

# IFF and TACAN Test Set Calibration Source

Model: 2770

#### **Product Features**

- Field Alignment Option
- High and Low Power Amplitude
- Pulse Shaping Control
- Portable Package
- · Variable Replacement for Vacuum Equipment
- Delivers Reliability and Product Longevity
- Includes Transit Case



#### **Description and Application**

Military Aircraft technicians use various Test Sets to check and certify proper operation of the aircraft's TACAN and IFF pulsed RF transmitters. To avoid errant aircraft transmitter operation, these Test Sets must be calibrated with a high accuracy, stable source of properly shaped RF pulses. The UBS Calibration Source provides military aircraft service technicians with such capabilities. The unit is a modern, solid-state bench top power source that produces the same type and shape of RF pulses as the aircraft's RF transmitter for IFF and TACAN.







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### **MILITARY PRODUCTS**

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### **Product Specifications**

960 - 1215 MHz (TACAN) Frequency Range

1025 - 1035 and 1085 - 1095 MHz (IFF)

**RF Output Connectors** Type-N Female (high power port has

interlock protection)

**High Power Port Duty Cycle** 0.002 maximum automatically enforced

> (limits some of the combinations of widths, repetition frequencies, and num ber of pulses per group that, individually,

are within spec).

**Pulse Width** 

(specified @ 50% voltage

amplitude)

Variable from  $0.20 - 1.3 \pm 0.025 \mu sec$  (IFF)

 $3.5 \pm 0.5 \mu sec (TACAN)$ 

**Pulses per Group** 2 or 4 (IFF);

1 or 2 (TACAN) with variable spacing

**Pulse Spacing:** 

IFF 2 Pulse 1.3 to 23  $\mu$ sec  $\pm 0.025 \mu$ sec in 0.05  $\mu$ sec

IFF 4 Pulse: (high power only) P2:  $1.5 - 2.5 \mu sec \pm 0.025$  in  $0.05 \mu sec steps$ 

> P3: 3.5 to 4.5 usec P4: 5.5 to 6.5 µsec

TACAN: (high power only) 8 to 50  $\mu$ sec  $\pm 0.1$   $\mu$ sec to 0.5  $\mu$ sec steps

Frequency Control Selectable with 0.1 MHz resolution,

accurate to ±50 kHz

Variable from 5 to 200 pps (TACAN) **Pulse Group Repetition Rate** 

25 to 1000 pps (IFF)

Synch Out A synch output pulse of +4 V into 50

ohms coincident with the start of each pulse group is provided for synchronizing external equipment. The pulse width is 1.5 µsec. A delay of up to 100 µsec be tween the synch out signal and the pulse group can be set in 0.1 µsec increments. Synch out pulse is present in both internal

and external synch modes.

**External Synch** The 2770 normally operates in internal

synch mode. However, operation from an external synch input is accommodated. The external synch requires a 1 to 30 volt pulse of 0.3 to 25 μsec in width. Duty cycle limiting in external synch mode is

automatic.

Video Monitor A video monitor signal proportional to

the RF level at the low power output is provided. The amplitude is 1 Vpp ±15% for a low power output of +20 dBm.

**High Power Output** 

(TACAN, IFF (2 pulse), IFF 4 pulse)

**Maximum Peak Power** At least 2238 W over the frequency range

of 960 - 1215 MHz

Power Control

(high power port is intended to be used with an external peak power meter serving as an absolute power reference) Variable from 10 to 2238Watts, resolution

of 0.1 dB or better

**Low Power Output** (IFF(2 pulse) with or without SLS pulse)

Peak Power +10 dBm to +20 dBm (P1 and P3 pulses)

**Power Control** Variable in 0.5 dBm steps

Variable +3 to -12 dB relative to main (P1) **SLS Pulse Level Control** 

pulse in 0.5 dB steps

**SLS Pulse Width** 0.20 to 1.3  $\mu sec \pm 0.025 \mu sec in 0.05 \mu sec$ 

 $1.5 - 2.5 \mu sec \pm 0.025 \mu sec in 0.05 \mu sec$ **SLS Pulse Spacing** 

steps (subject to 0.4 µsec min between

P1 and SLS pulses)

**Operating Environment** 

**Temperature** +17 °C to +28 °C

**Relative Humidity** 0 to 80% (non-condensing) Altitude 0 to 15,100 feet above sea level **Power Input** 90V to 210 V, 50-60 Hz, single phase

**Non-Operating Environment** 

**Storage Temperature** -40 °C to 71°C

Altitude 15,100 feet above sea level

Mechanical

Width 19" EIA standard RS-130 (48.3 cm)

Height 7" (17.8 cm)

Depth 21" (behind panel) (53.3 cm)

Weight 46 pounds (21kg)

> A transit case with integral shock mounting and snap off front and rear covers, that permits operation from

within the case, is included.

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