Attenuator 3 dB DC to 18 GHz 5 W, N(m) to N(f)
56534/902	Precision Fixed Coaxial Attenuator 6 dB DC to 18 GHz 5 W, N(m) to N(f)
56534/903	Precision Fixed Coaxial Attenuator 10 dB DC to 18 GHz 5 W, N(m) to N(f)
56534/904	Precision Fixed Coaxial Attenuator 20 dB DC to 18 GHz 5 W, N(m) to N(f)

### Software Support

59000/371	Guided Scalar Measurements
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## MISCELLANEOUS

46885/038	Rack Mount Kit for 6800A Series
46880/122	Series Manual (consists of maintenance manual (printed) + operating manual (CD-ROM))
46882/920	6820A/6840A Series Operating Manual
46882/922	6810A and 6820A/6840A Series Getting Started Guide (printed)
46882/921	6820A/6840A Series Remote Operating Manual (printed)
84501	Soft Carrying Case
46662/695	Flight Case
54152/001	3.5 mm Torque Wrench
54211/008	Compact Keyboard





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