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MS2721A High Performance Handheld Spectrum Analyzer



The Anritsu MS2721A is the most advanced ultra-portable spectrum analyzer on the market, featuring unparalleled performance at a modest price.

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Spectrum Master 🆤

Introduction

Continuous frequency coverage from 100 kHz to 7.1 GHz gives the wireless professional the performance needed for the most demanding measurements in harsh RF and physical environments.

Whether your need is for spectrum monitoring, WiFi and WiFi5 installation and testing, RF and microwave signal measurements or cellular signal measurements, the MS2721A Spectrum Master gives you the tool you need to make the job easier and be more productive.

High Performance Highlights

- 100 kHz to 7.1 GHz input
- 10 Hz to 3 MHz RBW range
- Very low phase noise (-100 dBc/Hz maximum at 10 kHz offset at 7.1 GHz)
- Built-in preamplifier
- 65 dB step attenuator
- Input protected to 20 watts
- True RMS detection
- Built-in AM/FM/SSB demodulator
- 3+ hours of battery life
- 2.9 kg (<6.4 lbs)

Features and Options

Functions

Multiple Marker: Display up to six markers on screen. Each marker includes a delta marker, effectively allowing up to 12 markers on screen.

Marker Table: Display a table of up to six marker frequency and amplitude values plus delta marker frequency offset and amplitude.

Upper/Lower Limit

Fixed and segmented: Each upper and lower limit can be made up of between one and 40 segments.

Smart Measurements

Occupied Bandwidth: Measures 99.99% to 1% power channel of a spectrum.

Channel Power: Measures the total power in a specified bandwidth.

C/I: Measures carrier to interference ratio.

ACPR: Measures power levels in the channels immediately above and below the center channel.

Field Strength: Uses antenna calibration tables to measure dBm/meter.

Specifications

Frequency

Frequency Range: 100 kHz to 7.1 GHz (useable down to 9 KHz)

Tuning Resolution: 1 Hz

Frequency Reference:

Aging: ±1 ppm/yr.

Accuracy: ±1 ppm (25C ± 25C) + long term drift Frequency Span: 10 Hz to 7.1 GHz plus 0 Hz (zero span) Span Accuracy: Same as frequency reference accuracy Sweep Time: Minimum 100 ms, 50 µs in zero span Sweep Time Accuracy: ±2% in zero span Sweep Trigger: Free run, Single, Video, External Resolution Bandwidth: (-3 dB width) 10 Hz to 3 MHz in 1-3 sequence ± 10%, 8 MHz demodulation bandwidth Video Bandwidth: (-3 dB) 1 Hz to 3 MHz in 1-3 sequence SSB Phase Noise: -100 dBc/Hz max at 10, 20 and 30 kHz offset from carrier. -102 dBc/Hz max at 100 kHz offset from carrier.

Amplitude

Measurement Range: DANL to +30 dBm

Display Range: 1 to 15 dB/div in 1dB steps. Ten divisions displayed.

Amplitude Units:

Log Scale Modes: dBm, dBV, dBmv, dBµV,

Linear Scale Modes: nV, μ V, mV, V, kV, nW, μ W, mW, W, kW

Attenuator Range: 0 to 65 dB

Attenuator Resolution: 5 dB steps

Absolute Amplitude Accuracy:

Power levels ≥–50 dBm, ≤35 dB input attenuation 100 kHz to ≤10 MHz ±1.5 dB >10 MHz to 4 GHz ±1.25 dB >4 to 7.1 GHz ±1.75 dB

> 40 to 55 dB input attenuation 100 kHz to \leq 10 MHz ±1.5 dB >10 MHz to 4 GHz ±1.75 dB >4 to 6.5 GHz ±1.75 dB >6.5 to 7.1 GHz ±2 dB

60 to 65 dB input attenuation 100 kHz to ≤10 MHz ±1.5 dB >10 MHz to 6.5 GHz ±1.75 dB >6.5 to 7.1 GHz ±3 dB

Preamplifier on, 0 or 10 dB input attenuation 100 kHz to 4 GHz \pm 1.5 dB >4 to 7.1 GHz \pm 1.75 dB

Second Harmonic Distortion

(0 dB input attenuation, -30 dBm input): 0.05 to 0.75 GHz, -50 dBc >0.75 to 1.05 GHz, -40 dBc >1.05 to 1.4 GHz, -50 dBc >1.4 to 2 GHz, -70 dBc

>2 GHz, -80 dBc

Third Order Intercept (TOI) (preamplifier off)

-20 dBm tones 100 kHz apart

–20 dBm Ref level

0 dB attenuation

Frequency	Typical
50 MHz to 300 MHz	>8 dBm
>300 MHz to 2.2 GHz	>10 dBm
>2.2 to 2.8 GHz	>15 dBm
>2.8 to 4.0 GHz	>10 dBm
>4.0 to 7.1 GHz	>13 dBm

0 dB attenuation, –20 dBm reference level, –20 dBm tones, spaced 100 kHz

Displayed	Average	Noise	Level:	DANL	in	10 Hz	RBW
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Frequency	Preamplifier On		Preampli	fier Off
	Typical	Max	Typical	Max
10 MHz to 1 GHz	-153	-151	-130	-127
>1 GHz to 2.2 GHz	-150	-149	-126	-123
>2.2 to 2.8 GHz	-146	-143	-120	-116
>2.8 to 4.0 GHz	-150	-149	-129	-126
>4.0 to 7.1 GHz	-148	-144	-121	-117

Test conditions: Input attenuation: 0 dB, RMS detection, Reference level = -20 dBm for preamplifier off and -50 dBm for preamplifier on.

Note: Discrete spurious signals are not included in the measurement of DANL as they are covered by the residual spurious specification.

Noise Figure (derived from DANL measurement) 0 dB attenuation, 23°C: Preamplifier On

Frequency	Typical
10 MHz to 1 GHz	11 dB
>1 GHz to 2.2 GHz	14 dB
>2.2 to 2.8 GHz	18 dB
>2.8 to 4.0 GHz	14 dB
>4.0 to 7.1 GHz	16 dB

Input-Related Spurious: -60 dBc max*, (<-70 dBc typical), -30 dBm input, 0 dB RF attenuation

*Exceptions:

Input Frequency	Spur Level
1674 MHz	–46 dBc max (–56 dBc typical),
	0 to 2800 MHz
>1674 to 1774 MHz	–50 dBc max (–60 dBc typical) at (F _{input} –1674 MHz)

Residual Spurious, preamplifier off: (RF input terminated, 0 dB RF attenuation)

-90 dBm max**, 100 kHz to <3200 MHz -84 dBm max**, 3200 to 7100 MHz

**Exceptions: Frequency

Frequency Spur Level

250, 300, and 350 MHz	-85 dBm max
~4010 MHz	-80 dBm max (-90 dBm typical)
~5084 MHz	-70 dBm max (-83 dBm typical)
~5894 MHz	-75 dBm max (-87 dBm typical)
~7028 MHz	-80 dBm max (-92 dBm typical)

Residual Spurious, preamplifier on: -100 dBm max (RF input terminated, 0 dB RF attenuation)

General

RF Input VSWR: 2.0:1 maximum, 1.5:1 typical (≥10 dB attenuation)

Maximum Continuous Input: (≥10 dB attenuation), +30 dBm

Input Damage Level*:

≥10 dB attenuation, >+43 dBm, ±50 Vdc

- <10 dB attenuation, >+23 dBm, ±50 Vdc
- * Input protection relay opens at >30 dBm with ≥10 dB input attenuation and at approximately 10 to 23 dBm with <10 dB attenuation.

ESD Damage Level: ≥10 dB attenuation, >10 kV

External Reference Frequencies: 1, 1.2288, 1.544, 2.4576, 4.8, 4.9152, 5, 9.8304, 10, 13 and 19.6608 MHz at -10 to +10 dBm

Display

Bright daylight-viewable color transmissive LCD: Full SVGA, 8"

Languages

Built-in English, Spanish, Italian, French, German, Japanese, Korean, and Chinese. The instrument also has the capability to have customized languages and soft key definitions installed from Master Software Tools.

Marker Modes

6 Markers, 7 Modes: Normal, Delta, Marker to Peak, Marker to Center, Marker to Reference Level, Next Peak Left, Next Peak Right, All Markers Off, Noise Marker, Frequency Counter Marker (1 Hz resolution).

Sweeps

Full span, Zero span, Span Up/Span Down

Detection

Peak, Negative, Sample, RMS

Memory

Trace and Setup storage is limited only by the capacity of the installed Compact Flash card. For a 64 MB card, storage is greater than 1000 traces and 1000 setups.

Traces

Displayed Traces: Three Traces with trace overlay. One trace is always the live data; two traces can be either stored data or traces which have been mathematically manipulated.

Interfaces

Type N female RF connector BNC female connectors for ext. reference and ext. trigger 5-pin Mini-B USB 2.0 for data transfer to a PC RJ45 connector for Ethernet 10/100 Base T 2.5 mm 3-wire headset connector

Size & Weight

Size: 313 x 211 x 77 mm (12 x 8 x 3 in.) **Weight:** 2.9 kg (<6.4 lbs.) typical

Environmental

MIL-PRF-28800F class 2

Operating: -10 C to 55 C, humidity 85% or less

Storage: -51C to 71C Altitude: 4600 meters, operating and non-operating

Safety

Conforms to EN 61010-1 for Class 1 portable equipment

Electromagnetic Compatibility

Meets European Community requirements for CE marking.

Ordering Information

Model		510-90	Adapter, 7/16 DIN (f) to N(m),	
MS2721A Handheld Spectrum Analyzer 100 kHz to 7.1 GHz		510-91	Adapter, 7/16 DIN (f)-N(f),	
Standard Acc	essories Include:	510-92	Adapter, 7/16 DIN(m)–N(m),	
10580-00103	User's Guide	510-93	Adapter 7/16 DIN(m)-N(f)	
61382	Soft Carrying Case	010 00	DC to 7.5 GHz, 50Ω	
40-168	AC – DC Adapter	510-96	Adapter 7/16 DIN (m) to 7/16 DIN(m),	
806-62	Automotive Cigarette Lighter/12 Volt		DC to 7.5 GHz, 50Ω	
0000 400	DC Adapter	1030-86	Band Pass Filter, 800 MHz band,	
2300-498	CD ROM containing Master		806-869 MHz, Loss = 1.7 dB, N(m)-SMA(f)	
	Software Tools	1030-87	Band Pass Filter, 900 MHz band,	
2000-1360	USB A-mini B cable	1020 00	902-900 MHz, LOSS = 1.7 dB, N(III)-SIVIA(I) Bond Doop Filter 1000 MHz bond	
2000-1371	Ethernet Cable	1030-00	1.85-1.99 GHz + 0.08 s = 1.8 dB N(m)-SMA(f)	
633-44	Rechargeable battery, Li-Ion	1030-89	Band Pass Filter 2400 MHz band	
2000-1358	64 MB Compact Flash		2.4-2.5 GHz, Loss = 1.9 dB, N(m)-SMA(f)	
1091-27	Type-N male to SMA female adapter	510-97	Adapter 7/16 DIN(f) to 7/16 DIN(f), 7.5 GHz	
1091-172	Type-N male to BNC female adapter	61382	Spare soft carrying case	
	One Year Warranty	64343	Tilt Bale Stand Accessory	
64343	Tilt Bale Stand Accessory	40-168	Spare AC/DC adapter	
Optional Acce	essories:	806-62	Spare automotive cigarette lighter/12 Volt DC adapter	
42N50A-30	30 dB, 50 watt, Bi-directional, DC to 18 GHz, N(m) to N(f) Attenuator	760-235	Transit case for Anritsu MS2721A Handheld Spectrum Analyzer	
34NN50A	Precision Adapter, DC to 18 GHz,	2300-498	Anritsu Master Software Tools	
	50Ω, N(m) to N(m)	10580-00103	Anritsu HHSA User's Guide,	
34NFNF50C	Precision Adapter, DC to 18 GHz,		Model MS2721A (spare)	
	50Ω , N(f) to N(f)	10580-00104	Anritsu HHSA Programming Manual,	
15NNF50-1.5B	Test port cable, armored, 1.5 meter		Model MS2721A	
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1500-1.50	N(m) to N(m), 6 GHz	662 11	Niodel NiSz721A	
15NN50-3.0C	Test port cable armored, 3.0 meter.	2000 1274	Rettony charger Li Ion with	
	N(m) to $N(m)$, 6 GHz	2000-1374	universal power supply	
15NN50-5.0C	Test port cable armored, 5.0 meter, N(m) to N(m), 6 GHz	2000-1030	Portable antenna, 50Ω, SMA(m) 1.71-1.88 GHz	
15NNF50-1.5C	Test port cable armored, 1.5 meter, N(m) to N(f), 6 GHz	2000-1031	Portable antenna, 50Ω, SMA(m) 1.85-1.99 GHz	
15NNF50-3.0C	Test port cable armored, 3.0 meter, N(m) to N(f), 6 GHz	2000-1032	Portable antenna, 50Ω, SMA(m) 2.4-2.5 GHz	
15NNF50-5.0C	Test port cable armored, 5.0 meter, N(m) to N(f), 6 GHz	2000-1035	Portable antenna, 50Ω, SMA(m) 896-941 MHz	
15ND50-1.5C	Test port cable armored, 1.5 meter, N(m) to 7/16 DIN(m), 6.0 GHz	2000-1200	Portable antenna, 50Ω, SMA(m) 806-869 MHz	
15NDF50-1.5C	Test port cable armored, 1.5 meter, N(m) to 7/16 DIN(f), 6.0 GHz	2000-1361	Portable Antenna, 50Ω SMA(m) 5725-5825 MHz	
		2000-1358	64 MB Compact Flash Memory Module	

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