

TFG3500 Series

Introduction

The TFG3500 series are function generators with maximum frequency of 10MHz, 20MHz, 40MHz and 60MHz, based on Direct Digital Synthesis (DDS) technology providing flexible performance and system features for basic scientific and industrial requirements.

The 10 bits resolution, 180MSa/s sampling rate, 16k pts memory length, and 32 built-in waveforms create various waveforms for different needs. Free PC software for USB and RS-232 interfaces control. The TFG3500 series have additional functions of multiple modulations FM, AM, FSK, ASK and PSK, 200MHz external frequency counter, 40 sets memories and multiple protections. Stable output frequency, high accuracy and low distortion make TFG3500 an ideal solution for an accurate and affordable signal source for industrial, scientific research and educational applications.

Features

- ✓ Max. output frequency 10MHz/20MHz/40MHz/60MHz
- ✓ 2 output channels
- ✓ 3.5-inch TFT LCD display
- ✓ Direct Digital Synthesis technology (DDS)
- ✓ Min. output amplitude 1mV (50Ω) with good stability
- ✓ Sampling rate 180MSa/s, vertical resolution 10 bits, waveform length 16000 points
- ✓ 32 built-in waveforms
- ✓ 40 sets save & recall for panel settings
- ✓ Modulations: FM, AM, FSK, ASK, PSK
- ✓ Frequency sweep, amplitude sweep, burst, CHA & CHB ADD and TTL output functions
- ✓ Over voltage, over current, short circuit and reverse voltage protections
- ✓ High speed rotary dial and keypad input
- ✓ Standard USB and RS-232 interface for PC remote control
- ✓ Standard 200MHz external frequency counter
- ✓ Optional power amplifier

Product photo

TFG-3510



Specifications

Model		TFG-3510	TFG-3520	TFG-3540	TFG-3560
Output frequency		40μHz~10MHz	40μHz~20MHz	40μHz~40MHz	40μHz~60MHz
Waveform					
Output waveform		Sine, Square, Pulse, DC			
Waveform length		4~16000 points			
Vertical resolution		10 bits			
Sampling rate		180MSa/s			
Sine	Harmonic distortion	≥50dBc (<1MHz); ≥40dBc (1~20MHz); ≥30dBc (>20MHz)			
	Total distortion	≤0.5% (20Hz~200kHz)			
Square	Rise/fall time	≤20ns			
	Overshoot	≤5%			
	Duty cycle	50.0%			
Pulse	Rise/fall time	≤20ns			
	Overshoot	≤5%			
	Duty cycle	0.1%~99.9%			
Frequency					
Range	Sine	40μHz~10MHz	40μHz~20MHz	40μHz~40MHz	40μHz~60MHz
	Square	40μHz~10MHz	40μHz~20MHz		
	Other	40μHz~10MHz			
Resolution		40μHz (40μHz~2kHz); 40mHz (>2kHz)			
Accuracy		±(5×10 ⁻⁵ +40mHz)			
Stability		±5×10 ⁻⁶ /3hours			
Output characteristics					
Amplitude	Range	1mVpp~10Vpp (into 50Ω, ≤10MHz)			
		1mVpp~5Vpp (into 50Ω, 10MHz~40MHz)			
		1mVpp~2Vpp (into 50Ω, ≥40MHz)			
		2mVpp~20Vpp (open circuit, ≤10MHz)			
		2mVpp~10Vpp (open circuit, 10MHz~40MHz)			
		2mVpp~4Vpp (open circuit, ≥40MHz)			
	Resolution	20mVpp (amplitude>2V); 2mVpp (amplitude<2V)			
	Accuracy	±(1%+2mVrms) (open circuit, 1kHz, sine)			
	Stability	±0.5% /3hours			
	Flatness	±5% (<1MHz); ±10% (1~10MHz); ±20% (>10MHz)			
Output impedance	50Ω				
Offset	Range	±10V (open circuit, attenuation 0 dB)			
	Resolution	20mVdc			
	Accuracy	±(1%+20mVdc)			
Sweep					
Parameter		Frequency, Amplitude			
Range		Free to set start and stop point			
Time		100ms~600s			
Direction		Up, Down, Up-Down			
Mode		Linearity, Logarithmic			
Control		Auto sweep or manual sweep			
Frequency Modulation (FM)					
Modulating signal		Internal or external signal			
Deviation		0%~20%			
Amplitude Modulation (AM)					
Modulating signal		Internal or external signal			
Depth		0%~120%			

Shift Keying	
FSK	Free to set the hop frequency and the carrier frequency
ASK	Free to set the hop amplitude and the carrier amplitude
PSK	Hop phase: 0~360°, resolution: 11.25°
Alternative rate	10ms~60s
CHB output characteristics	
Output waveform	32 built-in waveforms, including Sine, Square, Triangle, Saw tooth, Ladder, etc.
Waveform length	1024 points
Vertical resolution	8 bits
Sampling rate	12.5MSa/s
Frequency range	Sine: 10mHz~1MHz; Other: 10mHz~100kHz
Frequency resolution	10mHz
Frequency accuracy	$\pm(1 \times 10^{-5} + 10\text{mHz})$
Amplitude range	50mVpp~20Vpp (open circuit)
Amplitude resolution	2mVpp
Output impedance	50Ω
CHB signal is used as the harmonic signal of CHA	
Harmonic times	0.1~250.0 times
Harmonic frequency	<1MHz
Phase adjustment	Coarse: 11.5°/step; Fine: 2°/step
CHB signal is used as burst signal	
Frequency of CHB	40mHz~1MHz
Burst frequency	10mHz~50kHz
Burst count	1~65000 cycles
Trigger source	Continuous, Single
TTL output	
Waveform	Square, rise/fall time $\leq 20\text{ns}$
Frequency	Same as CHA signal
Amplitude	TTL, CMOS compatible, low<0.3V, high>4V
Frequency counter	
Frequency range	1Hz~200MHz
Input amplitude	100mVpp~20Vpp
Power amplifier (optional)	
Max. output power	7W (8Ω), 1W (50Ω)
Max. output voltage	22Vpp
Frequency bandwidth	1Hz~200kHz
General	
Operation characteristics	Key operation for all functions, Menu display, Rotary dial adjustment
Display	3.5-inch TFT LCD
Language	English, Chinese (simplified), Chinese (traditional)
Interface	USB interface, RS-232 interface
Operating environment	0~40°C, <80%RH
Power source	AC110V/220V $\pm 10\%$ selectable, 50/60Hz, Max. 45VA
Accessories	Power cord x1, Operation manual x1, Software CD x1, USB cable x1, RS-232 cable x1, BNC-BNC cable x1, Test lead x1
Dimension (WxHxD)	260x110x385mm
Weight	3.5kg