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INSTRUCTIONS

MODEL AV-141C AMPLIFIER

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MODEL AV-141C - GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Model AV-141C amplifier is designed to amplify bipolar nanosecond rise time baseband pulses in the pulse width range of about 2.0 ns and higher and CW signals in the frequency range of DC to 600 MHz. The basic specifications for the unit are as follows:

Gain:

> 20 dB

Peak output

voltage:

± 3 Volt

Rise time:

< 1.0 ns

Impedance level:

50 Ohms nominal

Bandwidth:

DC to 600 MHz

Max. noise figure:

4 nV/ Hz

Prime power:

+15 Volts, 50 mA max

-15 Volts, 50 mA max

Connectors:

SMA

Size:

1.4 x 1.1 x 2.3 inches

- 1) The DC offset on the output may be set to zero by making minor adjustments to the OS trim pot on the "OUT" end of the chassis.
- 2) The pulse mode operation of the unit was tested using the arrangement shown in Fig. 1.
- 3) <u>CAUTION</u>: The unit may be damaged if the DC voltage power supply voltage exceeds ±18.0 Volts or if the power supply voltages are reversed. The 1N4746A zener diodes are installed across the ±15 VDC input terminals to protect the unit against these factors. Note that the input power supply voltages may be as low as ±7 Volts.
- 4) <u>CAUTION</u>: The input to this amplifier does not include any overload protection and so it may be damaged if subjected to high amplitude spurious outputs such as those provided by some PMT. The warranty does not apply to such failures.

FIG. 1: AMPLIFIER TEST ARRANGEMENT

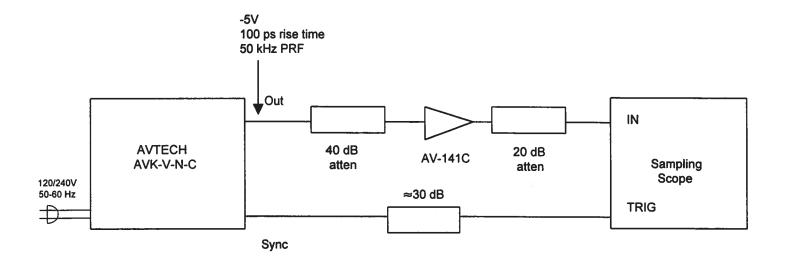


FIG. 2: AVTECH MODEL AV-141C

