# **INSTRUCTIONS**

# MODEL AVMR-2-P-OT-M1 PULSE GENERATOR

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### FIG. 1: PULSE GENERATOR TEST ARRANGEMENT



- 1) The bandwidth capability of components and instruments used to display the pulse generator output signal (attenuators, cables, connectors, etc.) should exceed ten gigahertz. The module should be bolted to a heat sink capable of dissipating about 10 Watts.
- 2) The use of 40 dB attenuator will insure a peak input signal to the sampling scope of less than one volt.
- 3) In general, the source pulse generator trigger delay control should be set in the 0.1 to 1.0 us range. Other settings should be as shown in the above diagram.
- 4) The Model AVMR pulse generator requires a 50 Ohm load.
- 5) <u>WARNING:</u> Model AVMR may fail if triggered at a PRF greater than 1.0 MHz.
- 6) The output pulse width is controlled by means of the one turn potentiometer (PW). The pot should initially be set maximum clockwise and the pulse width adjusted using an oscilloscope. Note that the output duty cycle must not exceed 10% (eg. 100 ns at 1.0 MHz).
- 7) The output pulse amplitude is controlled by means of the one turn potentiometer (AMP). The pulse width may change by several nanoseconds as the output amplitude is reduced from maximum to minimum. Therefore, it is convenient to first set the desired amplitude and then set the desired pulse width.
- 8) Some properties of the output pulse may change as a function of the amplitude pot setting. For some demanding applications, it may be desirable to use a combination of external attenuators and the amplitude pot to achieve the desired output amplitude.
- 9) The output DC offset is variable from 0 to ±5 Volts using the one turn "OT" control. The DC offset potential appears at the rear panel "OS" solder terminal.
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### PERFORMANCE CHECK SHEET