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U3641 OPT73
FM Deviation Option
Operation Manual

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Safety Summary

To ensure thorough understanding of all functions and to ensure efficient use of this instrument, please read the manual carefully before using. Note that Advantest bears absolutely no responsibility for the result of operations caused due to incorrect or inappropriate use of this instrument.

If the equipment is used in a manner not specified by Advantest, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

- **Warning Labels**

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Symbols of those warning labels are shown below together with their meaning.

DANGER: Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which will result in death or serious personal injury.

WARNING: Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which will result in death or serious personal injury.

CAUTION: Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which will result in personal injury or a damage to property including the product.

- **Basic Precautions**

Please observe the following precautions to prevent fire, burn, electric shock, and personal injury.

- Use a power cable rated for the voltage in question. Be sure however to use a power cable conforming to safety standards of your nation when using a product overseas.
- When inserting the plug into the electrical outlet, first turn the power switch OFF and then insert the plug as far as it will go.
- When removing the plug from the electrical outlet, first turn the power switch OFF and then pull it out by gripping the plug. Do not pull on the power cable itself. Make sure your hands are dry at this time.
- Before turning on the power, be sure to check that the supply voltage matches the voltage requirements of the instrument.
- Connect the power cable to a power outlet that is connected to a protected ground terminal. Grounding will be defeated if you use an extension cord which does not include a protected ground terminal.
- Be sure to use fuses rated for the voltage in question.
- Do not use this instrument with the case open.
- Do not place anything on the product and do not apply excessive pressure to the product. Also, do not place flower pots or other containers containing liquid such as chemicals near this

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product.

- When the product has ventilation outlets, do not stick or drop metal or easily flammable objects into the ventilation outlets.
- When using the product on a cart, fix it with belts to avoid its drop.
- When connecting the product to peripheral equipment, turn the power off.

- **Caution Symbols Used Within this Manual**

Symbols indicating items requiring caution which are used in this manual are shown below together with their meaning.

DANGER: Indicates an item where there is a danger of serious personal injury (death or serious injury).

WARNING: Indicates an item relating to personal safety or health.

CAUTION: Indicates an item relating to possible damage to the product or instrument or relating to a restriction on operation.

- **Safety Marks on the Product**

The following safety marks can be found on Advantest products.



: ATTENTION - Refer to manual.



: Protective ground (earth) terminal.



: DANGER - High voltage.



: CAUTION - Risk of electric shock.

- **Replacing Parts with Limited Life**

The following parts used in the instrument are main parts with limited life.

Replace the parts listed below before their expected lifespan has expired to maintain the performance and function of the instrument.

Note that the estimated lifespan for the parts listed below may be shortened by factors such as the environment where the instrument is stored or used, and how often the instrument is used.

The parts inside are not user-replaceable. For a part replacement, please contact the Advantest sales office for servicing.

Each product may use parts with limited life.

For more information, refer to the section in this document where the parts with limited life are described.

Main Parts with Limited Life

Part name	Life
Unit power supply	5 years
Fan motor	5 years
Electrolytic capacitor	5 years
LCD display	6 years
LCD backlight	2.5 years
Floppy disk drive	5 years
Memory backup battery	5 years

- **Hard Disk Mounted Products**

The operational warnings are listed below.

- Do not move, shock and vibrate the product while the power is turned on.
Reading or writing data in the hard disk unit is performed with the memory disk turning at a high speed. It is a very delicate process.
- Store and operate the products under the following environmental conditions.
An area with no sudden temperature changes.
An area away from shock or vibrations.
An area free from moisture, dirt, or dust.
An area away from magnets or an instrument which generates a magnetic field.
- Make back-ups of important data.
The data stored in the disk may become damaged if the product is mishandled. The hard disc has a limited life span which depends on the operational conditions. Note that there is no guarantee for any loss of data.

- **Precautions when Disposing of this Instrument**

When disposing of harmful substances, be sure dispose of them properly with abiding by the state-provided law.

Harmful substances: (1) PCB (polycarbon biphenyl)
(2) Mercury
(3) Ni-Cd (nickel cadmium)
(4) Other
Items possessing cyan, organic phosphorous and hexadic chromium and items which may leak cadmium or arsenic (excluding lead in solder).

Example: fluorescent tubes, batteries

Environmental Conditions

This instrument should be only be used in an area which satisfies the following conditions:

- An area free from corrosive gas
- An area away from direct sunlight
- A dust-free area
- An area free from vibrations
- Altitude of up to 2000 m



Figure-1 Environmental Conditions

- Operating position



Figure-2 Operating Position

- Storage position



Figure-3 Storage Position

- The classification of the transient over-voltage, which exists typically in the main power supply, and the pollution degree is defined by IEC61010-1 and described below.

Impulse withstand voltage (over-voltage) category II defined by IEC60364-4-443

Pollution Degree 2

Types of Power Cable

Replace any references to the power cable type, according to the following table, with the appropriate power cable type for your country.

Plug configuration	Standards	Rating, color and length	Model number (Option number)
	PSE: Japan Electrical Appliance and Material Safety Law	125 V at 7 A Black 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01402 Angled: A01412
	UL: United States of America CSA: Canada	125 V at 7 A Black 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01403 (Option 95) Angled: A01413
	CEE: Europe DEMKO: Denmark NEMKO: Norway VDE: Germany KEMA: The Netherlands CEBEC: Belgium OVE: Austria FIMKO: Finland SEMKO: Sweden	250 V at 6 A Gray 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01404 (Option 96) Angled: A01414
	SEV: Switzerland	250 V at 6 A Gray 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01405 (Option 97) Angled: A01415
	SAA: Australia, New Zealand	250 V at 6 A Gray 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01406 (Option 98) Angled: -----
	BS: United Kingdom	250 V at 6 A Black 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A01407 (Option 99) Angled: A01417
	CCC: China	250 V at 10 A Black 2 m (6 ft)	Straight: A114009 (Option 94) Angled: A114109

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1 PRODUCT OVERVIEW

With the FM Deviation option (OPT73) installed, the user can directly observe frequency deviation changes of an FM modulated wave as a function of time.

The features of this option are as follows:

- Two maximum deviations (one for the positive part of a signal, and the other for the negative part of the same signal) can be read directly.
- Mean value of deviations can be read directly.
- Horizontal axis is time; the vertical axis is frequency.
- Display sensitivity is 1, 2 or 5 sequence from a range of 2 kHz/div to 200 kHz/div.

NOTE: *The OPT73 option cannot be set concurrently with the OPT 20 (High-stable Reference Oscillator).*

2 OPERATING PROCEDURE

The following is the method of observing frequency deviations:

1. Connect the measured signal to the U3461 Series spectrum analyzer.

Example: Observing 1 GHz signal (with a modulation signal of 50 kHz and a deviation of 400 kHz)

2. Press the **PRESET** key to reset the values to the defaults.

3. Adjust the center frequency to the measured signal.

Example: Setting the center frequency to 1 GHz

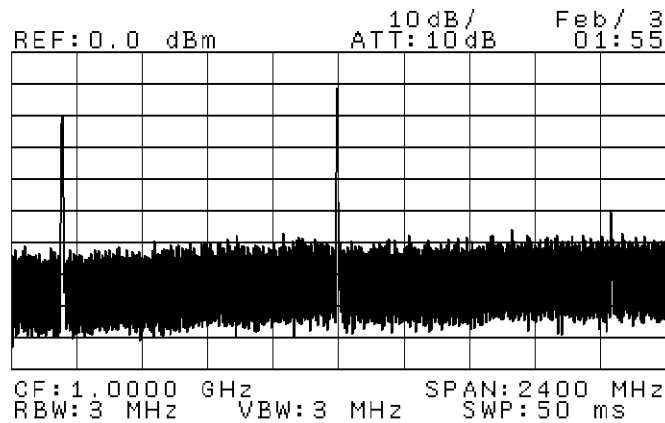


Figure 2-1 Screen Display after Changing the Center Frequency to 1 GHZ

4. Press **MEAS1** and **6FM DEV** to set the FM deviation mode.

The horizontal axis is time, and the vertical axis is frequency deviation.

The factory defaults are as follows: Zero span, the RBW is 3 MHz, VBW is 3 MHz, SWP is 50 μ sec and the sensitivity is 200 kHz/div.

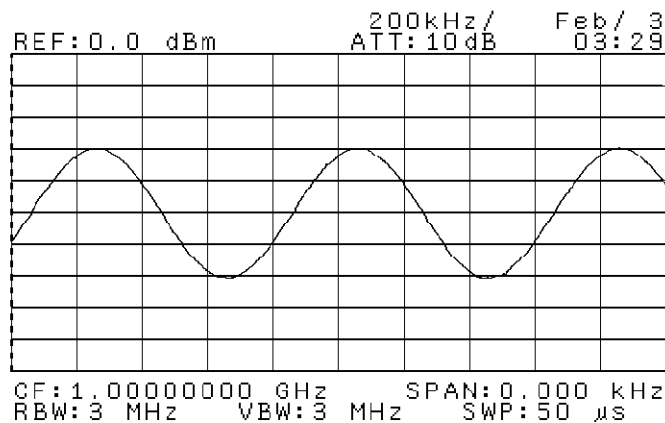


Figure 2-2 FM Deviation Mode Screen

2 OPERATING PROCEDURE

5. For ease of measurement, change the settings of the VBW, the SWP, the sensitivity, and so on (however, changing the RBW will have no effect for this purpose). (Refer to Section 3.2.)

Example: Changing the SWP from 50 μ sec to 100 μ sec

Press **CPL, SWP, 1, 0, 0** and **Hz**.

Changing the sensitivity from 200 kHz to 100 kHz

Press **MEAS1, FM DEV, kHz/div, 1, 0, 0** and **kHz**.

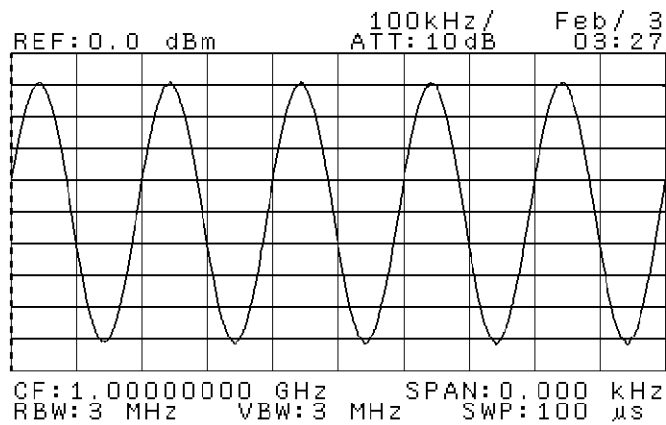


Figure 2-3 Screen Display after Changing the Sensitivity, VBW and SWP

6. Press **MEAS1, 6FM DEV** and **6FM DEV OFF** to turn the FM deviation mode OFF.

3 REFERENCE

3.1 Soft Menu Organization

The organization of the soft menu for the FM deviation mode is as follows.

Press **MEAS1** and **6FM DEV**.



Figure 3-1 Soft Menu Organization for the FM Deviation Option

3.2 Functional Description

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Press **MEAS 1** and **6FM DEV**. The following are the explanations for the FM deviation mode soft menu.

MEAS1

- 6 FM DEV** Activates the FM deviation mode.
- 1 kHz/div** Allows you to set the sensitivity to measure frequency deviations. Use numeric keys (together with unit keys), step key or the data knob.
- Set range: 2 kHz, 5 kHz, 10 kHz, 20 kHz, 50 kHz, 100 kHz and 200 kHz/div
- Factory default: 200 kHz/div
- 2 P-P ON/OFF** Displays two maximum deviations (one for the positive part, and the other for the negative part) of the signal currently being displayed after each sweep finishes.
- 3 PEAK AVG ON/OFF** Displays the mean value of deviations of the signal currently being displayed after each sweep finishes.
- 4 PEAK ΔY div** Allows you to enter the amplitude condition (div) to detect the peak. The way in which a peak is detected is determined by the setting for PEAK ΔY div. For the amplitude conditions, refer to Item (2) of Section 7.3.2 in the U3641 Series Operation manual.
- 5 CAL** Calibrates the vertical axis linearity from a range of 2 kHz/div to 200 kHz/div.
- 6 FM DEV OFF** Turns the FM deviation mode off.

4 GPIB COMMAND CODES

The following table lists the GPIB commands associated with the FM deviation.

Table 4-1 GPIB Commands

FUNCTION	Listener	Talker Request			Remarks
		Code	Output Format	Header	
FM Deviation					
FM Dev	—	FMDEV?	ON/OFF	—	
ON	FMDEV ON	—	—	—	
OFF	FMDEV OFF	—	—	—	
kHz/div	FMDIV*	FMDIV?	1:2kHz 2:5kHz 3:10kHz 4:20kHz 5:50kHz 6:100kHz 7:200kHz	—	
P-P	—	FMPP?	max freq + min freq	—	
ON	FMPP ON	—	—	—	
OFF	FMPP OFF	—	—	—	
Peak Avg	—	FMPAV?	freq	—	
ON	FMPAV ON	—	—	—	
OFF	FMPAV OFF	—	—	—	
Peak ΔY div	FMDY*	—	—	—	
Calibration	FMCAL	—	—	—	

An asterisk (*) in the listener code column indicates that numeric data can be entered following the code.

5 SPECIFICATIONS

Item	Specifications	Remarks
FM deviation		
Sensitivity	2 kHz/div to 200 kHz/div in 1, 2 or 5 sequence	
Center display accuracy	$\pm (30 \text{ MHz} \times \text{Frequency reference accuracy} + 3\% \times 5 \text{ div})$	After calibration
Linearity	Within $\pm 3\%/5\text{div}$	After calibration
Input frequency range	25MHz or higher	
Input level range	$\geq -20\text{dBm}$ (ATT 10dB, PREAMP OFF) $\geq -50\text{dBm}$ (ATT 0dB, PREAMP ON)	$\geq 50\text{kHz/div}$
	$\geq -50\text{dBm}$ (ATT 0dB, PREAMP OFF) $\geq -70\text{dBm}$ (ATT 0dB, PREAMP ON)	$\geq 20\text{kHz/div}$
Residual FM	2kHzp-p or less ($\leq 20\text{kHz/div}$) 30kHzp-p or less ($\geq 50\text{kHz/div}$)	
Demodulated frequency response	DC to 20kHz DC to 500kHz	Range $\leq 20\text{kHz/div}$ (VBW = 3 MHz, and 3 dB width) Range $\geq 50\text{kHz/div}$ (VBW = 3 MHz, and 3 dB width)

APPENDIX

A.1 Error Messages

The following are error messages associated with the FM deviation.

Error Code	Displayed Message	Description
ERR:800	FM DEV MODE	The Antenna correction function cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:801	FM DEV MODE	The Limit line cannot be displayed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:802	FM DEV MODE	The Marker function cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:803	FM DEV MODE	The Log scale function cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:804	FM DEV MODE	The Linear scale function cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:805	FM DEV MODE	The Antenna correction function cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:806	FM DEV MODE	The Trace calculation mode cannot be executed, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:807	FM DEV MODE	The Trace detector mode cannot be set to ON except for samples, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:808	FM DEV MODE	The WIDE RBW cannot be set, because FM deviation mode is selected.
ERR:810	ATT CORR ON	FM deviation mode cannot be executed, because the Antenna correction function is selected.
ERR:811	LMT LINE ON	FM deviation mode cannot be executed, because the Limit line is selected.
ERR:812	TG ON	FM deviation mode cannot be executed, because the TG is selected.
ERR:813	TV ON	FM deviation mode cannot be executed, because the TV channel input mode or the TV monitor mode is on.
ERR:815	??FM DEV	A FM deviation calibration error occurred.
ERR:816	NO PEAK	The display line cannot be displayed in the center of the target signal, because no peak has been detected on the signal.
ERR:817	NG DSP LINE	The display line cannot be displayed, because the Peak average function is selected.

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