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# **Arbitrary Waveform Generators**

# AWG70000A Series



The industry-leading AWG70000A Series arbitrary waveform generator (AWG) provides you with unparalleled performance at the cutting edge for sample rate, signal fidelity, and waveform memory. In order to engineer the world's most complex data communications systems, the ability to create ideal, distorted and "real life" signals is essential. The AWG70000A Series of AWGs delivers this, giving you the industry's best signal stimulus solution for ever-increasing measurement challenges. With up to 50 GS/s and 10-bit vertical resolution, it offers easy generation of very complex signals and complete control over signal characteristics.

#### Key performance specifications

- Sample rates up to 50 GS/s
- -80 dBc spurious free dynamic range
- 10 bits vertical resolution
- 16 GSample waveform memory

#### **Key features**

- Complete solution for wideband RF signal generation in a single box
  - Direct generation of wideband signals with carriers up to 20 GHz, removing the need for external RF conversion
- Simulate real-world analog effects on high speed digital data streams
  - Model signal impairments up to speeds of 12.5 GBs
- Generate high precision RF signals
  - Spurious Free Dynamic Range performance better than -80 dBc
- Create high speed baseband signals for optical transmission with the vertical resolution to handle higher order complex modulation
  - 10 bits of vertical resolution at a sample rate of 50 GS/s

- Create long waveforms scenarios without building complex sequences
  - Up to 16 GSamples of Waveform Memory plays 320 ms of data at 50 GS/s
- Synchronize multiple units (manually or with the AWG Synchronization Hub) to achieve a multi-channel high speed AWG system
- Fully operational without external PC
  - Built-in display and buttons make it possible to quickly select, edit and play waveforms directly from the front panel of the AWG
- Simulate real-world environments by playing back captured signals
  - Waveforms captured with Oscilloscopes or Real-Time Spectrum Analyzers can be played back, edited or re-sampled on the AWG
- Smooth transition from simulation to the real-world testing environment
  - Waveform vectors imported from third-party tools such as MATLAB

#### **Applications**

- Wideband RF/MW for communications and defense electronics
  - Output wideband RF signals up to 20 GHz
- Validation and compliance testing of high speed silicon and communications devices
  - Easily stress test receivers with a wide array of signal impairments
- Coherent optical research
  - Generation of high Baud rate baseband signals with higher order. complex modulation
- Leading edge research in electronics, physics & chemistry
  - High speed, low jitter signal source generates uniquely specified analog signals, fast pulses, data streams and clocks

# Seamless transition from simulation to generation

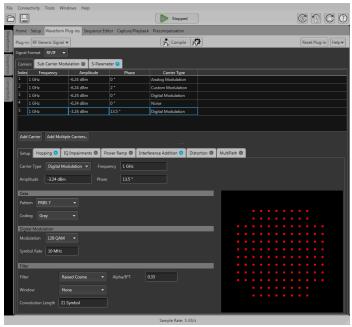
If a waveform can be defined or captured, then the AWG70000A can generate the signal. The creation of the waveform can happen in many ways. Waveform creation plug-ins, which are optimized to work specifically the Tektronix AWG family, provide specific waveform creation capabilities, while 3rd party solutions like MATLAB, Excel, or others, have the flexibility to create any waveform you desire. Waveforms created in any of these packages can be imported and played back in the AWG70000A, seamlessly transitioning from the simulation world to the real world.

Additionally, any signals captured on Tektronix oscilloscopes or Real-Time Spectrum analyzers can be loaded into the AWG70000A and played back. With the use of the built in waveform generation plug-ins, the captured signal can also be modified or changed to meet any specific requirements that may exist.

## Wideband RF signal generation

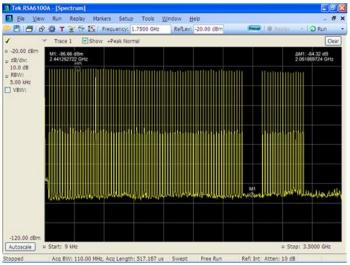
RF signals are becoming more and more complex, making it more difficult to accurately create the signals required for the testing and characterization of RF systems. To address these challenges, RF Generic delivers advanced capabilities to synthesize digitally modulated baseband, IF and RF/microwave signals supporting a wide range of modulation schemes.

The RF Generic, Radar, Multitone, OFDM, and Environment plug-in's easy to use graphical user interfaces integrate seamlessly with the AWG70000A Series user interface or the SourceXpress remote PC application.



The AWG70000A with the RF Generic Plugin allows complex RF Waveform Generation

The latest digital RF technologies often exceed the capabilities of other test instruments because of the need to generate the wide-bandwidth and fast-changing signals that are increasingly seen in many RF applications such as Radar, RF communications, OFDM, and Multi-tone. When used in conjunction with the specific plugin, the AWG70000A Series supports a wide range of modulation formats and simplifies the task of creating complex RF waveforms. The AWG70000A Series instruments provide customers with ways to generate fully modulated baseband, intermediate frequency (IF) signals, or directly generated RF waveforms up to 20 GHz.

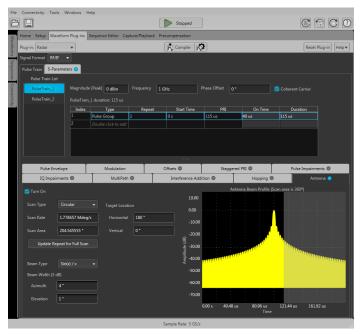


3 GHz wide multi-carrier signal generated on the AWG70000A with over 60 dBC SFDR

## Radar signal creation

Generating advanced radar signals often demands exceptional performance from an AWG in terms of sample rate, dynamic range, and memory. The Tektronix AWG70000A Series sets a new industry standard for advanced radar signal generation, by delivering wide modulation bandwidths up to 20 GHz. With a sample rate of up to 50 GS/s the AWG70000A Series can directly generate RF signals never before possible from an AWG. In instances where IQ generation is desired, the AWG70000A offers the ability to oversample the signal, thereby improving signal quality with its outstanding SFDR performance.

The AWG700000A and the Radar plug-in are the perfect solution for creating complex radar signals. Users get the ultimate flexibility in creating custom radar pulse suites. Modulation types such as LFM, Barker and Polyphase Codes, Step FM, and Nonlinear FM are easily created using the AWG, and the flexibility of the plug-in enables the creation of waveforms requiring customer-defined modulation. The combination AWG and Radar plug-in solution also has the ability to generate pulse trains with staggered PRI to resolve range and doppler ambiguity, frequency hopping for Electronic Counter-Counter Measures (ECCM), and pulse-to-pulse amplitude variation to simulate Swerling target models including antenna scan patterns, clutter, and multipath effects.



AWG radar pulses created with AWG70000A and Radar plug-in.

# **Environment signal generation**

The mission-critical nature of many radar signals requires that they coexist with standards-based commercial signals sharing the same spectrum without performance degradation. To meet this expectation, a radar designer has to thoroughly test all the corner cases at the design/debug stage. The AWG70000A and the Environment plug-in offers extreme flexibility to define and create these worst-case scenarios.

You can specify up to 50 scenarios to define your environment, including WiMAX, WiFi, GSM, CDMA, W-CDMA, DVB-T, Noise, Bluetooth, LTE, OFDM, Radar and more. This plug-in also allows you to seamlessly import signals from other plug-ins (including Radar, RF Generic etc.), as well as from Matlab® and from Tektronix spectrum analyzers and oscilloscopes, into your environment. You can also configure PHY parameters of your standard-specific signals. You can define the carrier frequency, power, start time, and duration for all the signals in your environment, so you have full control over the way these signals interact/interfere with each other.



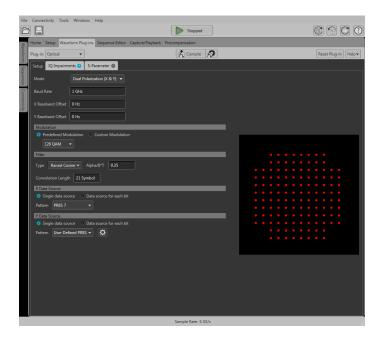
Multiple scenarios with multiple emitters using the Environment plug-in

# **Coherent optical**

Today's high speed and increasingly web driven world is pushing the demand for short and long haul coherent optical development. Phase modulation, high baud rate, high sample rate, bandwidth and resolution are all critical to optical applications. Tektronix understands the challenges and inconsistencies of coherent optical testing and offers a reliable, easy to set up and high performing tool set for optical testing, waveform generation and calibration.

The Tektronix AWG70000A Series Arbitrary Waveform Generator (AWG) can reach sampling rates as high as 50 GSa/s with 10 bits vertical resolution. Such level of performance allows for the direct generation of IQ basebands signals required by modern coherent optical communication systems based on quadrature modulation of an optical carrier with data rates well over 200Gb/s. Multiple AWG70000As can be synchronized (manually or with the AWG Synchronization Hub) to use the max 50 Ga/s on each baseband signal with low EVM and 32 Gbaud performance.

Generating the desired signal is only the first challenge in coherent optical. The quality of the signal, low EVM's and having a clear open eye is crucial. The Optical plug-in, in conjunction with the pre-compensation plug-in, can be used for calibration of the AWG to the device under test and for precompensation of coherent optical signals.



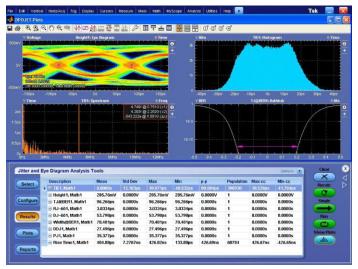
#### **Generic OFDM creation**

In today's wireless world, OFDM is becoming the modulation method of choice for transmitting large amounts of digital data over short and medium distances. The need for wide bandwidths and multiple carriers create challenges for engineers who need to create OFDM signals to test their RF receivers. The AWG70000A Series, when coupled with the OFDM plug-in, allows users to configure every part of the OFDM signal definition. Engineers can build signals symbol-by-symbol to create a complete OFDM frame or let the plug-in choose default values for some signal aspects. The combined AWG and OFDM plug-in supports a variety of data coding formats that include Reed Solomon, Convolution, and Scrambling. Users also have the ability to define each subcarrier in the symbol which can be configured independently for type, modulation, and base data. The OFDM plug-in gives visibility into all aspects of the OFDM signal by providing a symbol table that gives a summary of all the carriers in the selected symbol. OFDM packets/ frames can be built by specifying the spacing between the symbols/frames and parts of the OFDM packets can be stressed by adding gated noise.

## High-speed serial signal generation

Serial signals are made up entirely of binary data- simple ones and zeros. As clock rates have increased, these simple ones and zeros have begun to look more like analog waveforms because analog events are embedded in the digital data. The zero rise time and the perfectly flat tops of textbook digital signals no longer represent reality. Electronic environments have noise, jitter, crosstalk, distributed reactances, power supply variations, and other shortcomings. Each takes its toll on the signal. A real-world digital "square wave" rarely resembles its theoretical counterpart.

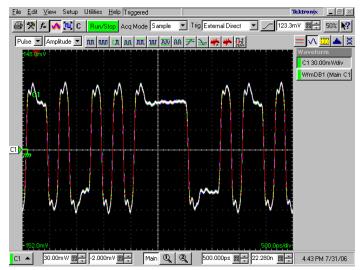
Since the AWG70000A Series is an analog waveform source, it is the perfect single-box solution that is used to create digital data streams and mimic the analog imperfections that occur in real-world environments. The AWG70000A Series uses direct synthesis techniques to allow engineers to create signals that simulate the effects of propagation through a transmission line. Rise times, pulse shapes, delays, and aberrations can all be controlled with the AWG70000A Series instruments. When used in conjunction with the High Speed Serial (HSS) plug-in, engineers are provided control over every aspect of their digital signals reaching speeds of up to 50 Gb/s. This is exactly what is needed for rigorous receiver testing requirements.



Easily create digital data impairments with the AWG70000A and HSS plug-in.

The HSS plug-in allows the AWG70000A Series instruments to create a variety of digital data impairments such as jitter (Random, Periodic, Sinusoidal), noise, pre/de-emphasis, duty cycle distortion, Inter-symbol Interference (ISI), Duty Cycle Distortion (DCD), and Spread Spectrum Clocking (SSC). The transmission environments of both board and cables can be emulated using S-parameter files that can be applied to any waveform. The AWG70000A and the HSS plugin also provides base pattern waveforms for many of today's high-speed serial applications such as SATA, Display Port, SAS, PCI-E, USB, and Fibre Channel.

For high-speed serial applications the AWG70000A Series offers the industry's best solution for addressing challenging signal stimulus issues faced by digital designers who need to verify, characterize, and debug complex digital designs. The file-based architecture uses direct synthesis to create complex data streams and provides users with the simplicity, repeatability, and flexibility required to solve the toughest signal generation challenges in high-speed serial communication applications.



Digital data with de-emphasis added using the AWG70000A and the HSS plug-in.

#### **LXI Class C**

Using the LXI Web Interface, you can connect to the AWG70000A Series through a standard web browser by simply entering the AWG's IP address in the address bar of the browser. The web interface enables viewing of instrument status and configuration, as well as status and modification of network settings. All web interaction conforms to the LXI Class C specification.

# Performance you can count on

Depend on Tektronix to provide you with performance you can count on. In addition to industry-leading service and support, this product comes backed by a standard one-year warranty.

# **Specifications**

All specifications are guaranteed unless noted otherwise. All specifications apply to all models unless noted otherwise.

#### **Definitions**

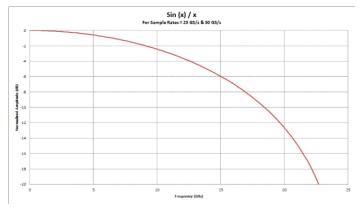
Specifications (not noted) - Product characteristics described in terms of specified performance with tolerance limits which are warranted/guaranteed to the customer. Specifications are checked in the manufacturing process and in the Performance Verification section of the product manual with a direct measurement of the parameter.

Typical (noted) - Product characteristics described in terms of typical performance, but not guaranteed performance. The values given are never warranted, but most units will perform to the level indicated. Typical characteristics are not tested in the manufacturing process or the Performance Verification section of the product manual.

Nominal (noted) - Product characteristics described in terms of being guaranteed by design. Nominal characteristics are non-warranted, so they are not checked in the manufacturing process or the Performance Verification section of the product manual.

#### Model overview

		AWG70001A	AWG70002A
Dig	ital to analog converter		
	Sample rate (nominal)	1.5 kS/s - 50 GS/s	1.5 kS/s - 25 GS/s
	Resolution (nominal)	10 bit (no markers selected), 9 bit (one marker selected), or 8 bit	(two markers selected)
Sin	(x)/x roll-off		
	Sin(x)/x (-3dB)	11.1 GHz	11.1 GHz



Sin x/x rolloff at 25 GS/s and 50 GS/s

#### Frequency domain characteristics

Fmaximum (specified) is determined as "sample rate / oversampling rate" or "SR / 2.5".  20 GHz
10 GHz
Amplitude levels are measured as singled-ended outputs. Amplitude level will be 3 dBm higher when using differential (both) outputs.
-8 dBm to -2 dBm
0.35 dB
0.17 dB
Mathematically corrected for characteristic Sin (x)/x roll-off, uncorrected by external calibration methods.
±1.8 dB to 10 GHz, +1.8 dB, -3 dB 10 GHz to 15 GHz
+0.8 dB, -1.5 dB to 10 GHz

#### Frequency domain characteristics

Analog bandwidth Measured with a multi-sine waveform with equal amplitude across the band. The Sin(x)/x response is mathematically removed

from the measured response before recording the -3 dB crossing.

AWG70001A 15 GHz AWG70002A 13.5 GHz

Output match, SWR (typical)

AWG70001A DC to 5 GHz = 1.32:1

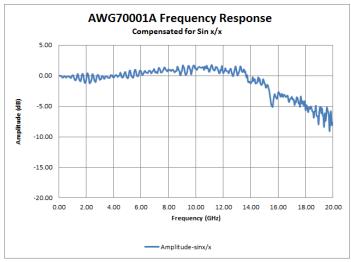
5 GHz to 10 GHz = 1.52:1

10 GHz to 20 GHz = 1.73:1

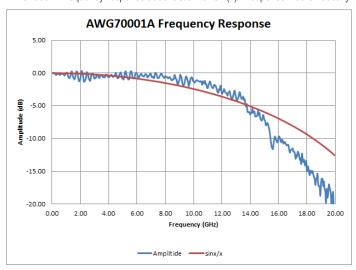
AWG70002A DC to 5 GHz = 1.61:1

5 GHz to 10 GHz = 1.61:1

#### Frequency response AWG70001A



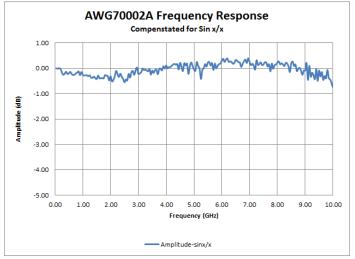
AWG70001A frequency response at 50 GS/s with Sin(x)/x response mathematically removed from measured data



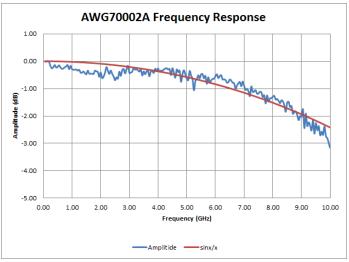
AWG70001A measured frequency response and ideal Sin(x)/x response at 50 GS/s

#### Frequency domain characteristics

AWG70002A



AWG70002A frequency response at 25 GS/s with Sin(x)/x response mathematically removed from measured data



AWG70002A measured frequency response and ideal Sin(x)/x response at 25 GS/s

#### Time domain characteristics

Bit rate (nominal) Bit rate determined as "sample rate / 4 points per cycle", allowing full impairment generation.

AWG70001A 12.5 Gb/s AWG70002A 6.25 Gb/s

Rise/fall time (typical) Rise/fall time measured at 20% to 80% levels, related by a factor of 0.75 to the industry standard of 10% to 90% levels.

AWG70001A Sampling rate ≤ 25 GS/s: < 23 ps

< 27 ps at 50 GS/s

AWG70002A < 22 ps

Output amplitude characteristics Amplitude levels are measured between differential outputs (+) to (-). For single-ended output, the amplitude level will be one-half

the specified voltage levels.

Range (typical) 500 mV<sub>p-p</sub> to 1  $V_{p-p}$ 

Resolution (typical) 1.0 mV

Accuracy (typical) ±(2% of amplitude + 1 mV)

# AWG70000A Series Arbitrary Waveform Generators

# Sequencer characteristics

The sequencer for the AWG70000A is a firmware upgrade that allows the user to run a sequence of waveforms. The sequencer

runs independent channels except for the clock.

2<sup>20</sup> counts (1,048,576 counts) Maximum repeat count

Maximum sequencing steps 16,383

Subsequencing Single level depth

Waveform granularity

resolution

2 on the single-channel AWG70001A

1 on the two-channel AWG70002A

Minimum waveform length 2400 points on the two-channel AWG70002A

4800 points on the single-channel AWG70001A

# Spurious Free Dynamic Range (SFDR) characteristics

Spurious free dynamic range (SFDR) characteristics

AWG70001A operating at 50 GS/s

Frequency output of AWG 12

	In band performance		Adjacent band performance	
Analog channel output frequency	Measured across	Specification (typical)	Measured across	Specification (typical)
100 MHz	DC - 1 GHz	-80 dBc	DC - 10 GHz	-72 dBc
DC - 500 MHz	DC - 500 MHz	-70 dBc	DC - 1.5 GHz	-66 dBc
DC - 1 GHz	DC - 1 GHz	-63 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-63 dBc
DC - 2 GHz	DC - 2 GHz	-62 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-60 dBc
DC - 3 GHz	DC - 3 GHz	-60 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-52 dBc
DC - 5 GHz	DC - 5 GHz	-52 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-52 dBc
5 GHz - 6 GHz	5 GHz - 6 GHz	-52 dBc	3 GHz - 9 GHz	-40 dBc
6 GHz - 7 GHz	6 GHz - 7 GHz	-42 dBc	4 GHz - 10 GHz	-42 dBc
7 GHz - 8 GHz	7 GHz - 8 GHz	-60 dBc	6 GHz - 12.5 GHz	-52 dBc
8 GHz - 10 GHz	8 GHz - 10 GHz	-50 dBc	6 GHz - 12.5 GHz	-52 dBc
10 GHz - 12 GHz	10 GHz - 12 GHz	-53 dBc	6 GHz - 12.5 GHz	-50 dBc
12 GHz - 13 GHz	12 GHz - 13 GHz	-22 dBc	10 GHz - 15 GHz	-22 dBc
13 GHz - 14 GHz	13 GHz - 14 GHz	-54 dBc	11 GHz - 16 GHz	-20 dBc
14 GHz - 16 GHz	14 GHz - 16 GHz	-46 dBc	13 GHz - 18 GHz	-38 dBc
16 GHz - 18.5 GHz	16 GHz - 18.5 GHz	-42 dBc	14 GHz - 20 GHz	-30 dBc
18.5 GHz - 20 GHz	18.5 GHz - 20 GHz	-28 dBc	16 GHz - 20 GHz	-24 dBc

AWG70001A and AWG70002A operating at 25 GS/s

	In band performance		Adjacent band performance	
Analog channel output frequency	Measured across	Specification (typical)	Measured across	Specification (typical)
100 MHz	DC - 1 GHz	-80 dBc	DC - 10 GHz	-72 dBc
0 - 500 MHz	DC - 500 MHz	-70 dBc	DC - 1.5 GHz	-66 dBc
DC - 1 GHz	DC - 1 GHz	-63 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-63 dBc
DC - 2 GHz	DC - 2 GHz	-62 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-60 dBc
DC - 3 GHz	DC - 3 GHz	-60 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-52 dBc
DC - 5 GHz	DC - 5 GHz	-52 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-52 dBc
5 GHz - 6 GHz	5 GHz - 6 GHz	-52 dBc	3 GHz - 9 GHz	-40 dBc
6 GHz - 7 GHz	6 GHz - 7 GHz	-42 dBc	4 GHz - 10 GHz	-42 dBc
7 GHz - 8 GHz	7 GHz - 8 GHz	-55 dBc	6 GHz - 12.5 GHz	-50 dBc
8 GHz - 10 GHz	8 GHz - 10 GHz	-50 dBc	6 GHz - 12.5 GHz	-50 dBc

Measured with Balun at maximum sample rate.

<sup>2</sup> SFDR is determined as a function of the directly generated carrier frequency. Harmonics not included.

# Spurious Free Dynamic Range (SFDR) characteristics

AWG70002A 8 Gsa/sec

	In band performance		Adjacent band performance	
Analog channel output frequency	Measured across	Specification (typical)	Measured across	Specification (typical)
100 MHz	DC - 1 GHz	-80 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-72 dBc
DC - 500 MHz	DC - 500 MHz	-68 dBc	DC - 1.5 GHz	-66 dBc
DC - 1 GHz	DC - 1 GHz	-63 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-63 dBc
DC - 2 GHz	DC - 2 GHz	-60 dBc	DC - 4 GHz	-60 dBc
DC - 2.6 GHz	DC - 2.6 GHz	-55 dBc	DC - 4 GHz	-52 dBc
DC - 3.2 GHz	DC - 3.2 GHz	-47 dBc	DC - 4 GHz	-47 dBc

AWG70002A 16 Gsa/sec

	In band performance		Adjacent band performance	
Analog channel output frequency	Measured across	Specification (typical)	Measured across	Specification (typical)
100 MHz	DC - 1 GHz	-80 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-72 dBc
DC - 500 MHz	DC - 500 MHz	-68 dBc	DC - 1.5 GHz	-66 dBc
DC - 1 GHz	DC - 1 GHz	-62 dBc	DC - 3 GHz	-63 dBc
DC - 2 GHz	DC - 2 GHz	-60 dBc	DC - 6 GHz	-58 dBc
DC - 3.5 GHz	DC - 3.5 GHz	-57 dBc	3 GHz - 8 GHz	-40 dBc
3.5 GHz - 4.5 GHz	3.5 GHz - 4.5 GHz	-42 dBc	4 GHz - 8 GHz	-42 dBc
4.5 GHz - 6.4 GHz	4.5 GHz - 6.4 GHz	-52 dBc	6 GHz - 8 GHz	-42 dBc

#### **Output distortion characteristics**

Harmonic distortion<sup>3</sup>

Sample rate = 25 GS/s

2nd harmonic, at output frequency

Frequency range	Value
< 2 GHz	<-60 dBc
2 GHz - 6 GHz	<-50 dBc
> 6 GHz	< -42 dBc

3rd harmonic, at output frequency

Frequency range	Value
< 1 GHz	<-60 dBc
1 GHz - 2 GHz	<-50 dBc
> 2 GHz	< -40 dBc

Effective number of bits (ENOB)

AWG70001A 4.6 bits at 14.99 GHz

All noise and distortion DC - 20 GHz

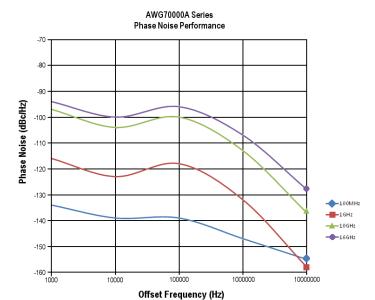
5.6 bits at 9.99 GHz AWG70002A

All noise and distortion DC - 12.5 GHz

<sup>3</sup> Measured with Balun at maximum sample rate.

#### **Output distortion characteristics**

Phase noise



Phase noise in reduced jitter mode

**Jitter** 

Random jitter (typical) 250 fs RMS

Total jitter (typical) 10 ps<sub>p-p</sub> at 12.5 Gb/s

# **Channel timing characteristics**

These specifications apply to model AWG70002A only.

Channel to channel skew ±5 ps

**Output skew control** 

Range -100 to 100 ps Resolution 500 fs Accuracy ±5 ps Intra-channel skew <5 ps

#### **Hardware characteristics**

Number of analog outputs

AWG70001A 1 channel AWG70002A 2 channels

Aeroflex/Weinschel Planar Crown Universal Connector System with SMA female adapter **Output connector** 

**Output impedance** 50 Ω

Waveform length

AWG70001A Standard: up to 2 GSamples

With extended memory: up to 16 GSamples

AWG70002A Standard: up to 2 GSamples

With extended memory: up to 8 GSamples

#### Hardware characteristics

Waveform granularity

Continuous run mode 1 point

Triggered run modes AWG70001A: 2 points

AWG70002A: 1 point

Run modes

Continuous Waveform is continuously repeated

Triggered Waveform is output only once after a trigger is received **Triggered Continuous** Waveform is continuously repeated after a trigger is received

Sampling clock

Resolution Up to 8 digits

**Accuracy** Within ±(1 ppm + Aging), Aging: ±1 ppm per year

#### **Computer outputs**

Operating system / peripherals / IO Windows 7

16 GB (4 GB for serial numbers B019999 and below)

≥ 480 GB solid state drive

Included USB compact keyboard and mouse

6 USB 3.0/2.0 compliant ports (2 front - USB 2.0) (4 rear - USB 3.0 (USB 2.0 for serial numbers B019999 and below))

RJ-45 Ethernet connector (rear panel) supports 10/100/1000BASE-T

VGA video (rear panel) for external monitor

eSATA (rear panel)

Display characteristics LED backlit touch screen display, 132 x 99 mm (165 mm diagonal), 1024 × 768 pixels

Waveform file import capability

Import waveform format by series:

\*.AWGX file format created by Tektronix AWG70000A Series

\*.WFMX file format created by Tektronix AWG70000A Series

\*.RFD file format created by Tektronix RFX100 RFXpress Advanced RF/IF/IQ waveform software

\*.SXD file format created by Tektronix SDX100 SerialXpress high-speed serial data signals software

\*.WFM file format created by Tektronix AWG5000 or AWG7000 Series

\*.PAT and \*.WFM file formats created by Tektronix AWG400/500/600/700 Series

\*.IQT file format created by Tektronix RSA3000 Series

\*.TIQ file format created by Tektronix RSA6000/5000 Series or MDO4000 Series

\*.WFM or \*.ISF file formats created by Tektronix TDS/DPO/MSO/DSA Series

\*.TXT file format created by Tektronix AWG5000 or AWG7000 Series

\*.AWG file created by Tektronix AWG5000 or AWG7000 Series

\*.MAT Matlab file format

\*.SEQX sequence file format created by Tektronix AWG70000A Series

\*.SEQ sequence file format created by Tektronix AWG400, AWG500, or AWG600 Series

Waveform file export capability

\*.WFMX file format (Tektronix AWG70000A Series)

\*.TXT file format

# **Datasheet**

#### **Computer outputs**

Software driver for third-party

applications

IVI-COM driver IVI-C driver

Instrument control / data transfer

GPIB through USB B device

port (requires external adapter

TEK-USB-488)

**Ethernet** 

Remote control and data transfer (conforms to IEEE-Std 488.1, compatible with IEEE-Std 488.2 and SCPI-1999.0)

Remote control and data transfer (conforms to IEEE-Std 802.3)

LAN eXtensions for Instrumentation (LXI) Class LXI Class C Version 1.4

#### **Auxiliary outputs**

Markers

Number AWG70001A: Total of 2

AWG70002A: Total of 4 (2 per channel)

Style Differential Connector SMA (front panel)

Impedance 50 Ω

Level into 50  $\Omega$ 

Characteristic	Description
Window	-1.4 V to 1.4 V
Amplitude	$0.5V_{p-p}$ to $1.4V_{p-p}$
Resolution	10 mV
Accuracy	$\pm$ (10% of setting + 50 mV) into 50 $\Omega$
Rise/fall time (20% - 80%)	<35 ps (High: 1.0 V, Low: 0 V)

Timing skew

Characteristic	Description
Intra-channel (typical)	<12 ps (between each channel (+) Pos and (-) Neg output)
Inter-channel (typical)	<15 ps (between Marker 1 and Marker 2 outputs)

**Delay control** 

Characteristic	Description
Delay from analog output (typical)	AWG70001A: 180 ps ±25 ps AWG70002A: 755 ps ±25 ps
Range	0 to 100 ps
Resolution	1 ps
Accuracy	±15 ps

Jitter

Characteristic	Description
Random RMS (typical)	0.4 ps <sub>RMS</sub>
Total p-p (typical)	20 ps <sub>p-p</sub> (Using PRBS15 pattern)

10 MHz reference out

Connector SMA (rear panel) **Output impedance** 50  $\Omega$ , AC coupled Amplitude +4 dBm ±2 dBm Frequency 10 MHz ±(1 ppm + aging)

#### **Auxiliary outputs**

Flag outputs

SMB (rear panel) Connector **Number of outputs** AWG70001A: 4

AWG70002A: 8

Impedance

50 Ω

Amplitude High: 3.3 V into 50  $\Omega$ 

Low: 0 V

Synchronization clock output

1/80 of the clock output Frequency **Amplitude** 1.0 V ±150 mV<sub>p-p</sub> into 50  $\Omega$ 

Connector SMA (rear panel) Output impedance 50  $\Omega$ , AC coupled

External clock output

Connector SMA (rear-panel) **Output impedance**  $50\;\Omega$  AC coupled Frequency range 6.25 GHz to 12.5 GHz Output amplitude +5 dBm to +10 dBm

#### **Auxiliary inputs**

Trigger

Number 2 (A and B) **Polarity** Pos or Neg Impedance  $50 \Omega, 1 k\Omega$ 50 Ω: <5 V<sub>rms</sub> Range 1 kΩ: ±10 V Connector SMA (rear panel)

**Threshold** 

Characteristic	Description
Range	-5.0 V to 5.0 V
Resolution	0.1 V
Accuracy	±(5% +100 mV)

Trigger to output uncertainty

Characteristic	Description
Asynchronous (typical)	±40 ps at maximum sample rate
Synchronous (typical)	External variable reference and synchronous trigger timing: 500 fs <sub>rms</sub> , 7 ps <sub>p-p</sub> at BER 10 <sup>-12</sup>
Synchronous (typical)	External 10 MHz reference and synchronous trigger timing: 5 ps <sub>rms</sub> , 70 ps <sub>p-p</sub> at BER 10 <sup>-12</sup>

Trigger minimum pulse width 20 ns

Trigger hold-off 8320/fclk ±20 ns

where fclk is the frequency of the DAC sampling clock

Reference in

Input amplitude -5 dBm to +5 dBm 10 MHz, ±10 ppm Fixed frequency range Variable frequency range 35 MHz to 250 MHz

#### **Datasheet**

#### **Auxiliary inputs**

ConnectorSMA (rear panel)Impedance $50 \Omega$ , AC coupled

**External Clock in** 

#### **Physical characteristics**

**Dimensions** 

 Height
 153.6 mm (6.05 in)

 Width
 460.5 mm (18.13 in)

 Depth
 603 mm (23.76 in)

Weight

Net weight without packaging AWG70001A and AWG70002A: 37.0 lb (16.8 kg) AWG70001A with option AC: 38.56 lb (17.49 kg)

Net weight with packaging AWG70001A and AWG70002A: 49.4 lb (22.4 kg) AWG70001A with option AC: 50.96 lb (23.12 kg)

**Cooling clearance** 

 Top
 0 in

 Bottom
 0 in

 Left side
 50 mm (2 in)

 Right side
 50 mm (2 in)

 Rear
 0 in

Power supply

**AC line input** 100 to 240 V AC, 50/60 Hz

Consumption 500 Watts

#### EMC, environment, and safety

Temperature

 Operating
 0 °C to +50 °C (+32 °F to +122 °F)

 Non-operating
 -20 °C to +60 °C (-4 °F to +140 °F)

Humidity

**Operating** 5% to 90% relative humidity (% RH) at up to 30  $^{\circ}$ C

5% to 45% relative humidity above 30 °C up to 50 °C

Non-condensing

**Non-operating** 5% to 90% relative humidity (% RH) at up to 30  $^{\circ}$ C

5% to 45% relative humidity above 30 °C up to 60 °C

Non-condensing

#### EMC, environment, and safety

Altitude

Operating Up to 3,000 meters (9,843 feet)

Derate maximum operating temperature by 1 °C per 300 meters above 1500 meters.

Non-operating Up to 12,000 meters (39,370 feet)

Vibration

Operating Sine: 0.33 mm p-p (0.013 in p-p) constant displacement, 5 to 55 Hz

Random: 0.27  $G_{RMS}$  from 5 to 500 Hz, 10 minutes per axis

Random: 2.28  $G_{RMS}$  from 5 to 500 Hz, 10 minutes per axis Nonoperating

Mechanical shock

Operating Half-sine mechanical shocks, 30 g peak, 11 ms duration, 3 drops in each direction of each axis

Regulatory

Safety UL61010-1, CAN/CSA-22.2, No.61010-1, EN61010-1, IEC61010-1

**Emissions** EN55011 (Class A), IEC61000-3-2, IEC61000-3-3

IEC61326, IEC61000-4-2/3/4/5/6/8/11 **Immunity** 

Regional certifications Europe Australia/New Zealand

> EN61326 AS/NZS 2064

# Ordering information

# AWG 70000 family

AWG70001A 10 bit, 2 GSamples record length, 1-channel arbitrary waveform generator.

Option 150: 1.5 kS/s to 50 GS/s

AWG70002A 10 bit, 2 GSamples record length, 2-channel arbitrary waveform generator.

Option 225: 1.5 kS/s to 25 GS/s

#### Standard accessories 4

015-1022-xx One 50  $\Omega$  SMA terminator per channel

119-7054-xx USB mouse

119-7275-xx Compact USB keyboard

119-8131-xx Touch screen stylus

071-3110-xx Installation and safety manual

Certificate of calibration

Power cord

# Warranty

One-year parts and labor

Specify power cord and language option at time of order

#### **Options**

#### **Product options**

Opt. 01 Waveform record length expansion

AWG70001A: from 2 GSamples to 16 GSamples

AWG70002A: from 2 GSamples to 8 GSamples on both channels

Opt. 03 Adds sequencing

Opt. 150

Adds 50 GS/s sampling rate (AWG70001A only)

Opt. 208

Adds 8 GS/s sampling rate (AWG70002A only)

Opt. 216

Adds 16 GS/s sampling rate (AWG70002A only)

Opt. 225

Adds 25 GS/s sampling rate (AWG70002A only)

Opt. AC Adds a single-ended AC coupled output connector with additional amplification and attenuation (AWG70001A only)

#### Power plug options

Opt. A0

North America power plug (115 V, 60 Hz)

Opt. A1

Universal Euro power plug (220 V, 50 Hz)

Opt. A2

United Kingdom power plug (240 V, 50 Hz)

Opt. A3
Australia power plug (240 V, 50 Hz)
Opt. A5
Switzerland power plug (220 V, 50 Hz)
Opt. A6
Japan power plug (100 V, 50/60 Hz)

 Opt. A10
 China power plug (50 Hz)

 Opt. A11
 India power plug (50 Hz)

 Opt. A12
 Brazil power plug (60 Hz)

Opt. A99 No power cord

#### Language options

Opt. L0 English manual
Opt. L5 Japanese manual

Opt. L7 Simplified Chinese manual
Opt. L8 Traditional Chinese manual

Opt. L10 Russian manual

#### Service options

Opt. C3 Calibration Service 3 Years Opt. C5 Calibration Service 5 Years

Opt. CA1 Single Calibration or Functional Verification

Opt. D1 Calibration Data Report

Opt. D3 Calibration Data Report 3 Years (with Opt. C3) Opt. D5 Calibration Data Report 5 Years (with Opt. C5)

Opt. G3 Complete Care 3 Years (includes loaner, scheduled calibration, and more) Opt. G5 Complete Care 5 Years (includes loaner, scheduled calibration, and more)

Opt. R3 Repair Service 3 Years (including warranty) Opt. R5 Repair Service 5 Years (including warranty)

#### Post sales service options

CA1 Single calibration or functional verification

R5DW Repair service coverage 5 years

R2PW Repair service coverage 2 years post warranty R1PW Repair service coverage 1 year post warranty

#### Rack mount kit

**AWGRACK** Rack mount kit for AWG70000A Series

#### **Product upgrades**

AWG70001A

AWG701AUP Opt. 01 Increases the waveform record length to 16 Gsamples

AWG701AUP Opt. 03 Adds sequencing

AWG701AUP Opt. SSD-01 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 7 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B019999 and below. This drive can also be used to revert an instrument with the Windows 10 OS

to the Windows 7 OS.

AWG701AUP Opt. SSD-02 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 10 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B020000 and above. This drive can also be used to convert an instrument with the Windows 7 OS

to the Windows 10 OS.

AWG701AUP Opt. SSD-03 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 10 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B019999 and below. This drive can also be used to convert an instrument with the Windows 7 OS

to the Windows 10 OS.

AWG70002A

AWG702AUP Opt. 01 Increases the waveform record length to 8 Gsamples for each channel

AWG702AUP Opt. 03 Adds sequencing

AWG702AUP Opt. 0816 Increases the sampling rate from 8 GS/s to 16 GS/s AWG702AUP Opt. 0825 Increases the sampling rate from 8 GS/s to 25 GS/s AWG702AUP Opt. 1625 Increases the sampling rate from 16 GS/s to 25 GS/s

AWG702AUP Opt. SSD-01 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 7 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B019999 and below. This drive can also be used to revert an instrument with the Windows 10 OS

to the Windows 7 OS.

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AWG702AUP Opt. SSD-02 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 10 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B020000 and above. This drive can also be used to convert an instrument with the Windows 7 OS

to the Windows 10 OS.

AWG702AUP Opt. SSD-03 Provides an additional (or replacement) preprogrammed Solid State Drive with the Microsoft Windows 10 operating system for

instruments with serial numbers B019999 and below. This drive can also be used to convert an instrument with the Windows 7 OS

to the Windows 10 OS.

# Plug-ins

Plug-ins increase the capabilities of the arbitrary waveform generators. Various plug-ins are available providing unique types of waveforms or additional compensation. Each plug-in has its own installation file which installs seamlessly into the generators. After installation, it simply becomes a new menu selection. No other configuration is necessary.

Plug-in	Description	Nomenclature	Licensed enhancements
Multitone & Chirp plug-in	Create generate chirps, notches and tones	MTONENL-SS01 MTONEFL-SS01	
PreCompensation plug-in	Create correction coefficients that can be applied on waveforms to get flat frequency and linear phase response	PRECOMNL-SS01 PRECOMFL-SS01	
High Speed Serial plug-in	Create pre-distorted waveforms to test a device's conformance to standards	HSSNL-SS01 HSSFL-SS01 HSSPACKNL-SS01 HSSPACKFL-SS01	S-Parameters and Intersymbol Interference Spread Spectrum Clocking (Licensed enhancements are included with HSSPACK)
RF Generic plug-in	Create digitally modulated signals with multiple carrier groups	RFGENNL-SS01 RFGENFL-SS01	S-Parameters
Optical plug-in	Create waveforms with complex modulation schemes for optical testing	OPTICALNL-SS01 OPTICALFL-SS01	S-Parameters Spread Spectrum Clocking
OFDM plug-in	Create Single or Multiple OFDM based Frames with one or more bursts	OFDMNL-SS01 OFDMFL-SS01	S-Parameters
RADAR plug-in	Create RADAR pulsed waveforms with various modulations and impairments	RADARNL-SS01 RADARFL-SS01	S-Parameters
Environment plug-in	Create real world scenarios for commercial, electronic warfare, and simulations for monitoring and receiver testing	ENVNL-SS01 ENVFL-SS01	
Spread Spectrum Clocking plug-in	Adds SSC capability to the High Speed Serial and Optical plug-ins	SSCFLNL-SS01 SSCFLFL-SS01	
S-Parameters plug-in	Adds S-Parameter capability to the RF Generic, High Speed Serial, Optical, OFDM, and RADAR plug-ins	SPARANL-SS01 SPARAFL-SS01	

Plug-ins require the purchase of a license before they are fully functional.

There are two types of licenses available for each plug-in: node-locked (NL) and floating (FL).

- Node Locked Licenses (NL) provide your own copy of the application on your instrument and are permanently assigned to a product model/serial number.
- Floating Licenses (FL) can be moved between product models.

# **Recommended accessories**

Item	Description	Part number	
Synchronization Hub	Enables fast synchronization of multiple AWG70000A series instruments	AWGSYNC01 Synchronization Hub	
GPIB to USB Adapter	Enables GPIB control through USB B port	TEK-USB-488	
MDC4500-4B	DC amplifier for MIPI applications	MDC4500-4B	
Baluns	200 kHz - 17 GHz	Picosecond Pulse Labs 5315A	
	300 kHz - 26.5 GHz	Marki BAL-0026	
	5 MHz - 20 GHz	Hyperlabs HL9402	
Bias Ts	10 kHz - 50 GHz	Picosecond Pulse Labs 5542	
	200 kHz - 12 GHz	Mini-Circuits ZX85-12G-S+	
Power Splitters	1.5 kHz - 18 GHz	Mini-Circuits ZX10-2-183-S+	
	DC-18 GHz	Aeroflex/Weinschel 1515	
Amplifiers	2.5 kHz - 10 GHz, 26 dB gain	Picosecond Pulse Labs 5866	
	25 kHz - 45 GHz, 16 dB gain	Picosecond Pulse Labs 5882	
	0.01 - 20 GHz, 30 dB gain	RF-Lambda RAMP00G20GA	
Adapter	SMB female to SMA female	Mouser 565-72979	
Programmer manual	Programming commands, English only	Visit Tektronix website	





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