

INSTRUCTIONS

MODEL AVX-D-PS-ED PULSE GENERATOR

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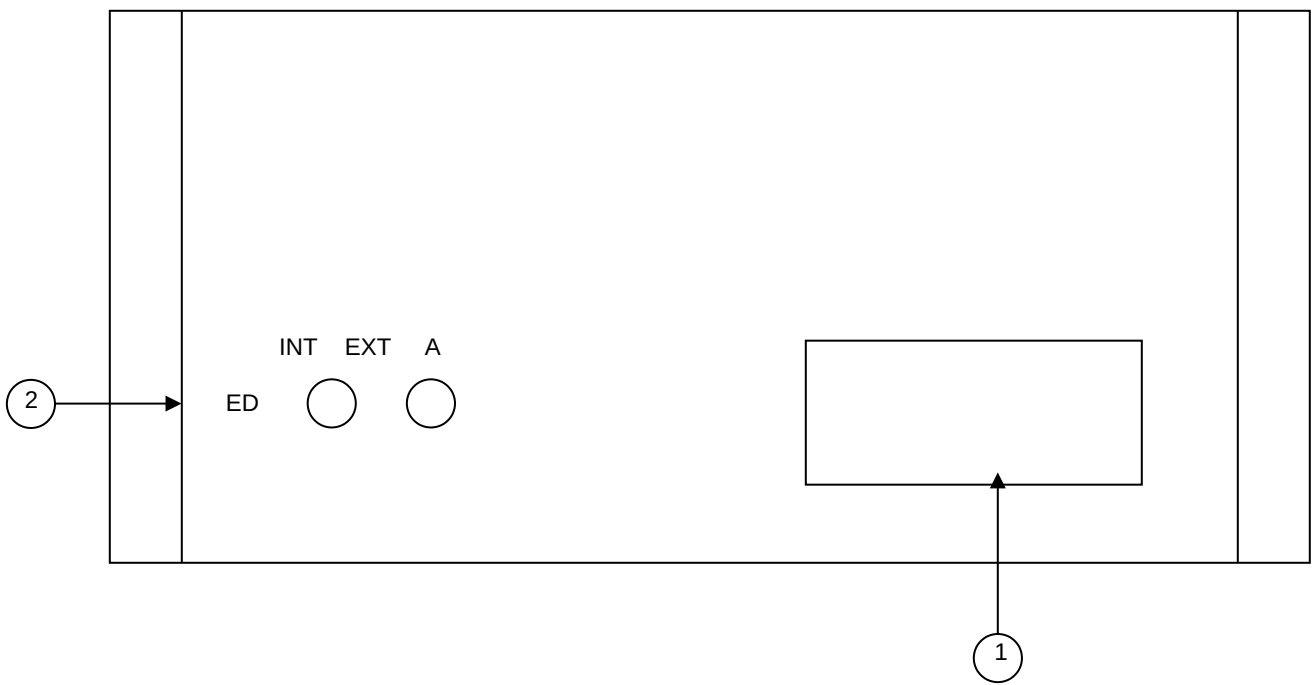
AVX-D SERIES DATA SHEET

FIG. 1: FRONT PANEL CONTROLS

FRONT PANEL CONTROLS

- (1) ON-OFF Switch. Applies basic prime power to all stages.
- (2) DELAY Control. Controls the relative delay between the output pulse provided at OUT (5) and IN (3). This delay is variable over the range of 30 to about 150 ns. To voltage control the delay, set the switch in the EXT position and apply 0 to +10V to the "A" BNC connector ($R_{IN} \geq 10K$). (option).
- (3) IN. Apply TTL input at this terminal ($PW > 50$ ns).
- (4) TRIG. Replica of IN pulse delayed by 30 ns appears here. Will drive 50 Ohms.
- (5) OUT. +5 Volt output to 50 Ohms. This output is delayed 30 to 150 ns with respect to the IN pulse.

FIG. 2: BACK PANEL CONTROLS



BACK PANEL CONTROLS

- (1) FUSED CONNECTOR, VOLTAGE SELECTOR. The detachable power cord is connected at this point. In addition, the removable cord is adjusted to select the desired input operating voltage. The unit also contains the main power fuse.

For AC line voltages of 110-120V, the power selector card should be installed so that the "120" marking is visible from the rear of the instrument.

For AC line voltages of 220-240V, the power selector card should be installed so that the "240" marking is visible from the rear of the instrument.

If it is not set for the proper voltage, remove the fuse and then grasp the card with a pair of pliers and remove it. Rotate horizontally through 180 degrees. Reinstall the card and the correct fuse.

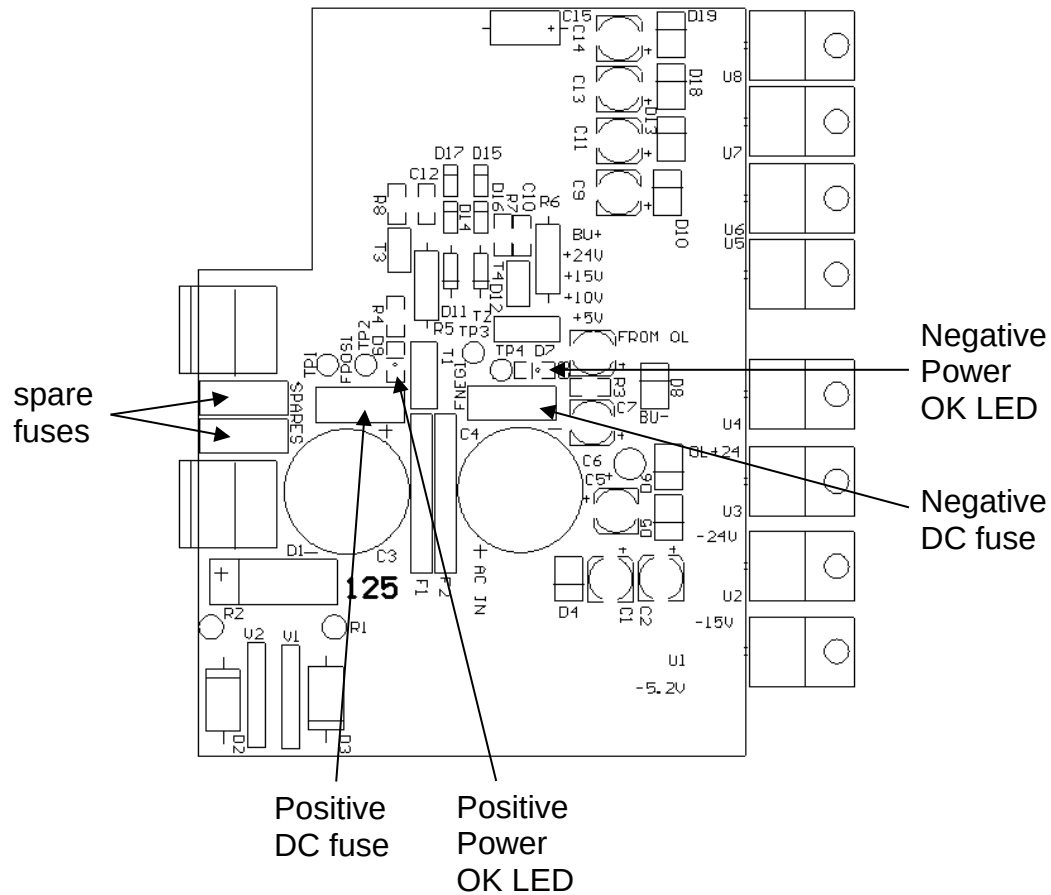
In the 120V setting, a 0.5A slow blow fuse is required. In the 240V setting, a 0.25A slow blow fuse is required.

- (2) To voltage control the delay, set the switch in the EXT position and apply 0 to +10V to the "A" BNC connector ($R_{IN} \geq 10K$). (option).

POWER SUPPLY AND FUSE REPLACEMENT

This instrument has three main fuses, plus two spares. One, which protects the AC input, is located in the rear-panel power entry module, as described in the “Rear Panel Controls” section of this manual. If the power appears to have failed, check the AC fuse first.

The other two fuses (plus two spares) are located on the internal DC power supply, as shown below:



The four fuses on this circuit board are 0.5A slow-blow fuses, Littlefuse part number R452.500. (This fuse can be ordered from Digikey, www.digikey.com. The Digikey part number is F1341CT-ND).

If you suspect that the DC fuses are blown, follow this procedure:

1. Remove the top cover, by removing the four Phillips screws on the top cover and then sliding the cover back and off.

2. Locate the two “Power OK” LEDs on the power supply circuit board, as illustrated above.
3. Turn on the instrument.
4. Observe the “Power OK” LEDs. If the fuses are not blown, the two LEDs will be lit (bright red). If one of the LEDs is not lit, the fuse next to it has blown.
5. Turn off the instrument.
6. If a fuse is blown, use needle-nose pliers to remove the blown fuse from its surface-mount holder.
7. Replace the fuse. (Two spare 0.5 Amp fuses are provided on the circuit board. They may be transferred to the active fuse locations using needle-nose pliers.)