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Anritsu 68187B Synthesized Sweep Generator, 0.01 to 60.0 GHz

Anritsu 68187B Synthesized Sweep Generator 10 MHz to 60 GHz The Anritsu 68187B is a synthesized sweep generator covering 10 MHz to 60 GHz in the 68100B family. It provides phase-locked CW plus analog and step sweeps with banded leveled power for network analysis and ATE through V-conductor millimeter-wave coax bands. The Anritsu 68187B is a synthesized sweep generator covering 10 MHz to 60 GHz in the 68100B family. It provides phase-locked CW plus analog and step sweeps with banded leveled power for network analysis and ATE through V-conductor millimeter-wave coax bands.



MODEL

Anritsu 68187B

CALIBRATION

Available on request

CONDITION

Used

STATUS

In stock

RFQ / SKU

68187B

LISTING

<https://aumictechlabs.com/products/68187b-2/>

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This unit

The Anritsu 68187B Synthesized Sweep Generator is a microprocessor-based signal source spanning 0.01 to 60.0 GHz, engineered for RF and microwave component characterization, local oscillator replacement, and automated test systems. It delivers phase-locked output across multiple sweep architectures - analog, step, manual, and alternate modes - with output power ranging from -125 dBm to +17 dBm. Ultra-low SSB phase noise and programmable frequency agility supporting up to 1000 non-sequential frequencies enable precise signal simulation and measurement. Technical Specifications Frequency Range: 0.01 to 60.0 GHz, phase-locked across

all sweep modes Output Power: -125 dBm (minimum) to +17 dBm (maximum) Sweep Modes: Analog, step (1 to 10,000 steps), manual, and alternate (dual-range with independent power level assignment) Step Parameters: 1 kHz to full span step size; 1 ms to 99 seconds dwell time per step; switching time typically <15 ms + 1 ms/GHz or <40 ms (whichever is less) Sweep Width: 1 kHz to full frequency range (0.1 Hz resolution available via Option 11) Frequency Agility: Up to 1000 stored non-sequential frequencies via GPIB phase-locked step sweep Frequency Resolution: Standard resolution with optional 0.1 Hz resolution (Option 11) Phase Noise: Ultra-low SSB phase noise characteristic of this synthesizer series Key Features Phase-locked frequency step capability with high-resolution tuning Internal modulation: AM, FM, and pulse with 7 waveform options including Gaussian noise and user-defined arbitrary waveforms Pulse modulation support for doublet, triplet, and quadruplet pulses; RADAR blind spot testing compatible Simultaneous synchronized modulations for complex signal generation Front-panel and remote GPIB (IEEE-488) control Volatile memory storage for frequency sequences Typical Applications Component characterization and network analysis Local oscillator replacement in receiver chains Signal simulation for system-level testing Automated test equipment (ATE) integration RADAR and microwave system validation Compatibility & Integration Full remote programmability via IEEE-488 GPIB interface. Front-panel operation supported for manual frequency and sweep parameter adjustment.

Features & description

From manufacturer datasheet

Features

- Frequency coverage 10 MHz to 60 GHz • Synthesized sweep with high resolution phase lock • Standard 1 kHz resolution; Option 11 for 0.1 Hz • Banded leveled power per 6XX87 tables • Optional Option 16 oven time base • IEEE-488 GPIB remote programming

Applications

- Analog and step sweep stimulus 10 MHz to 60 GHz • Scalar network analyzer and component sweep testing • ATE microwave source with GPIB automation • LO substitution with sweep capability in this band

68187B Characteristics / Specifications

PARAMETER	VALUE
Model	68187B
Manufacturer	Anritsu / Wiltron
Instrument Type	Synthesized Sweep Generator
Alias	68187B; Anritsu 68187B
Frequency range	10 MHz to 60 GHz
Family	68100B Synthesized Sweep Generators
CW frequency resolution standard	1 kHz
CW frequency resolution Option	0.1 Hz
Leveled output 0.01 to less than 2 GHz	plus 12 dBm
Leveled output 2 to 20 GHz	plus 10 dBm
Leveled output greater than 20 to 40 GHz	plus 2.5 dBm
Leveled output greater than 40 to 50 GHz	plus 2 dBm
Leveled output greater than 50 to 60 GHz	plus 2 dBm
Leveled with step attenuator 0.01 to less than 2 GHz	plus 10 dBm
Leveled with step attenuator 2 to 20 GHz	plus 8.5 dBm
Leveled with step attenuator greater than 20 to 40 GHz	0 dBm
Leveled with step attenuator greater than 40 to 50 GHz	-1.5 dBm
Leveled with step attenuator greater than 50 to 60 GHz	-2 dBm
Output power resolution	0.01 dB
Internal time base aging	less than 2×10^{-8} /day
Internal time base aging Option	less than 5×10^{-10} /day
SSB phase noise 68XXXB at 50 GHz 10 kHz offset	-66 dBc/Hz

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SSB phase noise 68XXXB at 65 GHz class 10 kHz	-64 dBc/Hz
Harmonics family typical	-50 to -60 dBc by band
Nonharmonic spurious typical	-60 dBc
Sweep modes	analog and step sweep
Remote control	IEEE 488 GPIB
Dimensions	about 5.25 inHx 16.875 inWx 23.5 inDWeight: about 50 lb
Related CW model	68087B
Related signal generator	68287B
Related sweep signal model	68387B
Related ultra low noise sweep	69187A
RF connector class	TypeVfemale for models above 40 GHz Notes Power rows from Anritsu 68000B/69000A datasheet 6XX87 tables for 68187B (0.01–60 GHz). Confirm Option 11/16, attenuator availability above 40 GHz, andVconnector on the unit.

Full OEM specifications

Complete technical content extracted from the manufacturer datasheet. Sparse OEM tables are reconstructed as tables below; other text is preserved as paragraphs.

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PARAMETER	VALUE
Output power resolution	0.01 dB
Internal time base aging	less than 2 x 10 ⁻⁸ /day
Internal time base aging Option 16	less than 5 x 10 ⁻¹⁰ /day

SSB phase noise 68XXXB at 50 GHz 10 kHz offset: -66 dBc/Hz
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Available from Aumictech

Used and refurbished unit evaluated in-house. Calibration: Available on request. Used · In stock.

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