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Spectrum Analyzer

RSA306B and RSA306B-SMA USB Real Time Spectrum Analyzer Datasheet



The RSA306B uses your PC and Tektronix SignalVu-PC™ RF Signal Analysis Software to provide real time spectrum analysis, streaming capture and deep signal analysis capabilities for signals from 9 kHz to 6.2 GHz, all in a low-cost, highly portable package that is ideal for field, factory, or academic use.

Key performance specifications

- 9 kHz to 6.2 GHz frequency range covers a broad range of analysis needs
- +20 dBm to -160 dBm measurement range
- Mil-Std 28800 Class 2 environmental, shock and vibration specifications for use in harsh conditions
- Fast sweeps (2 per second) over entire 6.2 GHz span for quick detection of unknown signals
- Acquisition bandwidth of 40 MHz enables wideband vector analysis of modern standards
- Minimum signal duration as short as 15 µsec captured with 100% probability of intercept

Key features

- Full-featured spectrum analysis capability with included Tektronix SignalVu-PC™ software
- 17 spectrum and signal analysis measurement displays enable dozens of measurement types
- Options for mapping, modulation analysis, WLAN, LTE, and Bluetooth standards support, pulse measurements, playback of recorded files, signal survey, and frequency/phase settling
- EMC/EMI pre-compliance and troubleshooting CISPR detectors, predefined standards, limit lines, easy accessory setup, ambient capture, failure analysis, and report generation
- DataVu-PC software enables multi-unit recording in variable bandwidths

- Real time Spectrum/Spectrogram display to minimize time spent on transient and interference hunting
- Application programming interface (API) included for Microsoft Windows and Linux environments
- MATLAB instrument driver for use with Instrument Control Toolbox
- Streaming capture records long-term events
- · Three year warranty

Applications

- Academics/education
- Maintenance, installation and repair in the factory or field
- · Value-conscious design and manufacturing
- · Interference hunting

The RSA306B: a new class of instrument

The RSA306B offers full-featured spectrum analysis and deep signal analysis at a price unmatched by any previous offering. Using the latest in commercial interfaces and available computing power, the RSA306B separates signal acquisition from measurement, dramatically lowering the cost of instrument hardware. Data analysis, storage and replay is performed on your personal computer, tablet or laptop. Managing the PC separately from the acquisition hardware makes computer upgrades easy, and minimizes IT management issues.

The RSA306B-SMA: for RF Sensor applications

The RSA306B-SMA is a derivative of the RSA306B USB Spectrum Analyzer with the following customer-driven enhancements, enabling convenient integration within custom systems and enclosures:

- Type-SMA RF input connector replacing the Type-N connector
- Optionally available without the protective case (NO SHELL)
- Optionally available with custom mounting hardware (MKIT) available for mounting the no-case chassis in custom enclosures.

SignalVu-PC™ software and an API for deep analysis and fast programmatic interaction

The RSA306B operates with SignalVu-PC, a powerful program that is the basis of Tektronix performance signal analyzers. SignalVu-PC offers a deep analysis capability previously unavailable in value-priced solutions. Real-time processing of the DPX spectrum/spectrogram is enabled in your PC, further reducing the cost of hardware. Customers who need programmatic access to the instrument can choose either the SignalVu-PC programmatic interface or use the included application programming interface (API) that provides a rich set of commands and measurements for Windows and Linux. A MATLAB driver for the API is available, enabling operation with MATLAB and the Instrument Control Toolbox.

DataVu-PC for multi-instrument recording and analysis of large recordings

DataVu-PC software can control two spectrum analyzers simultaneously with independent settings. This allows you to monitor a wide span, while recording at up to 40 MHz bandwidth at any frequency in the range of the instrument. Once recorded, DataVu-PC can find and mark signals of interest based on amplitude and frequency-mask characteristics, eliminating the need for manual inspection of long recordings. Pulse measurements are available on up to 2,000,000 pulses.

Measurements included in SignalVu-PC base version

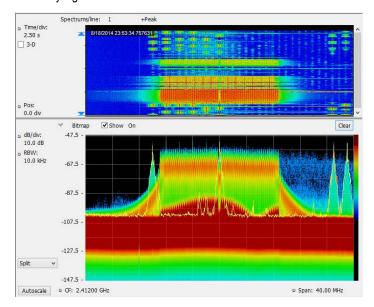
Basic functionality of the free SignalVu-PC program is far from basic. The table below summarizes the measurements included in the free SignalVu-PC software.

General signal analysis			
Spectrum analyzer	Spans from 1 kHz to 6.2 GHz		
	Three traces plus math and spectrogram trace		
	Five markers with power, relative power, integrated power, power density and dBc/Hz functions		
DPX Spectrum/Spectrogram	Real time display of spectrum with 100% probability of intercept of 15 µsec signals in up to 40 MHz span		
Amplitude, frequency, phase vs. time, RF I and Q vs. time	Basic vector analysis functions		
Time Overview/Navigator	Enables easy setting of acquisition and analysis times for deep analysis in multiple domains		
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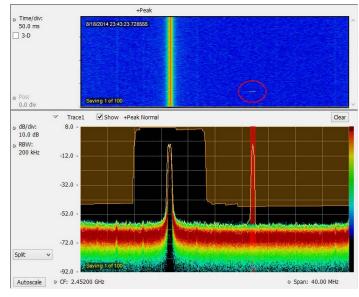
Spectrogram	Analyze and re-analyze your signal with a 2-D or 3-D waterfall display
AM/FM listening	Hear, and record to file, FM and AM signals
Analog modulation analysis	
AM, FM, PM analysis	Measures key AM, FM, PM parameters
RF measurements	
Spurious measurement	User-defined limit lines and regions provide automatic spectrum violation testing across the entire range of the instrument; Four traces can be saved and recalled; CISPR Quasi-Peak and Average detectors available with option SVQP
Spectrum emission mask	User-defined or standards-specific masks
Occupied Bandwidth	Measures 99% power, -xdB down points
Channel Power and ACLR	Variable channel and adjacent/ alternate channel parameters
MCPR	Sophisticated, flexible multi- channel power measurements
CCDF	Complementary Cumulative Distribution Function plots the statistical variations in signal level

The RSA306B with SignalVu-PC offers basic and advanced measurements for field and lab

See what you've never seen before: The 40 MHz real time bandwidth of the RSA306B combined with the processing power of SignalVu-PC shows you every signal, even down to 15 µs in duration when a high performance PC is used. The following image shows a WLAN transmission (green and orange), and the narrow signals that repeat across the screen are a Bluetooth access probe. The spectrogram (upper part of the screen) clearly separates these signals in time to show any signal collisions.



Monitoring has never been easier. Spectrum mask testing captures detail of transients found in the frequency domain, such as intermittent interference. Mask testing can be set to stop acquisition, save acquisition, save a picture, and send an audible alert. The following image shows a spectrum mask (in orange on the spectrum display) created to monitor a band of frequencies for violations. A single transient of 125 µs duration has occurred that violated the mask. with the violation shown in red. The transient is clearly seen on the spectrogram above the red violation area (circled).



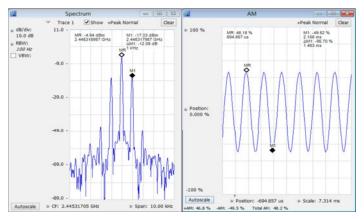
EMC/EMI

EMI pre-compliance and diagnostic measurements are easy with the RSA306B and SignalVu-PC. Transducer, antenna, preamplifier, and cable gain/loss can be entered and stored in correction files, and the standard spurious measurement feature of SignalVu-PC can be used to establish limit lines for your test. The following illustration shows a test from 30MHz to 960 MHz against the FCC Part 15 Class A limit shown shaded. The blue trace is the capture of Ambient. Violations are recorded in the results table below the graph. CISPR guasi peak and average detectors can be added with option SVQP.

The EMC pre-compliance solution can be added with option EMCVU. It supports many predefined limit lines. It also adds a wizard for easy setup of recommended antennas, LISN, and other EMC accessories with a one-button push. When using the new EMC-EMI display, you can accelerate the test by applying the time consuming quasi peak only on failures. This display also provides a push-button ambient measurement. The Inspect tool lets you measure frequencies of interest locally, removing the need for scanning.



Analysis of AM and FM signals is standard in SignalVu-PC. The following screen shot shows a 1 kHz tone amplitude modulating a carrier to 48.9% total AM. Markers are used on the spectrum display to measure the modulation sideband at 1 kHz offset, 12.28 dB down from the carrier. The same signal is simultaneously viewed in the modulation display, showing AM versus time, with +Peak, -Peak and Total AM measurements. Advanced measurements for analog audio modulation including SINAD, THD and modulation rate are available in Option SVA.

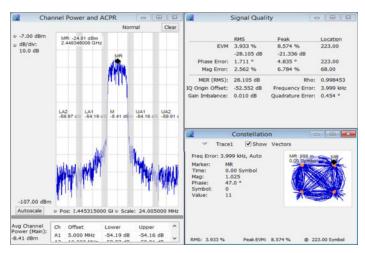


SignalVu-PC application-specific licenses

SignalVu-PC offers a wealth of application-oriented measurement and analysis licenses including:

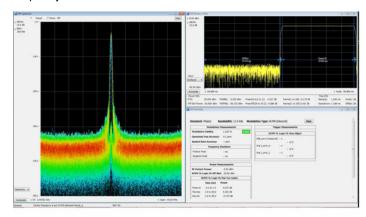
- General-purpose modulation analysis (27 modulation types including 16/32/64/256 QAM, QPSK, O-QPSK, GMSK, FSK, APSK)
- EMC/EMI analysis with CISPR peak, quasi-peak, and average detectors
- P25 analysis of phase I and phase 2 signals
- WLAN analysis of 802.11a/b/g/j/p, 802.11n, 802.11ac
- LTE™ FDD and TDD Base Station (eNB) Cell ID & RF measurements
- 5G New Radio (NR) uplink/downlink RF power, Power dynamics, Signal quality, and Emissions measurements
- Bluetooth® analysis of Basic Rate, Low Energy, and Bluetooth 5. Some support of Enhanced Data Rate
- Mapping and signal strength
- Pulse analysis
- AM/FM/PM/Direct Audio Measurement including SINAD, THD
- Playback of recorded files, including complete analysis in all domains
- Signal Classification and Survey

Modulation analysis application SVM enables multiple displays of modulation quality. The following screen shot shows the standard Channel Power/ACLR measurement combined with a constellation display and vector signal quality measurements on a QPSK signal.



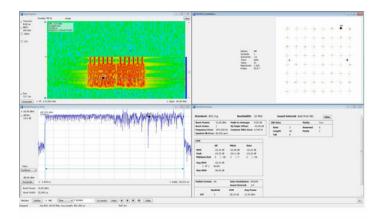
APCO P25

SignalVu-PC application SV26 enables quick, standards-based transmitter health checks on APCO P25 signals. The following image shows a Phase II signal being monitored for anomalies with the spectrum analyzer while performing transmitter power, modulation and frequency measurements.



WLAN

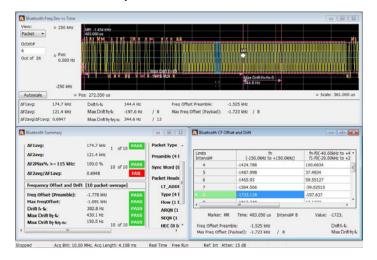
Sophisticated WLAN measurements are easy. On the 802.11g signal shown below, the spectrogram shows the initial pilot sequence followed by the main signal burst. The modulation is automatically detected as 64 QAM for the packet and displayed as a constellation. The data summary indicates an EVM of -33.24 dB RMS, and burst power is measured at 10.35 dBm. SignalVu-PC applications are available for 802.11a/b/j/g/p, 802.11n and 802.11ac to 40 MHz bandwidth.



Bluetooth

Two new options have been added to help with Bluetooth SIG standard-base transmitter RF measurements in the time, frequency and modulation domains. Option SV27 supports Basic Rate and Low Energy Transmitter measurements defined by RF.TS.4.2.0 and RF-PHY.TS.4.2.0 Test Specification. It also demodulates and provides symbol information for Enhanced Data Rate packets. Option SV31 supports Bluetooth 5 standards (LE 1M, LE 2M, LE Coded) and measurements defined in the Core Specification. Both options also decode the physical layer data that is transmitted and color-encode the fields of packet in the Symbol Table for clear identification.

Pass/Fail results are provided with customizable limits. Measurement below shows deviation vs. time, frequency offset and drift and a measurement summary with Pass/Fail results.



LTE

Application SV28 enables the following LTE base station transmitter measurements:

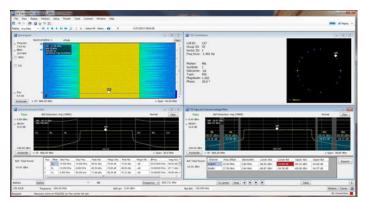
- Cell ID
- Channel Power
- Occupied Bandwidth

- Adjacent Channel Leakage Ratio (ACLR)
- Spectrum Emission Mask (SEM)
- Transmitter Off Power for TDD
- Reference Signal (RS) Power

There are four presets to accelerate pre-compliance testing and determine the Cell ID. These presets are defined as Cell ID, ACLR, SEM, Channel Power and TDD Toff Power. The measurements follow the definition in 3GPP TS Version 12.5 and support all base station categories, including picocells and femtocells. Pass/Fail information is reported and all channel bandwidths are supported.

The Cell ID preset displays the Primary Synchronization Signal (PSS) and the Secondary Synchronization Signal (SSS) in a Constellation diagram. It also provides Frequency Error.

The ACLR preset measures the E-UTRA and the UTRA adjacent channels, with different chip rates for UTRA. ACLR also supports Noise Correction based on the noise measured when there is no input. Both ACLR and SEM will operate in swept mode (default) or in faster single acquisition (real-time) when the measurement bandwidth required is less than 40 MHz.



5G NR modulation analysis and measurements option

5G NR is among the growing set of signal standards, applications, and modulation types supported.

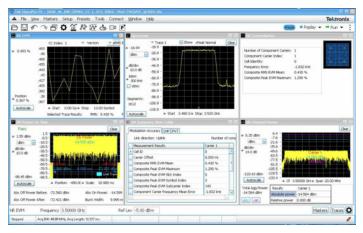
The 5G NR analysis option provides comprehensive analysis capabilities in the frequency, time, and modulation domains for signals based on the 3GPP's 5G NR specification.

By configuring result traces of spectrum, acquisition time, and NR specific modulation quality (e.g, EVM, frequency error, I/Q error) traces and tables, engineers can identify overall signal characteristics and troubleshoot intermittent error peaks or repeated synchronization failures.

Error Vector Magnitude (EVM) is a figure of merit used to describe signal quality. It does this by measuring the difference on the I/Q plane between the ideal constellation point of the given symbol versus the actual measured point. It can be measured in dB or % of the ideal subsymbol, normalized to the average QAM power received, and display constellation of symbols vs ideal symbol. The EVM vs Symbol

or EVM vs Time gives the EVM of OFDM symbols present in the number of symbols considered or the time within a slot.

For automated testing, SCPI remote interfaces are available to accelerate design, which enables the quick transition to the design verification and manufacturing phases.



Constellation, Summary View, CHP, and SEM displays supported in option 5G NR

5G NR transmitter measurements core supported features

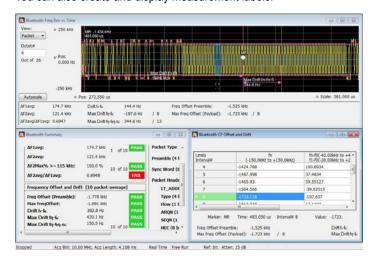
5G NR option (5GNRNL-SVPC) supports 5G NR modulation analysis measurements according to Release 15 and Release 16 of 3GPP's TS38 specification, including:

- · Analysis of uplink and downlink frame structures
- 5G NR measurements and displays including
- Modulation Accuracy (ModAcc)
- Channel Power (CHP)
- · Adjacent Channel Power (ACP)
- Spectrum Emission Mask (SEM)
- · Occupied Bandwidth (OBW)
- Power Vs Time (PVT)¹
- · Error Vector Magnitude (EVM)
- Summary table with all scalar results for ModAcc, SEM, CHP, ACP, OBW, PVT, and EVM measurements
- In-depth analysis and troubleshooting with coupled measurements across domains, use multiple markers to correlate results to find root-cause.
- Saves reports in CSV format with configuration parameters and measurement results
- Configurable parameters of PDSCH or PUSCH for each component carrier

For downlink, supported test models for FDD and TDD per 3GPP specifications

Mapping

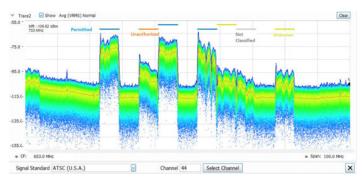
The SignalVu-PC MAP application enables interference hunting and location analysis. Locate interference with an azimuth function that lets you draw a line or an arrow on a mapped measurement to indicate the direction your antenna was pointing when you take a measurement. You can also create and display measurement labels.



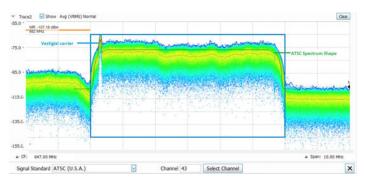
Signal survey/classification

The signal classification application (SV54) enables expert systems guidance to aid the user in classifying signals. It provides graphical tools that allow you to quickly create a spectral region of interest, enabling you to classify and sort signals efficiently. The spectral profile mask, when overlaid on top of a trace, provides signal shape guidance, while frequency, bandwidth, channel number, and location are displayed allowing for quick checks. WLAN, GSM, W-CDMA, CDMA, Bluetooth standard and enhanced data rate, LTE FDD and TDD, and ATSC signals can be quickly and simply classified. Databases can be imported from your H500/RSA2500 signal database library for easy transition to the new software base.

PVT supports Uplink frame structure only.



Above is a typical signal survey. This survey is of a portion of the TV broadcast band, and 7 regions have been declared as either Permitted, Unknown, or Unauthorized, as indicated by the color bars for each region.



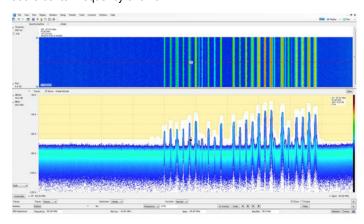
In this illustration, a single region has been selected. Since we have declared this to be an ATSC video signal, the spectrum mask for the ATSC signal is shown overlaid in the region. The signal is a close match to the spectrum mask, including the vestigial carrier at the lower side of the signal, characteristic of ATSC broadcasts.

SignalVu-PC with mapping can be used to manually indicate the azimuth of a measurement made in the field, greatly aiding in triangulation efforts. The addition of a smart antenna able to report its direction to SignalVu-PC automates this process. Automatically plotting the azimuth/bearing of a measurement during interference hunting can greatly speed the time spent searching for the source of interference. Tektronix recommends the Alaris DF-A0047 handheld direction finding antenna with frequency coverage from 20 MHz -8.5 GHz (optional 9 kHz-20 MHz) as part of a complete interference hunting solution. Azimuth information and the selected measurement is automatically recorded on the SignalVu-PC Map just by releasing the control button on the antenna. Full specifications for the DF-A0047 antenna are available in a separate antenna datasheet available on www.Tektronix.com.

Playback

Playback of recorded signals can reduce hours of watching and waiting for a spectral violation to minutes at your desk reviewing recorded data. Recording length is limited only by storage media size and recording is a basic feature included in SignalVu-PC. SignalVu-PC application SV56 Playback allows for complete analysis by all SignalVu-PC measurements, including DPX Spectrogram. Minimum signal duration specifications are maintained during playback. AM/FM audio demodulation can be performed. Variable span, resolution bandwidth,

analysis length, and bandwidth are all available. Frequency mask testing can be performed on recorded signals up to 40 MHz in span. with actions on mask violation including beep, stop, save trace, save picture, and save data. Portions of the playback can be selected and looped for repeat examination of signals of interest. Playback can be skip-free, or time gaps can be inserted to reduce review time. A Live Rate playback ensures fidelity of AM/FM demodulation and provides a 1:1 playback vs. actual time. Clock time of the recording is displayed in the spectrogram markers for correlation to real world events. In the illustration below, the FM band is being replayed, with a mask applied to detect spectral violations, simultaneous with listening to the FM signal at the center frequency of 92.3 MHz.



Instrument controller for USB spectrum analyzers

For field operations, a complete solution requires a Windows Tablet or laptop for instrument operation, record keeping and communication. Tektronix recommends the Panasonic FZ-G1 tablet computer for controlling the RSA306B and as a standalone unit.



The Panasonic FZ-G1 tablet computer is sold separately and is available for purchase from Panasonic at https://na.panasonic.com/us/ computers-tablets-handhelds/tablets/tablets/toughpad-fz-q1 and a variety of third party vendors. Tektronix recommends the FZ-G1 over other tablets because of its performance, portability, and ruggedized form-factor and it has been tested to work with all USB RSA products.

Key specifications of the instrument controller

- Windows 10 Pro 64-bit operating system
- Intel® Core i5-6300U vPro TM 2.4-3.0 GHz Processor
- 8GB RAM
- 256 GB Solid State Drive
- 10.1" (25.6 cm) Daylight-readable screen
- 10-point Multi Touch+ Digitizer screen plus included pen interface
- USB 3.0 + HDMI Ports, 2nd USB Port
- Wi-Fi, Bluetooth® and 4G LTE Multi Carrier Mobile Broadband with Satellite GPS

Specifications

All specifications are guaranteed unless noted otherwise.

Frequency

9 kHz to 6.2 GHz RF input frequency range

Frequency reference accuracy

Initial accuracy at calibration ±3 ppm + aging (after 20 minute warmup at 18 °C to 28 °C ambient) Accuracy, typical ±20 ppm + aging (after 20 minute warm up at -10 °C to 55 °C ambient)

Aging, typical \pm 3 x 10⁻⁶ (1st year), \pm 1 x 10⁻⁶/year thereafter

External frequency reference input

10 MHz ±10 Hz Input frequency range

Input level range -10 dBm to +10 dBm sinusoid

50 O Impedance

Center frequency resolution

Block IQ samples 1 Hz Streamed ADC samples 500 kHz

Amplitude

RF input impedance 50 Ω

RF input VSWR (typical) ≤ 1.8:1 (10 MHz to 6200 MHz, reference level ≥ +10 dBm)

(Equivalent Return Loss: ≥11 dB)

Maximum RF input level without damage

DC voltage $\pm 40 \ V_{DC}$

Reference level ≥ -10 dBm +23 dBm (continuous or peak) Reference level < -10 dBm +15 dBm (continuous or peak)

Maximum RF input operating level

The maximum level at the RF input for which the instrument will meet its measurement specifications.

Center frequency < 22 MHz

(low-frequency path)

+15 dBm

Center frequency ≥22 MHz (RF +20 dBm

path)

Amplitude accuracy at all center frequencies

Center frequency	Warranted (18 °C to 28 °C)	Typical (95% confidence) (18 °C to 28 °C)	Typical (-10 °C to 55 °C)
9 kHz - < 3 GHz	±1.2 dB	±0.8 dB	±1.0 dB
≥ 3 GHz - 6.2 GHz	±1.65 dB	±1.0 dB	±1.5 dB

Reference level +20 dBm to -30 dBm, alignment run prior to testing. Applies to corrected IQ data, with signal to noise ratios > 40 dB.

The above specifications apply when operated and stored at the average factory calibration absolute humidity conditions (8 grams of water per cubic meter of air). Additional humidity specifications are provided in the Specifications and Performance Verification Technical Reference.

Intermediate frequency and acquisition system

IF bandwidth 40 MHz

ADC sample rate and bit width 112 Ms/s, 14 bits

Real-time IF acquisition data

(uncorrected)

112 Ms/s, 16-bit integer real samples

40 MHz BW, 28 ±0.25 MHz Digital IF, uncorrected. Corrected values are stored with saved files

Block streaming data at an average rate of 224 MB/s

Block baseband acquisition data (corrected)

Maximum acquisition time 1 second

Bandwidths \leq 40 /(2^{N}) MHz, 0 Hz Digital IF, N \geq 0

Sample rates \leq 56 / (2^N) Msps, 32-bit float complex samples, N \geq 0

Channel amplitude flatness

Reference level +20 dBm to -30 dBm, alignment run before testing. Applies to corrected IQ data, with signal to noise ratios >40 dB.

Center frequency range	Warranted	Typical	
	18 °C to 28 °C		
24 MHz to 6.2 GHz	±1.0 dB	±0.4 dB	
22 MHz to 24 MHz	±1.2 dB	±1.0 dB	
-10 °C to 55 °C			
24 MHz to 6.2 GHz		±0.5 dB	
22 MHz to 24 MHz		±2.5 dB	

Trigger

Trigger/sync input

Voltage range TTL, 0.0 V - 5.0 V

Trigger level, positive-going

threshold voltage

1.6 V minimum; 2.1 V maximum

Trigger level, negative-going

threshold voltage

1.0 V minimum; 1.35 V maximum

Impedance

10 kΩ

IF power trigger

Threshold range 0 dB to -50 dB from reference level, for trigger levels > 30 dB above the noise floor

Rising or falling edge Type

Trigger re-arm time ≤100 µs

Noise and distortion

Displayed Average Noise Level (DANL)

Reference level = -50 dBm, input terminated with 50 Ω load, log-average detection (10 averages). SignalVu-PC Spectrum measurements with Span > 40 MHz may use LF or RF path in the first segment of the spectrum sweep.

Center frequency	Frequency range	DANL (dBm/Hz)	DANL (dBm/Hz), typical
< 22 MHz	100 kHz - 42 MHz	≤-130	-133
(LF path)			
≥ 22 MHz	2 MHz - <5 MHz	≤-145	≤-148
(RF path)	5 MHz - <1.0 GHz	≤-161	≤-163
	1.0 GHz - <1.5 GHz	≤-160	≤-162
	1.5 GHz - <2.5 GHz	≤-157	≤-159
	2.5 GHz - <3.5 GHz	≤-154	≤-156
	3.5 GHz - <4.5 GHz	≤-152	≤-155
	4.5 GHz - 6.2 GHz	≤-149	≤-151

Phase noise

Phase noise measured with 1 GHz CW signal at 0 dBm.

The following table entries are in dBc/Hz units.

	Center frequency				
Offset	1 GHz	10 MHz (typical)	1 GHz (typical)	2.5 GHz (typical)	6 GHz (typical)
1 kHz	≤-84	≤-115	≤-89	≤-78	≤-83
10 kHz	≤-84	≤-122	≤-87	≤-84	≤-85
100 kHz	≤-88	≤-126	≤-93	≤-92	≤-95
1 MHz	≤-118	≤-127	≤-120	≤-114	≤-110

Residual spurious response, typical

(Reference level \leq -50 dBm, RF input terminated with 50 Ω load)

CF range 9 kHz - < 1 GHz < -100 dBm CF range 1 GHz - < 3 GHz < -95 dBm CF range 3 GHz - 6.2 GHz < -90 dBm

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< -80 dBm: 2080-2120 MHz < -80 dBm: 3895-3945 MHz

< -85 dBm: 4780-4810 MHz

Residual FM

< 10 Hz_{P-P} (95% confidence)

3RD order IM distortion

Two CW signals, 1 MHz separation, each input signal level 5 dB below the reference level setting at the RF input Reference level at-15 dBm disables Preamp; reference level at -30 dBm enables Preamp.

Center frequency 2130 MHz

≤ -63 dBc at reference level -15 dBm, 18 °C to 28 °C

≤ -63 dBc, at reference level -15 dBm, -10 °C to 55 °C, typical

≤ -63 dBc, at reference level -30 dBm, typical

40 MHz to 6.2 GHz, typical

< -58 dBc at reference level = -10 dBm

< -50 dBc at reference level = -50 dBm

3RD order intercept (TOI)

Center frequency 2130 MHz

≥ +13 dBm at reference level -15 dBm, 18 °C to 28 °C

≥ +13 dBm, at reference level -15 dBm, -10 °C to 55 °C, typical

≥ -2 dBm, at reference level -30 dBm, typical

40 MHz to 6.2 GHz, typical

+14 dBm at reference level -10 dBm

-30 dBm at reference level -50 dBm

2ND harmonic distortion, typical

< -55 dBc, 10 MHz to 300 MHz, reference level = 0 dBm

< -60 dBc. 300 MHz to 3.1 GHz. reference level = 0 dBm < -50 dBc, 10 MHz to 3.1 GHz, reference level = -40 dBm

Exception: < -45 dBc in the range 1850-2330 MHz

2ND harmonic intercept (SHI)

+55 dBm, 10 MHz to 300 MHz, reference level = 0 dBm

+60 dBm, 300 MHz to 3.1 GHz, reference level = 0 dBm

+10 dBm, 10 MHz to 3.1 GHz, reference level = -40 dBm (Exception: +5 dBm in the range 1850-2330 MHz)

Input related spurious response (SFDR)

Input frequencies at ≤ 6.2 GHz and 18 - 28 °C

Level	Center frequency range
Spurious responses due to the following mechanisms: RFx2*L0 IF2 image	O1, 2RFx2*LO1, RFx3LO1, RFx5LO1, RF to IF feedthrough,
≤ -60 dBc	≤ 6200 MHz
Spurious responses due to 1st IF images (RFxLO1)	
≤ -60 dBc	< 2700 MHz
≤ -50 dBc	2700 - 6200 MHz

With these exceptions at ≤ 6.2 GHz and 18 - 28 °C, typical

Туре	Level	Center frequency range
IF feedthrough	≤ -45 dBc	1850 - 2700 MHz
Table continued		

Туре	Level	Center frequency range
1st IF image	≤ -55 dBc	1850 - 1870 MHz
	≤ -35 dBc	3700 - 3882 MHz
	≤ -35 dBc	5400 - 5700 MHz
2nd IF image	≤ -50 dBc	22 - 1850 MHz
	≤ -50 dBc	4175 - 4225 MHz
RFx2LO	≤ -50 dBc	4750 - 4810 MHz
2RFx2LO	≤ -50 dBc	3900 - 3840 MHz
RFx3LO	≤ -45 dBc	4175 - 4225 MHz

Spurious responses due to ADC images at 18 - 28 °C

Level	Center frequency range	
≤ -60 dBc	Offset from center frequency > 56 MHz	
≤ -50 dBc	56 MHz ≥ offset from center frequency ≥ 36 MHz	

Local oscillator feedthrough to input connector

< -75 dBm at reference level = -30 dBm

Audio output

Audio output (from SignalVu-PC or application programming interface)

Types AM, FM

IF bandwidth range Five selections, 8 kHz - 200 kHz

Audio output frequency range 50 Hz - 10 kHz 16 bits at 32 ks/s PC audio output

.way format. 16 bit. 32 ks/s Audio file output format

SignalVu-PC base performance summary

SignalVu-PC/RSA306B key characteristics

Maximum span 40 MHz real-time

9 kHz - 6.2 GHz swept

Maximum acquisition time 2.0 s

Minimum IQ resolution 17.9 ns (acquisition BW = 40 MHz)

Tuning Tables Tables that present frequency selection in the form of standards-based channels are available for the

following. Cellular standards families: AMPS, NADC, NMT-450, PDC, GSM, CDMA, CDMA-2000, 1xEV-DO

WCDMA, TD-SCDMA, LTE, WiMax

Unlicensed short range: 802.11a/b/j/g/p/n/ac, Bluetooth

Cordless phone: DECT, PHS

Broadcast: AM, FM, ATSC, DVBT/H, NTSC

Mobile radio, pagers, other: GMRS/FRS, iDEN, FLEX, P25, PWT, SMR, WiMax

Signal Strength display

Signal strength indicator Located at right side of display

Measurement bandwidth Up to 40 MHz, dependent on span and RBW setting Tone type Variable frequency based on received signal strength

Spectrum and Spurious display

Traces Three traces + 1 math trace + 1 trace from spectrogram for Spectrum display; four traces for Spurious display

Normal, Average (VRMS), Max Hold, Min Hold, Average of Logs **Trace functions**

Detector Average (VRMS), Average (of logs), CISPR peak, +Peak, Sample for Spectrum only -Peak; when Option SVQP is enabled,

CISPR Quasi Peak and Average

Spectrum trace length 801, 2401, 4001, 8001,10401, 16001, 32001, and 64001 points

RBW range 1.18 Hz to 8 MHz for Spectrum display

DPX spectrum display

Spectrum processing rate (RBW ≤10,000 spectrums per second (span independent)

= auto, trace length 801)

DPX bitmap resolution 201 pixels vertical x 801 pixels horizontal

DPX Spectrogram minimum 1 ms

time resolution² ≤10,000 per second (span independent) **Marker information** Amplitude, frequency, signal density

Minimum signal duration for 100% probability of intercept (POI), typical²

Minimum signal duration for 100% POI	Test controller
27	Dell Desktop (Windows® 10 Enterprise, Intel® Core™ i7-4790 CPU, 3.6GHz, 8GB RAM, 256GB SSD)
34	Dell Desktop (Windows® 7 Enterprise, Intel® Core™ i7-2600 CPU, 3.4GHz, 8GB RAM, 256GB SSD)
36	Dell Desktop Latitude E6430 (Windows® 10 Enterprise, Intel® Core™ i7-3520M CPU, 2.9GHz, 8GB RAM, 750GB HD)
35	Dell Laptop Precision M4700 (Windows® 8 Enterprise, Intel® Core™ i7-3520M CPU, 2.9GHz, 8GB RAM, 750GB HD)
37	Panasonic ToughPad SAPL-TP-04 (Windows® 7 Pro, Intel® Core™ i5-5300U CPU, 2.3GHz, 8GB RAM, 256GB SSD)

² Due to the non-deterministic execution time of programs running under the Microsoft Windows™ OS, this specification may not be met when the host PC is heavily loaded with other processing tasks.

Span range (continuous

processing)

1 kHz to 40 MHz

Span range (swept)

Up to maximum frequency range of instrument

Dwell time per step

50 ms to 100 s

Trace processing

Color-graded bitmap, +Peak, -Peak, average

Trace length

801, 2401, 4001, 10401

RBW range

1 kHz to 4.99 MHz

Full span sweep speed

 1 MHz
 16.5 GHz/sec

 100 kHz
 16.5 GHz/sec

 10 kHz
 13.7 GHz/sec

 1 kHz
 1.9 GHz/sec

Related information:

Measured using a Panasonic Toughpad FZ-G1, Intel® Core™ i5-5300U 2.3GHz Processor, 8GB RAM, 256GB SSD,

Windows®7 Pro. Spectrum display only measurement on screen.

DPX spectrogram display

Trace detection +Peak, -Peak, Average(V_{RMS})

Trace length, memory depth 801 (60,000 traces)

2401 (20,000 traces) 4001 (12,000 traces)

Time resolution per line

1 ms to 6400 s, user selectable

Analog modulation analysis (standard)

AM demodulation accuracy,

±2%

typical

0 dBm input at center, carrier frequency 1 GHz, 1 kHz/5 kHz input/modulated frequency, 10% to 60%

modulation depth

0 dBm input power level, reference level = 10 dBm

FM demodulation accuracy,

typical

±3%

0 dBm input at center, carrier frequency 1 GHz, 400 Hz/1 kHz input/modulated frequency

0 dBm input power level, reference level = 10 dBm

PM demodulation accuracy,

typical

±1% of measurement bandwidth

0 dBm input at center, carrier frequency 1 GHz, 1 kHz/5 kHz input/modulated frequency

0 dBm input power level, reference level = 10 dBm

SignalVu-PC application licenses

AM/FM/PM and direct audio measurement (SVAxx-SVPC)

Carrier frequency range (for modulation and audio (1/2 × audio analysis bandwidth) to maximum input frequency

measurements)

Maximum audio frequency span 10 MHz

FM measurements (Mod. index

>0.1)

Carrier Power, Carrier Frequency Error, Audio Frequency, Deviation (+Peak, -Peak, Peak-Peak/2, RMS), SINAD, Modulation Distortion, S/N, Total Harmonic Distortion, Total Non-harmonic Distortion, Hum and Noise

AM measurements Carrier Power, Audio Frequency, Modulation Depth (+Peak, -Peak, Peak-Peak/2, RMS), SINAD, Modulation

Distortion, S/N, Total Harmonic Distortion, Total Non-harmonic Distortion, Hum and Noise

PM measurements Carrier Power, Carrier Frequency Error, Audio Frequency, Deviation (+Peak, -Peak, Peak-Peak/2, RMS),

SINAD, Modulation Distortion, S/N, Total Harmonic Distortion, Total Non-harmonic Distortion, Hum and Noise

Direct audio measurements Signal power, Audio frequency (+Peak, -Peak, Peak-Peak/2, RMS), SINAD, Modulation distortion, S/N, Total

harmonic distortion, Total non-harmonic distortion, Hum and Noise (Direct audio measurements are limited to

>9 kHz by input frequency)

Audio filters

Low pass, kHz: 0.3, 3, 15, 30, 80, 300, and user-entered up to 0.9 × audio bandwidth

High pass, Hz: 20, 50, 300, 400, and user-entered up to 0.9 × audio bandwidth

Standard: CCITT, C-Message

De-emphasis (µs): 25, 50, 75, 750, and user-entered

File: User-supplied .TXT or .CSV file of amplitude/frequency pairs. Maximum 1000 pairs

Conditions: Unless otherwise stated, performance is given for:				
Modulation rate = 5 k	Modulation rate = 5 kHz			
AM depth: 50%				
PM deviation 0.628 R	PM deviation 0.628 Radians			
FM	AM	PM	Conditions	
Refer to instrument a	Refer to instrument amplitude accuracy			
		± 2 Hz + (transmitter frequency × ref. freq. error)		
NA	± 0.5%	NA		
± (2% × (rate + deviation))	NA	± 3%		
± 0.2 Hz	± 0.2 Hz	± 0.2 Hz		
0.5%	0.5%	NA		
49 dB 40 dB	56 dB	42 dB		
	Modulation rate = 5 k AM depth: 50% PM deviation 0.628 R FM Refer to instrument at ± 7 Hz + (transmitter frequency × ref. freq. error) NA ± (2% × (rate + deviation)) ± 0.2 Hz 0.5% 49 dB	Modulation rate = 5 kHz AM depth: 50% PM deviation 0.628 Radians FM AM Refer to instrument amplitude accuracy ± 7 Hz + (transmitter frequency × ref. freq. frequency accuracy error) NA ± 0.5% ± (2% × (rate + deviation)) ± 0.2 Hz ± 0.2 Hz 0.5% 49 dB 56 dB	Modulation rate = 5 kHz AM depth: 50% PM deviation 0.628 Radians FM AM PM Refer to instrument amplitude accuracy ± 7 Hz + (transmitter frequency × ref. freq. error) NA ± 0.5% NA ± 0.5% NA ± 3% ± 0.2 Hz 0.5% NA 49 dB 56 dB	

Pulse measurements (SVPxx-SVPC)

Pulse-Ogram™ waterfall display of multiple segmented captures, with amplitude vs time and spectrum of each Measurements (nominal)

> pulse. Pulse frequency, Delta Frequency, Average on power, Peak power, Average transmitted power, Pulse width, Rise time, Fall time, Repetition interval (seconds), Repetition interval (Hz), Duty factor (%), Duty factor (ratio), Ripple (dB), Ripple (%), Droop (dB), Droop (%), Overshoot (dB), Overshoot (%), Pulse- Ref Pulse frequency difference, Pulse- Ref Pulse phase difference, Pulse-Pulse frequency difference, Pulse- Pulse phase difference, RMS frequency error, Max frequency error, RMS phase error, Max phase error, Frequency deviation,

Phase deviation, Impulse response (dB), Impulse response (time), Time stamp.

Minimum pulse width for

detection, typical

150 ns

Average ON power at 18 °C to

28 °C, typical

For pulses of 300 ns width or greater, duty cycles of .5 to .001, and S/N ratio ≥ 30 dB

Duty factor, typical ±0.2% of reading

For pulses of 450 ns width or greater, duty cycles of .5 to .001, and S/N ratio ≥ 30 dB

Average transmitted power,

typical

±1.0 dB + absolute amplitude accuracy

±1.0 dB + absolute amplitude accuracy

For pulses of 300 ns width or greater, duty cycles of .5 to .001, and S/N ratio ≥ 30 dB

Peak pulse power, typical ±1.5 dB + absolute amplitude accuracy

For pulses of 300 ns width or greater, duty cycles of .5 to .001, and S/N ratio ≥ 30 dB

Pulse width, typical ±0.25% of reading

For pulses of 450 ns width or greater, duty cycles of .5 to .001, and S/N ratio ≥ 30 dB

General purpose digital modulation analysis (SVMxx-SVPC)

BPSK, QPSK, 8PSK, 16QAM, 32QAM, 64QAM, 128QAM, 256QAM, π/2DBPSK, DQPSK, π/4DQPSK, D8PSK, Modulation formats

D16PSK, SBPSK, OQPSK, SOQPSK, 16-APSK, 32-APSK, MSK, GFSK, CPM, 2FSK, 4FSK, 8FSK, 16FSK,

C4FM

Analysis period Up to 163,500 samples

Measurement filter Root Raised Cosine, Raised Cosine, Gaussian, Rectangular, IS-95 TX MEA, IS-95 Base TXEQ MEA, None

Reference Filter Gaussian, Raised Cosine, Rectangular, IS-95 REF, None

Filter rolloff factor α : 0.001 to 1, in 0.001 steps

Measurements Constellation, Demod I&Q vs. Time, Error Vector Magnitude (EVM) vs. Time, Eye Diagram, Frequency

Deviation vs. Time, Magnitude Error vs. Time, Phase Error vs. Time, Signal Quality, Symbol Table, Trellis

Diagram

240 M symbols/s Maximum symbol rate

Modulated signal must be contained entirely within the acquisition bandwidth

Adaptive equalizer Linear, Decision-Directed, Feed-Forward (FIR) equalizer with coefficient adaptation and adjustable convergence

rate. Supports modulation types BPSK, QPSK, QQPSK, DQPSK, π/2DBPSK, π/4DQPSK, 8PSK, D8SPK,

D16PSK, 16/32/64/128/256-QAM, 16/32-APSK

QPSK Residual EVM (center frequency = 2 GHz), typical

mean

1.1 % (100 kHz symbol rate) 1.1 % (1 MHz symbol rate)

1.2 % (10 MHz symbol rate) 2.5 % (30 MHz symbol rate)

400 symbols measurement length, 20 Averages, normalization reference = maximum symbol magnitude

256 QAM Residual EVM (center 0.8 % (10 MHz symbol rate)

frequency = 2 GHz), typical

1.5 % (30 MHz symbol rate)

mean

400 symbols measurement length, 20 Averages, normalization reference = maximum symbol magnitude

WLAN Measurements, 802.11a/b/g/ j/p (SV23xx-SVPC)

Measurements WLAN power vs. time; WLAN symbol table; WLAN constellation; spectrum emission mask; error vector

magnitude (EVM) vs. symbol (or time), vs subcarrier (or frequency); mag error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); phase error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); channel frequency response vs. symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); spectral flatness vs. symbol (or time), vs.

subcarrier (or frequency)

Residual EVM - 802.11a/g/j /p (OFDM), 64-QAM, typical

2.4 GHz, 20 MHz BW: -38 dB 5.8 GHz, 20 MHz BW: -38 dB

Input signal level optimized for best EVM, average of 20 bursts, ≥16 symbols each

Residual EVM - 802.11b,

2.4 GHz, 11 Mbps: 2.0 %

CCK-11, typical

Input signal level optimized for best EVM, average of 1,000 chips, BT = .61

WLAN Measurements 802.11n (SV24xx-SVPC)

Measurements WLAN power vs. time; WLAN symbol table; WLAN constellation; spectrum emission mask; error vector

magnitude (EVM) vs. symbol (or time), vs subcarrier (or frequency); mag error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); phase error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); channel frequency response vs. symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); spectral flatness vs. symbol (or time), vs.

subcarrier (or frequency)

QAM, typical

EVM performance - 802.11n, 64- 2.4 GHz, 40 MHz BW: -35 dB 5.8 GHz. 40 MHz BW: -35 dB

Input signal level optimized for best EVM, average of 20 bursts, ≥16 symbols each

WLAN Measurements 802.11ac (SV25xx-SVPC)

Measurements WLAN power vs. time; WLAN symbol table; WLAN constellation; spectrum emission mask; error vector

magnitude (EVM) vs. symbol (or time), vs subcarrier (or frequency); mag error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); phase error vs symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); channel frequency response vs. symbol (or time), vs. subcarrier (or frequency); spectral flatness vs. symbol (or time), vs.

subcarrier (or frequency)

EVM performance - 802.11ac,

5.8 GHz, 40 MHz BW: -35 dB

256-QAM, typical

Input signal level optimized for best EVM, average of 20 bursts, ≥16 symbols each

APCO P25 Measurements Application (SV26xx-SVPC)

Measurements RF output power, operating frequency accuracy, modulation emission spectrum, unwanted emissions spurious, adjacent channel power ratio, frequency deviation, modulation fidelity, frequency error, eye diagram, symbol

table, symbol rate accuracy, transmitter power and encoder attack time, transmitter throughput delay, frequency deviation vs. time, power vs. time, transient frequency behavior, HCPM transmitter logical channel peak

adjacent channel power ratio, HCPM transmitter logical channel off slot power, HCPM transmitter logical channel power envelope, HCPM transmitter logical channel time alignment, cross-correlated markers.

Modulation fidelity, typical

C4FM = 1.3%HCPM = 0.8% HDQPSK = 2.5%

Input signal level is optimized for best modulation fidelity.

Bluetooth Measurements Application (SV27xx-SVPC and SV31xx-SVPC)

Supported standards

Bluetooth® 4.2 Basic Rate, Bluetooth® 4.2 Low Energy, Bluetooth® 4.2 Enhanced Data Rate. Bluetooth® 5

when SV31 is enabled.

Measurements

Peak Power, Average Power, Adjacent Channel Power or InBand Emission mask, -20 dB Bandwidth, Frequency Error, Modulation Characteristics including ΔF1avg (11110000), ΔF2avg (10101010), ΔF2 > 115 kHz, ΔF2/ΔF1 ratio, frequency deviation vs. time with packet and octet level measurement information. Carrier Frequency f0, Frequency Offset (Preamble and Payload), Max Frequency Offset, Frequency Drift f1-f0, Max Drift Rate fn-f0 and fn-fn-5, Center Frequency Offset Table and Frequency Drift table, color-coded Symbol table,

Packet header decoding information, eye diagram, constellation diagram

Output power (BR and LE), typical mean

Supported measurements: Average power, peak power

Level uncertainty: refer to instrument amplitude and flatness specification

Measurement range: signal level > -70 dBm

Modulation characteristics, typical mean

Supported measurements: ΔF1avg, ΔF2avg, ΔF2avg/ ΔF1avg, ΔF2max%>=115kHz (basic rate),

ΔF2max%>=115kHz (low energy) Deviation range: ±280 kHz

Deviation uncertainty (at 0 dBm):

2 kHz + instrument frequency uncertainty (basic rate)

3 kHz + instrument frequency uncertainty (low energy)

Measurement range: Nominal channel frequency ±100 kHz

Initial Carrier Frequency Tolerance (ICFT) (BR and LE), typical mean

Measurement uncertainty (at 0 dBm): <1 kHz 2 + instrument frequency uncertainty

Measurement range: Nominal channel frequency ±100 kHz

Carrier Frequency Drift (BR and

LE), typical mean

Supported measurements: Max freq. offset, drift f1- f0, max drift fn-f0, max drift fn-fn-5 (BR and LE 50 µs)

Measurement uncertainty: <2 kHz + instrument frequency uncertainty

Measurement range: Nominal channel frequency ±100 kHz

In-band emissions (ACPR) (BR Level uncertainty: refer to instrument amplitude and flatness specification

and LE)

LTE Downlink RF measurements (SV28xx-SVPC)

Standard Supported 3GPP TS 36.141 Version 12.5 Frame Format supported

FDD and TDD

Supported

Measurements and Displays Adjacent Channel Leakage Ratio (ACLR), Spectrum Emission Mask (SEM), Channel Power, Occupied Bandwidth, Power vs. Time showing Transmitter OFF power for TDD signals and LTE constellation diagram for Primary Synchronization Signal and Secondary Synchronization Signal with Cell ID, Group ID, Sector ID, RS (Reference

Signal) Power and Frequency Error.

ACLR with E-UTRA

bands (typical, with noise

1st Adjacent Channel 60 dB 2nd Adjacent Channel 62 dB

correction)

5G NR Uplink/Downlink measurements (5GNRNL-SVPC)

Standard supported TS 38.141-1 for BS and 38.521-1 for UE

Sec 6.5.2 for BS and Sec 6.4.2 for UE. **Modulation accuracy**

ACP

Sec 6.6.3 for BS and Sec 6.5.2.4 for UE

Frame format supported

Uplink (FDD and TDD)

Downlink (FDD and TDD)

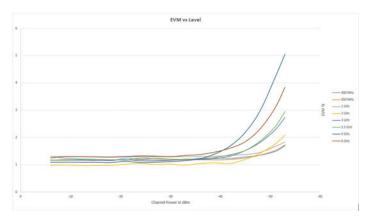
Measurements and displayssupported

Channel Power (CHP), Adjacent Channel Power (ACP), Power Vs Time (PVT)1, Modulation Accuracy (including Error Vector Magnitude (EVM), Frequency Error, IQ Error), EVM vs. Symbol, Occupied Bandwidth (OBW), Spectral Emission Mask (SEM), Constellation Diagram, and summary table with scalar results.

EVM (typical)

20 MHz 1CC, 256QAM UL, 30 kHz subcarrier spacing							
400 MHz	650 MHz	1 GHz	2 GHz	3 GHz	3.5 GHz	5 GHz	6 GHz
1.15%	1.15%	1.28%	0.97%	1.13%	1.16%	1.08%	1.25%

<-37.4dB rms EVM from 400MHz to 6GHz for 20MHz CC1, 256QAM, -6dBm to -33dBm channel power, within -1dB of full scale.



ACLR (typical)

<-48dBc for <6GHz for 20MHz CC1, 256QAM, -6dBm to -27dBm channel power, within -1dB of full scale.

EMC pre-compliance and troubleshooting (EMCVUxx-SVPC)

Standards EN55011, EN55012, EN55013, EN55014, EN55015, EN55025, EN55032, EN60601, DEF STAN, FCC Part 15, FCC Part 18,

MIL-STD 461G

Features EMC-EMI display, Wizard to setup accessories and limit lines, Inspect, Harmonic Markers, Level Target, Compare Traces,

Measure Ambient, Report generation, Re-measure Spot

Detectors +Peak, Avg, Avg (of logs), Avg (VRMS), CISPR QuasiPeak, CISPR Peak, CISPR Average, CISPR Average of Logs, MIL

+Peak, DEF STAN Avg, DEF STAN Peak

Limit lines Up to 3 Limit Lines with corresponding margins

Resolution BWSet per standard or user definableDwell timeSet per standard or user definable

Report format PDF, HTML, MHT,RTF, XLSX, Image File format

Accessory type Antenna, Near Field Probe, Cable, Amplifier, Limiter, Attenuator, Filter, Other

Correction format Gain/Loss Constant, Gain/loss table, Antenna Factor

Traces Save/recall up to 5 traces, Math trace (trace1 minus trace2), Ambient trace

Mapping (MAPxx-SVPC)

Supported map types Pitney Bowes MapInfo (*.mif), Bitmap (*.bmp), Open Street Maps (.osm)

Saved measurement results Measurement data files (exported results)

Map file used for the measurements

sed for the Google Earth KMZ file

Recallable results files (trace

and setup files)

MapInfo-compatible MIF/MID files

Playback of recorded signals (SV56)

Playback file type R3F recorded by RSA306, RSA500, or RSA600

Recorded file bandwidth 40 MHz

File playback controls General: Play, stop, exit playback

Location: Begin/end points of playback settable from 0-100% Skip: Defined skip size from 73 μ s up to 99% of file size Live rate: Plays back at 1:1 rate to recording time Loop control: Play once, or loop continuously

Memory requirement Recording of signals requires storage with write rates of 300 MB/sec. Playback of recorded files at live rates requires storage

with read rates of 300 MB/sec.

Inputs, outputs, inferfaces, power consumption

RF input Type N, female (RSA306B)

SMA, female (RSA306B-SMA)

External frequency reference input SMA, female

Trigger/sync input SMA, female

Status indicator LED, dual color red/green

USB device port USB 3.0 - Micro-B, can mate with locking thumbscrews

Power consumption

Per USB 3.0 SuperSpeed requirements: 5.0 V, ≤ 900 mA (nominal)

Physical characteristics

Dimensions

Dimensions	RSA306B	RSA306B-SMA (NO SHELL)	RSA306B-SMA (With SHELL)
Height	31.9 mm (1.25 in)	23.37 mm (0.92 in)	31.9 mm (1.25 in)
Width	190.5 mm (7.5 in)	176.5 mm (6.95 in)	178.56 mm (7.03 in)
Depth	139.7 mm (5.5 in)	120.9 mm (4.76 in)	140.97 mm (5.55 in)

Weight RSA306B: 750 g (1.65 lbs)

RSA306B-SMA (with SHELL): 701.5 g (1.55 lbs) RSA306B-SMA (NO SHELL): 571.5 g (1.26 lbs)

Regulatory

Regional certifications Europe: EN61326

Australia/New Zealand: AS/NZS 2064

EMC emissions EN61000-3-2, EN61000-3-3, EN61326-2-1

EMC immunity EN61326–1/2, IEC61000-4-2/3/4/5/6/8/11

Environmental performance

Temperature

Operating $-10 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ to } +55 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ (+14 } ^{\circ}\text{F to } +131 \, ^{\circ}\text{F)}$ **Nonoperating** $-51 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ to } +71 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ (-60 } ^{\circ}\text{F to } +160 \, ^{\circ}\text{F)}$

Humidity (operating) 5% to 75% ±5% relative humidity (RH) from +30 °C to +40 °C (+86 °F to 104 °F)

5% to 45% RH above +40 °C to +55 °C (+86 °F to +131 °F)

Altitude

Operating Up to 9,144 meters (30,000 feet)

Nonoperating 15,240 meters (50,000 feet)

Dynamics³

Mechanical shock, operating

Random vibration, nonoperating

Half-sine mechanical shocks, 30 g peak amplitude, 11 µs duration, three drops in each direction of each axis (18 total)

0.030 g²/Hz, 10-500 Hz, 30 minutes per axis, three axes (90 minutes total)

³ Not guaranteed when plastic case is removed (e.g. RSA306B-SMA NO SHELL)

Handling and transit³

Bench handling, operating Transit drop, nonoperating Per MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 operating: Rotational-edge-drops of appropriate edges on appropriate sides of the equipment Per MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2 nonoperating: Transit drops onto six faces and four corners of the equipment, from a height of 30 cm (11.8 in.) for a total of 10 impacts

Ordering information Models

RSA306B RSA306B-SMA (SHELL) RSA306B-SMA (NO SHELL) USB real time spectrum analyzer, 9 kHz - 6.2 GHz, 40 MHz acquisition bandwidth. The RSA306B requires a PC with Windows 7, Windows 8/8.1, or Windows 10, 64-bit operating system. A USB 3.0 connection is required for operation of the RSA306B. 8 GB RAM and 20 GB free drive space is required for installation of SignalVu-PC. For full performance of the real time features of the RSA306B, an Intel Core i7 4th generation processor is required. Processors of lower performance can be used, with reduced real-time performance. Storage of streaming data requires that the PC be equipped with a drive capable of streaming storage rates of 300 MB/sec.

SignalVu-PC application-specific licenses

SignalVu-PC-SVE requires the Microsoft Windows 7, 8/8.1, or 10, 64-bit operating system. The base software is free, included with the instrument, and is also available to download from www.tektronix.com/downloads.

A variety of optional, licensed applications are available for purchase for SignalVu-PC. These licenses can be associated with and stored on either your PC or any RSA300 series, RSA500 series, RSA600 series, and RSA7100A spectrum analyzers. Licenses can be purchased as an option to your hardware, or separately as a Node-locked or a Floating license.

Contact your local Tektronix Account Manager to purchase a license. If your purchased license is not ordered as an option to your instrument, you will receive an email with a list of the applications purchased and the URL to the Tektronix Product License Web page, where you will create an account and can then manage your licenses using the Tektronix Asset Management System (AMS): www.tek.com/products/product-license.

AMS provides an inventory of the license(s) in your account. It enables you to check out or check in a license and view the history of licenses.

Optional applications are enabled by one of the following license types:

License type	Description
Node locked license (NL) purchased as an option to your instrument	This license is initially assigned to a specific host id, which can be either a PC or an instrument. It can be reassociated to either a PC or another spectrum analyzer two times using Tek AMS.
	When associated with an instrument, this license is factory-installed on that instrument at the time of manufacture. It will be recognized by any PC operating with SignalVu-PC when the instrument is connected. However, the licensed application is deactivated from the PC if the licensed instrument is disconnected.
	This is the most common form of licensing, as it simplifies management of your applications.
Node locked license (NL) purchased separately	This license is initially assigned to a specific host id, which can be either a PC or an instrument. It can be reassociated to either a PC or another spectrum analyzer two times using Tek AMS.
	This license is delivered via email and is associated with either your PC or with an instrument when you install the license.
	This license should be purchased when you want your license to stay on your PC, or if you have an existing USB instrument on which you would like to install a license.
Floating license (FL) purchased separately	This license can be moved between different host ids, which can be either PCs or instruments. It can be reassociated to either a PC or another spectrum analyzer two times using Tek AMS.
	This license is delivered via email and is associated with either your PC or with an instrument when you install the license.
	This is the most flexible license and is recommended in applications where the license needs to be moved frequently.

The following SignalVu-PC application licenses are available and add functionality and value to your measurement solution.

New application license	License type	Description	
SVANL-SVPC	Node-locked	AM/FM/PM/Direct Audio analysis	
SVAFL-SVPC	Floating		
SVTNL-SVPC	Node-locked	Settling Time (frequency and phase) measurements	
SVTFL-SVPC	Floating		
SVMNL-SVPC	Node-locked	General Purpose Modulation analysis to work with analyzer of acquisition	
SVMFL-SVPC	Floating	bandwidth ≤40 MHz, 5/6 Series B MSO, or MDO4000B/C	
SVPNL-SVPC	Node-locked	Pulse Analysis to work with analyzer of acquisition bandwidth ≤40 MHz, 5/6	
SVPFL-SVPC	Floating	Series B MSO, or MDO4000B/C	
SVONL-SVPC	Node-locked	Flexible OFDM analysis	
SVOFL-SVPC	Floating		
SV23NL-SVPC	Node-locked	WLAN 802.11a/b/g/j/p measurement to work with analyzer	
SV23FL-SVPC	Floating		
SV24NL-SVPC	Node-locked	WLAN 802.11n measurement (requires SV23)	
SV24FL-SVPC	Floating		
SV25NL-SVPC	Node-locked	WLAN 802.11ac measurements to work with analyzer of acquisition	
SV25FL-SVPC	Floating	bandwidth ≤40 MHz, 5/6 Series B MSO, or MDO4000B/C (requires SV23 and SV24)	
SV26NL-SVPC	Node-locked	APCO P25 measurement	
SV26FL-SVPC	Floating		
SV27NL-SVPC	Node-locked	Bluetooth® measurement to work with analyzer of acquisition bandwidth ≤4	
SV27FL-SVPC	Floating	MHz	
SV31NL-SVPC	Node-locked	Bluetooth® 5 measurements (requires SV27)	
SV31FL-SVPC	Floating		
MAPNL-SVPC	Node-locked	Mapping	
MAPFL-SVPC	Floating		
SV54NL-SVPC	Node-locked	Signal survey and classification	
SV54FL-SVPC	Floating		
SV56NL-SVPC	Node-locked	Playback of recorded files	
SV56FL-SVPC	Floating		
SV60NL-SVPC	Node-locked	Return loss, VSWR, cable loss, and distance to fault (requires option 04 on	
SV60FL-SVPC	Floating	RSA500A/600A)	
CONNL-SVPC	Node-locked	Live connection and base SignalVu-PC VSA measurements using the 5 or 6	
CONFL-SVPC	Floating	Series MSO oscilloscope (with opt. SV-RFVT).	
SV2CNL-SVPC	Node-locked	WLAN 802.11a/b/g/j/p/n/ac and Connect to 5/6 Series B MSO (with opt.	
SV2CFL-SVPC	Floating	SV-RFVT) or work with analyzer of acquisition bandwidth ≤40 MHz	
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New application license	License type	Description
SV28NL-SVPC	Node-locked	LTE Downlink RF measurement to work with analyzer of acquisition
SV28FL-SVPC	Floating	bandwidth ≤40 MHz
5GNRNL-SVPC	Node-locked	5G NR Uplink/Downlink RF Power, Bandwidth, Demodulation, and Error Vector Magnitude Measurements ⁴
SVQPNL-SVPC	Node-locked	EMI CISPR detectors
SVQPFL-SVPC	Floating	
EMCVUNL-SVPC	Node-locked	EMC pre-compliance and troubleshooting (includes EMI CISPR detectors)
EMCVUFL-SVPC	Floating	
EDUFL-SVPC	Floating	Education-only version with all SignalVu-PC modules except 5GNR

Tablet

The Panasonic FZ-G1 Toughbook tablet controller is recommended for use with the RSA306B for portable field applications. The Windows 10 version of the tablet is available for purchase from Panasonic at <a href="https://na.panasonic.com/us/computers-tablets-handhelds/tablets/tab

Standard accessories

174-6796-xx USB 3.0 locking cable (1 M)

063-4543-xxSignalVu-PC software, documentation, USB key071-3323-xxPrinted safety/installation manual (English)

Warranties

RSA306B 3 years
RSA306B-SMA (SHELL) 3 years
RSA306B-SMA (NO SHELL) 3 years

⁴ The 5GNR license is available as a standalone item, not as an option to your hardware, therefore it is considered a post-purchase upgrade and not installed at the time of purchase of the instrument.

Service options for RSA306B and RSA306B-SMA

Opt. C3	Calibration Service 3 Years
Opt. C5	Calibration Service 5 Years
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. R3	Repair Service 3 Years (including warranty)
Opt. R5	Repair Service 5 Years (including warranty)

RSA306B-SMA hardware options

NO SHELL	RSA306B-SMA sold without the black plastic outer shell
SHELL	RSA306B-SMA sold with the black plastic outer shell
MKIT	Mounting kit for mounting the RSA306B-SMA (NO SHELL option only). Available to customers in US and Canada only. Includes 6 qty standoffs, M-F, .312 HEX. 4-40 threading and medium thread locker.

Recommended accessories

Cables		
174-6949-00	USB 3.0 locking cable, 0.5 m (half-length compared to USB cable shipped with the unit)	
012-1738-00	Cable,50 Ohm, 40 Inch,Type-N(m) to Type-N(M)	
012-0482-00	Cable, 50 Ω , BNC (m) 3 foot (91 cm)	
Adapters		
103-0045-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type BNC(f)	
013-0410-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N (f) to Type-N (f)	
013-0411-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N (m) to Type-N (f)	
013-0412-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm, Type-N(m) to Type-N(m)	
013-0402-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N (m) to Type-N 7/16(m)	
013-0404-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-7/16 (f)	
013-0403-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type DIN 9.5(m)	
013-0405-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-DIN 9.5(f)	
013-0406-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-SMA(f)	
013-0407-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-SMA(m)	
013-0408-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-TNC(f)	
013-0409-00	Adapter, Coaxial, 50 Ohm Type-N(m) to Type-TNC(m)	

Attenuators and 50/75 Ω pads

013-0422-00	Pad, 50/75 Ohm, Minimum Loss, Type-N(m) 50 Ohm to Type-BNC(f) 75 Ohm
013-0413-00	Pad, 50/75 Ohm, Minimum Loss, Type-N(m) 50 Ohm to Type-BNC(m) 75 Ohm
013-0415-00	Pad, 50/75 Ohm, Minimum Loss, Type-N(m) 50 Ohm to Type-F(m) 75 Ohm
015-0787-00	Pad, 50/75 Ohm, Minimum Loss, Type-N(m) 50 Ohm to Type-F(f) 75 Ohm
015-0788-00 011-0222-00	Pad, 50/75 Ohm, Minimum Loss, Type-N(m) 50 Ohm to Type-N(f) 75 Ohm
	Attenuator, Fixed, 10 dB, 2 W, DC-8 GHz, Type-N(f) to Type-N(f)
011-0223-00	Attenuator, Fixed, 10 dB, 2 W, DC-8 GHz, Type-N(m) to Type-N(f)
011-0224-00	Attenuator, Fixed, 3 dB, 2 W, DC-8 GHz, Type-N(m) to Type-N(m)
011-0228-00	Attenuator, Fixed, 3 dB, 2 W, DC-18 GHz, Type-N(m) to Type-N(f)
011-0225-00	Attenuator, Fixed, 40 dB, 100 W, DC-3 GHz, Type-N(m) to Type-N(f)
011-0226-00	Attenuator, Fixed, 40 dB, 50 W, DC-8.5 GHz, Type-N(m) to Type-N(f)
Antennas	
119-6609-00	Flexible whip antenna, BNC-Male connector, PVC-coated, approximately 8 inches length. Center of sensitivity approximately 136 MHz, passband 5-1080 MHz
DF-A0047 ⁵	Directional Antenna, 20-8500 MHz, with electronic compass and preamp, available from www.alarisantennas.com
DF-A0047-01 ⁵	Frequency range extension for DF-A0047 directional antenna, 9 kHz-20 MHz, available only from www.alarisantennas.com
DF-A0047-C1 ⁵	Includes DF-A0047 antenna and DF-A0047-01 extension, available only from www.alarisantennas.com
016-2107-00 ⁵	Transit case for DF-A0047 and DF-A0047-01, comes standard with purchase of DF-A0047, separately available only from www.alarisantennas.com
119-6594-00	Yagi Antenna, 825-896 MHz, Forward Gain (over half-wave dipole): 10 dB
119-6595-00	Yagi Antenna, 895-960 MHz, Forward Gain (over half-wave dipole): 10 dB
119-6596-00	Yagi Antenna, 1710-1880 MHz, Forward Gain (over half-wave dipole): 10.2 dB
119-6597-00	Yagi Antenna, 1850-1990 MHz, Forward Gain (over half-wave dipole): 9.3 dB
119-6970-00	Magnetic mount antenna, 824 MHz to 2170 MHz (requires adapter 103-0449-00)
EMC accessories	
EMI-NF-PROBE	Near Field Probe set (Tekbox TBPS01)
Filters, probes, demonstration board	
119-7246-00	Pre-filter, general purpose, 824 MHz to 2500 MHz, Type-N (f) connector
119-7426-00	Pre-filter, general purpose, 2400 MHz to 6200 MHz, Type-N (f) connector
119-4146-00	EMCO E/H-field probes. N-BNC adapter (103-0045-00) and 3 foot BNC cable (012-0482-00) recommended for
	use with probe kit
E/H field probes, lower cost	Available from Beehive www. http://beehive-electronics.com/
alternative	(N-BNC adapter (103-0045-00) and 3 foot BNC cable (012-0482-00) recommended for use with probe kit)

 $^{^{\,\,5}\,\,}$ Not available in China, Japan, New Zealand, Australia, Korea, Russia, Belarus, Kazakhstan

011-0227-00

Bias-T, type N(m) RF, type N(f) RF+DC, BNC(f) Bias, 1 W, 0.5 A, 2.5 MHz-6 GHz

Certifications



Tektronix is ISO 14001:2015 and ISO 9001:2015 certified by DEKRA.



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