# R&S®ESSENTIALS R&S®FPL1000 SIGNAL AND SPECTRUM ANALYZER

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# **AT A GLANCE**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 signal and spectrum analyzer makes measuring fast and simple. The intuitive touchscreen is straightforward and easy to use. With solid RF performance, light weight and small footprint, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 combines the functions of a benchtop instrument with the portability of a handheld instrument.

In an RF lab, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is as indispensable as an oscilloscope or multimeter. It is a single measuring instrument for a variety of measurement tasks. It supports not only spectrum analysis, but also highly accurate power measurement with power sensors and analysis of analog and digitally modulated signals.

The R&S®FPL1000 is the only instrument in its class that features an internal generator up to 7.5 GHz (R&S®FPL1-B9 option) and can analyze signals with a bandwidth of 40 MHz (R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B40 option, for frequencies above 6 GHz the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B11 option is required).

The solid RF performance makes the R&S®FPL1000 the ideal instrument for labs, test houses, production and service. The 1 dB attenuator step size (R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B25 option) allows measurements at the instrument's maximum dynamic range. The preamplifier (R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B22 option) extends the sensitivity level. Thanks to its high sensitivity and low phase noise performance, even small interfering signals next to the carrier can be analyzed.

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is as intuitive as a smartphone. Simple swiping gestures adjust the center frequency or the reference level. Two-finger gestures change the span or the displayed power level, while the 10.1" screen with 1280 × 800 pixel resolution provides a clear image of the signal. The user can freely arrange the layout of the measurement results on the display. In the MultiView display mode, different measurement modes can be combined and all the results displayed on one screen.

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 has a depth of only one hand length. It fits into any workplace and leaves enough space for DUTs and other measurement instruments.

Its light weight and battery operation let you take the instrument anywhere for measurements. The optional battery pack provides three hours of operation and the rich set of accessories make the R&S®FPL1000 suitable for field measurements. A protective hard cover is available for transport and a padded carrying bag that allows the instrument to be operated in it. A shoulder harness simplifies portable operation.



### **Key facts**

- ▶ Frequency range: 5 kHz to 26.5 GHz
- SSB phase noise: −108 dBc (1 Hz) at 10 kHz offset to the 1 GHz carrier
- DANL with preamplifier: –160 dBm from 10 MHz to 2 GHz
- ► Lightweight with small footprint
- Battery pack and 12 V/24 V power supply (option)
- ▶ Use with power sensors (option)
- YIG preselector bypass for full 40 MHz bandwidth analysis over 6 GHz (option)
- ▶ 40 MHz analysis bandwidth (option)
- Analog and digital signal analysis (option)
- ▶ Internal generator up to 7.5 GHz (option)
- Gated sweep, narrowband resolution filters and spectrogram measurements as standard

# BENEFITS

### One instrument for multiple applications

- Spectrum analysis
- ► Scalar frequency response measurement
- Signal analysis of analog and digitally modulated signals
- Power measurements with power sensors
- ► Noise figure and gain measurements
- Phase noise measurements
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### Solid RF performance

- Low spurious response
- Low displayed average noise level (DANL)
- ► 40 MHz signal analysis bandwidth
- ► Low level measurement uncertainty
- Precise spectral measurements due to low phase noise
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#### Intuitive user interface

- ► High-resolution display
- Multipoint touchscreen
- Flexible arrangement of results and MultiView
- ► Toolbar
- Quiet operation
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#### **Fully portable**

- Battery pack and 12 V/24 V power supply (option)
- Carrying bag and shoulder harness
- Low power consumption
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# ONE INSTRUMENT FOR MULTIPLE APPLICATIONS

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is a single instrument for many types of measurements. You can use it for spectral measurements, for highly accurate power measurements with power sensors and for analyzing analog and digitally modulated signals.

### **Spectrum analysis**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is a true allrounder, even in its basic configuration for spectral measurements that includes:

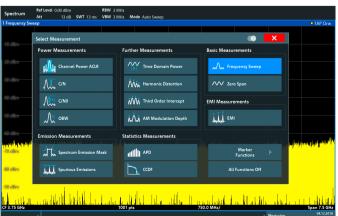
- Spectrum analysis
- Wide range of spectral measurement functions, such as channel power, ACLR, signal-to-noise ratio, spurious, harmonic distortions, third-order intercept point, AM modulation depth
- ► Statistical ADP and CCDF analysis
- Versatile marker functions

### Signal analysis of analog and digitally modulated signals

Suitable measurement applications are available for analyzing analog and digitally modulated signals. The R&S®FPL1-K7 option turns the R&S®FPL1000 into an analog modulation analyzer for amplitude, frequency and phase modulated signals. The base unit's I/Q analyzer supports the magnitude and phase presentation of I and Q within the analysis bandwidth. The I/Q data can be exported for further analysis with third-party software. The R&S®FPL1-K70 vector signal analysis option also analyzes digitally modulated single-carrier signals. The R&S®FPL1-K70M and R&S®FPL1-K70P options are extensions of the R&S®FPL1-K70 option for multi-modulation analysis and measurement of BER on PRBS data.

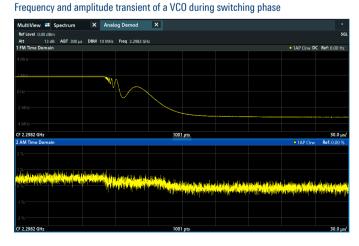
Other features that typically require costly options are included in the base unit, e.g.:

- Spectrogram measurements to display the spectrum versus time
- ► Trace zoom function
- ► Gated sweep for accurate display of pulsed signals
- Narrowband resolution bandwidth down to 1 Hz



### The R&S®FPL1000 base unit supports various advanced spectrum measurement

### modes as standard



#### Scalar frequency response measurement

Equipped with the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B9 option, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 offers an internal CW source and a tracking generator for quick and easy measurement of frequency response, e.g. of filters and attenuators. The n-dB down marker determines the 3 dB bandwidth of a bandpass filter at the press of a button. Precision is enhanced by through, short and open normalization methods. In addition, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B9 option allows characterization of two-port devices such as power amplifiers or limiters. The internal generator here is switched to power sweep mode (–50 dBm to 0 dBm), to perform measurements on amplifiers and determine their gain and 1 dB compression point.

#### Power measurements with power sensors

For applications requiring high level accuracy, the R&S°FPL1-K9 option allows the R&S°FPL1000 to be used with R&S°NRP power sensors in a range from –67 dBm to +45 dBm and frequencies up to 110 GHz. The spectrum analyzer and the power meter modes run fully in parallel, effectively improving the measurement efficiency with a single instrument.

#### Noise figure and gain measurements

For amplifier characterization, noise figure and gain measurements can easily be performed with the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K30 option. This requires the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B5 additional interface option and an external noise source with a 28 V DC power input. Using the Y-factor method, noise figure and gain are measured independent of the instrument's own noise figure.

#### Phase noise measurements

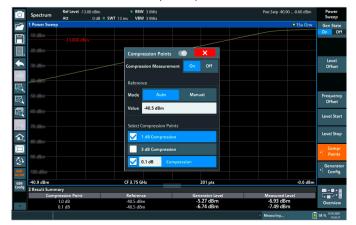
Signals that are used for data transmissions (such as communications and Wi-Fi) often use the signal phase as part of their modulation technique. Phase noise results in increased bit error rates.

For these signals, it is important to ensure good phase noise performance (e.g. for local oscillators). Phase noise measurements help characterize the quality of these signals. The R&S°FPL1-K40 phase noise measurement application offers everything needed for this.

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#### Measurement of 1 dB and 0.1 dB compression points



# **SOLID RF PERFORMANCE**

Featuring a phase noise of –108 dBc (1 Hz) at 10 kHz offset (1 GHz carrier), a third-order intercept point of +20 dBm, 1 Hz to 10 MHz resolution bandwidth and –166 dBm displayed average noise level, the R&S°FPL1000 is comparable to higher class analyzers. This makes it ideal for labs, production and servicing. The 1 dB attenuator step size (R&S°FPL1-B25 option) and the preamplifier (R&S°FPL1-B22 option) extend the usable dynamic range and sensitivity.

### Low spurious response

To distinguish spurs in the signal from those of the measuring instrument, a low spurious response is required. Within 10 MHz offset from the carrier signal, the specified spurious response of the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is –70 dB lower than the signal level. This is over 10 dB better than comparable analyzers in this class. At higher offsets, the specified value is –80 dB, which is 20 dB better than comparable analyzers. This makes the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 ideal for identifying interferers even when they are significantly below the carrier level.

### Low displayed average noise level (DANL)

Measurement of the third-order intercept point (TOI)

A low displayed average noise level (DANL) is required to detect low level signals. In addition, when you search for interferers above a certain level, a low DANL allows you to use a higher resolution bandwidth and increase measurement speed. With a typical DANL of –152 dBm, which can be improved to –166 dBm with a preamplifier, the R&S°FPL1000 can identify even small spurious emissions.

### 40 MHz signal analysis bandwidth

The signal analysis bandwidth defines the frequency range in which all level and phase information over a given time is captured. The R&S°FPL1-B40 option extends the analysis bandwidth from 12.8 MHz to 40 MHz, making the R&S°FPL1000 the only instrument in its class that can demodulate analog and digitally modulated signals with up to 40 MHz bandwidth. A YIG preselector bypass (R&S°FPL1-B11 option) can be used for frequencies over 6 GHz.

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K7 option lets you analyze the amplitude, frequency and phase of analog modulated signals. And the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 vector signal analysis option can demodulate modulated single-carrier signals and analyze them in detail.

The I/Q analyzer is the standard function for digital signal analysis. It displays the magnitude and phase parameters and the FFT spectrum. The captured I/Q data can be transferred to third-party software tools (e.g. MATLAB<sup>®</sup> or Python) for further analysis.

#### Low level measurement uncertainty

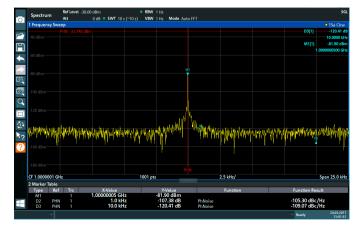
Another feature unique in this class is the low level measurement uncertainty of 0.5 dB. The high measuring accuracy of the instrument ensures precise and reliable test results, often making a separate power sensor unnecessary.

#### Precise spectral measurements due to low phase noise

The low phase noise of -108 dBc (1 Hz) at 10 kHz offset to the 1 GHz carrier has benefits for spectral measurements. It enables accurate adjacent channel power measurements of narrowband carriers. Unwanted spurs close to the carrier can be detected.

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#### Simple phase noise measurement with a marker function



# **INTUITIVE USER INTERFACE**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is as intuitive as a smartphone. You can configure the instrument and perform measurements with the touchscreen. A one-finger swipe across the screen adjusts the center frequency or the reference level. Two-finger gestures adjust the displayed span or level range.

#### **High-resolution display**

The 10.1" screen with  $1280 \times 800$  pixel resolution provides a precise representation of the signal. The soft menu keys and the information fields are arranged so that the signal appears true to detail with the highest possible resolution.

#### Innovative user interface

Within a measurement application, different measurement items can be easily added using drag and drop. The combined results can be arranged as desired on the display.

### Flexible arrangement of results and MultiView

Different measurements, such as spectrum measurements and an analog demodulation measurement, can be opened on different tabs in parallel. A simple click activates the measurement of interest, maximizing relevant windows and fading out the others. The MultiView function displays all tabs on one screen. With the sequencer, all measuring channels are measured consecutively, one after the other. The user has constantly updated results and no annoying, time-consuming parameter adjustments are necessary.

### Toolbar

Overlapping and frequently used functions – such as loading and saving configurations, screenshots, the help menu or the zoom function – can easily be accessed at any time in the toolbar menu.

Screenshot of the R&S\*FPL1000 with MultiView. The sequencer consecutively performs a spectrum measurement, an adjacent channel power measurement, a time domain measurement (zero span) and a spectrogram measurement. The results are displayed clearly and simultaneously. The toolbar on the left allows fast access to the most common menu functions. Different measurements can be activated with the tabs at the top.



# **10.1" HIGH-RESOLUTION DISPLAY**

**10.1" high-resolution display** 1280 × 800 pixel resolution



### Soft menu selection

- ► Quick access to key tools
- ► Hardware settings at a glance



# **FULLY PORTABLE**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 signal and spectrum analyzer can be used almost everywhere. With a depth of only 23 cm, it fits into any workplace and leaves enough space for DUTs and other measuring instruments. Its low weight of 6 kg and carrying handle mean you can take it wherever you need it.

#### Battery pack and 12 V/24 V power supply (option)

The optional battery pack provides three hours of operation. The operating time can be extended without interruption with additional batteries and a charger.

When the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 is used in vehicles, the optional 12 V/24 V DC power supply can conveniently tap power from the vehicle socket.

#### Carrying bag and shoulder harness

A padded carrying bag is available for protecting the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 during transport. Ventilation slits and a transparent cover allow the instrument to be operated from inside the bag. This lets you use the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 anywhere and under adverse environmental conditions.

Users who need the functions of a benchtop instrument and the flexibility of a handheld instrument can use the shoulder harness. Measurements where the instrument needs to be carried, such as interference hunting, are almost as convenient as with pure handheld instruments.



An optional carrying bag is available for transporting the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000. With the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B31 battery option, the instrument can be operated while inside the bag.

# **R&S®FPL1-K7 AM/FM/PM ANALOG DEMODULATION**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K7 option converts the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 into an analog modulation analyzer for amplitude, frequency and phase modulated signals. It measures the characteristics of useful modulation and other items such as residual FM or synchronous modulation. Typical R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K7 applications include:

- Transient and settling measurements on oscillators such as VCOs and PLLs
- ► Troubleshooting AM/FM transmitters
- Simple chirp analysis of pulsed or continuous wave signals

#### **Display and measurement capabilities**

- Modulation signal versus time
- ▶ FFT spectrum of modulation signal
- ▶ RF signal power versus time
- ► FFT spectrum of RF signal
- ▶ Table with numeric display of:
  - Deviation or modulation depth, +peak, -peak, ±peak/2 and RMS weighted
  - Modulation frequency
  - Carrier frequency offset
  - Carrier power
  - Total harmonic distortion (THD) and SINAD

Frequency settling behavior of an oscillator



Display of the modulating signal and its spectrum together with peak and RMS deviation



THD measurement on an amplitude modulated signal: the first harmonic of the modulation signal is well suppressed by 74 dB



# **R&S®FPL1-K30 NOISE FIGURE AND GAIN MEASUREMENTS**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K30 noise figure and gain measurement option <sup>1)</sup> allows you to characterize the most important amplifiers specifications. Using the Y-factor method, the noise figure and gain are measured with high accuracy independent of the instrument's own noise figure.

Typical R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K30 applications include amplifier characterization.

The following parameters can be measured at a specified frequency or in a selectable frequency range:

- ► Noise figure in dB
- ► Gain in dB
- Y-factor in dB

<sup>1)</sup> The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K30 requires the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B5 additional interfaces option and a noise source, for instance the smart noise source R&S<sup>®</sup>FS-SNS26.

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The noise source is controlled by the 28 V output on the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B5 additional interface option on the back of the instrument. With an optional R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-B22 RF preamplifier, the sensitivity of the measurement can be improved for measuring devices with a low noise figure, such as LNAs.

The advantage of the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K30 compared to conventional noise measurement systems is that a wide variety of other RF measurements can also be performed with one instrument, including measurements of harmonics, intermodulation, spurious responses.

> Simultaneous view of graphs for noise figure, gain and Y-factor versus frequency and a table of the results in numerical format

# **R&S®FPL1-K40 PHASE NOISE MEASUREMENT APPLICATION**

Phase noise is an important parameter in wireless communications systems. The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K40 option enables the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 to perform fast and easy phase noise measurements in development and production.

With the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K40 option, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 can measure single sideband phase noise across a selectable carrier offset frequency range displayed on a logarithmic axis. Based on the measured phase noise, the user can determine the residual FM/PM and jitter.

#### Phase noise measurement

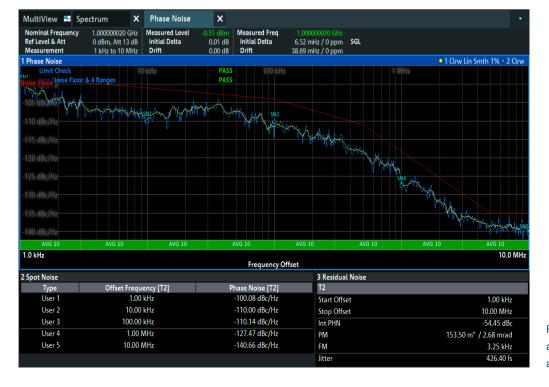
- Carrier offset frequency range selectable from 1 Hz to 1 GHz in 1/3/10 sequence (1 Hz, 3 Hz, 10 Hz, 30 Hz, etc.)
- Number of averages, sweep mode and filter bandwidth can be individually selected for every measurement subrange to optimize measurement speed
- ► Fast results for the subranges are obtained by starting the measurement at the maximum carrier offset
- Verification of carrier frequency and power prior to each measurement to prevent incorrect measurements
- Improvement of dynamic range by measuring the inherent thermal noise and correcting noise

#### Measurement of residual FM/PM and jitter

- Integration across the entire selected carrier offset frequency range or across a selectable subrange
- Tabular display of residual FM, residual PM and RMS jitter in addition to measurement trace

#### **Evaluation support**

- ► Limit lines with pass/fail indication
- Display of phase noise at up to four selectable frequency offsets
- Additional markers



Phase noise measurement plus automatic limit checking, spot noise and residual noise indication

# **R&S®FPL1-K54 EMI MEASUREMENT APPLICATION**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K54 EMI measurement application adds EMI diagnostic functions to the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 signal and spectrum analyzer. The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K54 offers EMI bandwidths for commercial and military applications, detectors including quasi-peak, CISPR-average and RMS-average, limit lines and correction factors. Up to 200001 userdefined sweep points enable higher frequency resolution regardless of large or small span and bandwidths settings.

### EMI detectors in line with CISPR 16-1-1

- Flexible application of EMI detectors such as peak, quasi-peak, CISPR-average, RMS-average and frequency sweep
- Fast, easy-to-read diagnostic measurements with high result reproducibility

### Measurement bandwidths in line with CISPR and MIL-STD

Diagnostic measurements during development deliver the correct disturbance signal amplitude thanks to 6 dB bandwidths (CISPR from 200 Hz to 1 MHz, MIL-STD from 10 Hz to 1 MHz).

#### Measurement markers for evaluating EMI

- The ability to link markers to up to six traces and an associated EMI detector provides users with a direct reference to limits
- Automatic search for disturbance maxima to reliably detect time-varying interferers
- Critical frequencies are entered in a peak list for fast evaluation of a frequency spectrum for official EMI emission limits

### **Marker demodulation**

Fast and reliable identification of AM and FM signals.

#### **EMI limit lines**

- ► Selection of limit lines that meet international standards
- Easy generation, editing and use of user-specific limit lines
- ► Fast pass/fail test using activated limit lines

#### Frequency-dependent correction value tables

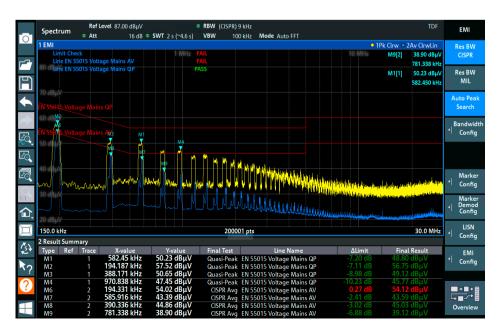
- Database with correction value tables for EMI accessories such as antennas, clamps, line impedance stabilization networks (LISN), pulse limiters, preamplifiers, cables and attenuators
- Easy generation, editing and storage of new correction tables
- Several correction tables can be combined to compensate for the entire test setup, e.g. including an antenna, a cable and a preamplifier

#### Logarithmic spectrum display

The spectrum display with logarithmic frequency axis makes it easy to analyze measurement results over a wide frequency range. Limit lines are displayed in line with standards.

#### See also

Product brochure "EMI Measurement Application for Signal and Spectrum Analyzers" (PD 3608.3949.12).



R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K54 EMI measurement application

# R&S®FPL1-K70 VECTOR SIGNAL ANALYSIS

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 analyzes and demodulates digitally modulated single-carrier signals with up to 40 MHz analysis bandwidth. Universities and research facilities benefit from the instrument's flexible proprietary signal analysis. Developers of mobile communications devices and components can easily use the predefined standard settings.

When analyzing digital modulation signals, the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 receives and digitizes the signal, which the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 option then analyzes.

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 vector signal analysis option is a powerful tool for analyzing individual digitally modulated signals down to the bit level. The clear operating concept simplifies measurements despite many analysis functions, including a digital equalizer for channel response correction, correction of common I/Q errors and the display of many measured values as a graph or in table format.

### Flexible modulation analysis from MSK to 40960AM

- Modulation formats
  - 2FSK, 4FSK, 8FSK
  - MSK, GMSK, DMSK
  - BPSK, QPSK, offset QPSK, DQPSK, 8PSK, D8PSK, π/4-DQPSK, 3π/8-8PSK, π/8-D8PSK
  - 160AM, 320AM, 640AM, 1280AM, 2560AM, 5120AM, 10240AM, 20480AM, 40960AM
  - 16 APSK (DVB-S2), 32 APSK (DVB-S2), 2 ASK, 4 ASK, π/4-16QAM (EDGE), –π/4-16QAM (EDGE)

#### Numerous standard-specific presets

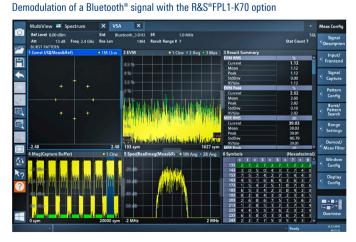
- ▶ User-definable constellations and mappings
- ► GSM, GSM/EDGE
- ▶ 3GPP WCDMA, EUTRA/LTE, CDMA2000®
- ▶ TETRA, APCO25
- Bluetooth<sup>®</sup>, Zigbee
- DECT, DVB-S2

#### **DVB-S2X modulation analysis**

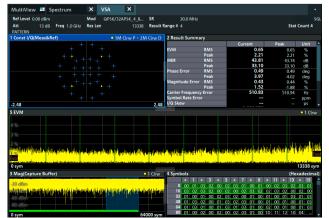
The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70M multicarrier modulation analysis application (R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 option required) allows DVB-S2X signals to be analyzed. The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70M option detects the start of frames, demodulates both the header and payload signal components and displays the constellation diagram and relevant modulation analysis parameters.

#### **Uncoded bit error rate**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70P is an extension of the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 vector signal analysis option that allows measurements of raw bit error rate (BER) on PRBS data up to PRBS23. The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70P can also measure BER based on user-defined bit sequences.



#### Demodulation of a DVB-SX2 multi-modulation signal with the R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70M option (R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1-K70 option required)



# **R&S®VSE-K106 EUTRA/LTE NB-IoT MEASUREMENT SOFTWARE**

The R&S<sup>®</sup>FPL1000 can analyze cellular 3GPP NB-IoT signals. It captures the signals, which are then analyzed by the R&S<sup>®</sup>VSE-K106 EUTRA/LTE NB-IoT measurement software <sup>1)</sup>.

<sup>1)</sup> R&S<sup>®</sup>VSE base software and R&S<sup>®</sup>FSPC license dongle required.

This solution can perform all relevant measurements of 3GPP NB-IoT signals:

- ▶ UL signals from NB-IoT modules and devices
- ► DL signals from base stations
- ► Signal demodulation and EVM measurements
- ▶ Spectral measurements/ACLR in line with 3GPP
- ► Time alignment error (TAE) measurements

It works in all three NB-IoT operation modes:

- ▶ In-band
- ► Guard band
- Standalone

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Demodulation and EVM measurement of an NB-IoT UL signal with the R&S<sup>®</sup>VSE-K106 measurement application

# **SPECIFICATIONS IN BRIEF**

Specifications in brief			
Frequency			
Frequency range	R&S®FPL1003	5 kHz to 3 GHz	
	R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1007	5 kHz to 7.5 GHz	
	R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1014	5 kHz to 14 GHz	
	R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1026	5 kHz to 26.5 GHz	
Aging per year		1 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>	
	with R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1-B4 and R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1-B11 options	1 × 10 <sup>-7</sup>	
Frequency resolution		0.01 Hz	
Bandwidth			
Resolution bandwidth (-3 dB)	sweep filters	100 kHz to 10 MHz, in 1/2/3/5 sequence	
	FFT filters	1 Hz to 50 kHz, in 1/2/3/5 sequence	
I/Q demodulation bandwidth		12.8 MHz	
	with R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1-B40 option	40 MHz	
Displayed average noise level (DANL)			
RF preamplifier off	5 MHz ≤ f < 3 GHz	–152 dBm (typ.)	
	3 GHz ≤ f < 6 GHz	–146 dBm (typ.)	
	$6 \text{ GHz} \le \text{f} < 14 \text{ GHz}$	–144 dBm (typ.)	
	14 GHz ≤ f < 20 GHz	–140 dBm (typ.)	
	20 GHz ≤ f < 26.5 GHz	–135 dBm (typ.)	
RF preamplifier on (option R&S <sup>®</sup> FPL1-B22)	10 MHz ≤ f < 2 GHz	–166 dBm (typ.)	
	$2 \text{ GHz} \le f < 6 \text{ GHz}$	–161 dBm (typ.)	
	6 GHz ≤ f < 14 GHz	–163 dBm (typ.)	
	14 GHz ≤ f < 18 GHz	–161 dBm (typ.)	
	18 GHz ≤ f <= 26.5 GHz	–158 dBm (typ.)	
Intermodulation			
1 dB compression of input mixer		+7 dBm (nom.)	
Third-order intercept point (TOI)	$300 \text{ MHz} \le f_{in} < 3 \text{ GHz}$	+20 dBm (typ.)	
	$3 \text{ GHz} \le f_{in} < 6 \text{ GHz}$	+18 dBm (typ.)	
	$6 \text{ GHz} \le f_{in} < 14 \text{ GHz}$	+16 dBm (typ.)	
	$14 \text{ GHz} \le f_{in} < 20 \text{ GHz}$	+15 dBm (typ.)	
Phase noise	f = 1 GHz, 10 kHz frequency offset	–108 dBc (1 Hz) (typ.)	
Total measurement uncertainty	$1 \text{ MHz} \le f < 3 \text{ GHz}$	0.5 dB	
	$3 \text{ GHz} \le f < 7.5 \text{ GHz}$	0.8 dB	
	$7.5 \text{ GHz} \le f \le 14 \text{ GHz}$	1.2 dB	
	$14 \text{ GHz} \le f \le 26.5 \text{ GHz}$	1.8 dB	

### **More information**

For detailed specifications and ordering information, see R&S®FPL1000 specifications (PD 5214.6974.22).

Warranty			
Base unit		3 years	
All other items <sup>1)</sup>		1 year	
Service options			
Extended warranty, one year	R&S®WE1		
Extended warranty, two years	R&S®WE2		
Extended warranty with calibration coverage, one year	R&S <sup>®</sup> CW1	Contact your local Rohde&Schwarz	
Extended warranty with calibration coverage, two years	R&S <sup>®</sup> CW2	sales office.	
Extended warranty with accredited calibration coverage, one year	R&S®AW1		
Extended warranty with accredited calibration coverage, two years	R&S®AW2		

<sup>1)</sup> For options that are installed, the remaining base unit warranty applies if longer than 1 year. Exception: all batteries have a 1 year warranty.