R&S®FSV-K40 Phase Noise Measurement Application Specifications



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Specifications

The specifications of R&S[®]FSV-K40 are based on the data sheet specifications of the R&S[®]FSV signal and spectrum analyzer. Specifications apply under the following conditions: 30 minutes warm-up time at ambient temperature, specified environmental conditions met, calibration cycle adhered to, and all internal automatic adjustments performed.

Data without tolerances: typical values. Data designated "nominal" applies to design parameters and is not tested. Data without tolerance limits is not binding.

The level measurement accuracy is mainly determined by the characteristic of the R&S[®]FSV signal and spectrum analyzer. For relevant specifications refer to the R&S[®]FSV data sheet. The measurement sensitivity is mainly determined by the analyzer's inherent phase noise. The diagram and the table below show the typical phase noise characteristics of the R&S[®]FSV signal and spectrum analyzers, which represent the minimum phase noise measurement sensitivity. The specified values do not take into account systematic errors due to reduced input level.

Frequency range ¹	R&S [®] FSV4	1 MHz to 4 GHz			
	R&S [®] FSV7	1 MHz to 7 GHz			
	R&S [®] FSV13	10 MHz to 13.6 GHz			
	R&S [®] FSV30	10 MHz to 30 GHz			
	R&S [®] FSV40	10 MHz to 40 GHz			
Offset frequency range		1 Hz up to 1 GHz ² (9 decades)			
RF level input	RF attenuation \geq 10 dB,	> -20 dBm to 30 dBm			
	RF preamplifier = off				
	RF attenuation = 0 dB,	> -20 dBm to 20 dBm			
	RF preamplifier = off				
Phase noise measurement uncertainty	input level > 0 dBm				
	signal harmonics and spurs < –30 dBc signal to noise ratio \geq 10 dB return loss of source > 14 dB				
	(VSWR < 1.5:1)				
	100 Hz to 10 MHz offset	typ. < 2 dB			
	1 Hz to 100 Hz or >10 MHz offset	typ. < 3 dB			

Phase noise measurement

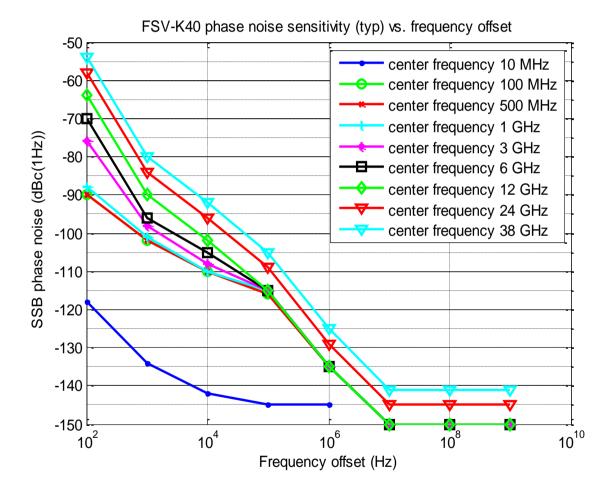
Sweep settings	measurement range
	resolution bandwidths
	filter types (sweep, FFT)
	averaging
	smoothing factors
Phase noise display	logarithmic plot
	up to three traces
	comprehensive marker functions
Integrated phase noise	residual frequency modulation
(settable frequency range)	residual phase modulation
	RMS jitter
Tracking and verifying functions	center frequency tracking
	verify frequency and level
Noise correction	subtracts the instrument's inherent noise
Checks	limit line
Remote control	GPIB
	LAN

¹ The R&S[®]FSV-K40 frequency range can be extended up to 9 kHz if the instrument is set to DC coupling.

² The upper offset frequency is limited by the center frequency.

Phase noise Input level >	•		,			Bc, operating	mode "averag	ged", +20 °C t	o +30 °C.
Frequency	Input frequency, values in dBc (1 Hz)					R&S [®] FSV	R&S [®] FSV	R&S [®] FSV	R&S®FSV
offset	R&S [®] FSV3/7/13/30/40				7/13/30/40	13/30/40	30/40	40	
	10 MHz	100 MHz	500 MHz	1 GHz	3 GHz	6 GHz	12 GHz	24 GHz	38 GHz
100 Hz	-118	-90	-90	-88	-76	-70	-64	-58	-54
1 kHz	-134	-102	-102	-101	-98	-96	-90	-84	-80
10 kHz	-142	-110	-110	-110	-108	-105	-102	-96	-92
100 kHz	-145	-116	–116	-115	-115	-115	-115	-109	-105
1 MHz	-145	-135	-135	-135	-135	-135	-135	-129	-125
10 MHz		-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-145	-141
100 MHz			-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-145	-141
1 GHz					-150	-150	-150	-145	-141

By correcting the inherent phase noise of the analyzer, the measurement result may be improved by up to 6 dB (noise subtraction).



³ The instrument selects the input attenuation automatically depending on the input signal level and the permissible attenuator settings. Due to the influence of the attenuator step size, the phase noise floor may increase. The R&S[®]FSV-B25 electronic attenuator option (attenuator step size = 1 dB) is recommended in order to get optimum performance for input frequencies up to 7 GHz.

Ordering information

Designation	Туре	Order No.
Phase Noise Measurement Application	R&S [®] FSV-K40	1310.8403.02
for the R&S [®] FSV4/7/13/30/40 Signal Analyzer		
Signal Analyzer	R&S [®] FSV4	1321.3008.04
Signal Analyzer	R&S [®] FSV7	1321.3008.07
Signal Analyzer	R&S [®] FSV13	1321.3008.13
Signal Analyzer	R&S [®] FSV30	1321.3008.30
Signal Analyzer	R&S [®] FSV40	1321.3008.40

Options

Designation	Туре	Order No.	Retrofittable	Remarks
OCXO Reference Frequency	R&S [®] FSV-B4	1310.9522.02	yes	user-retrofittable
RF Preamplifier (9 kHz to 7 GHz)	R&S [®] FSV-B22	1310.9600.02	yes	user-retrofittable
Electronic Attenuator, 1 dB steps	R&S [®] FSV-B25	1310.9622.02	yes	user-retrofittable

Related data sheet

R&S®FSV Signal and Spectrum Analyzer data sheet (PD 3606.7982.22).

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