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INSTRUCTIONS

MODEL AVO-2L-P-IMRA2-EA-EW-D PULSE GENERATOR

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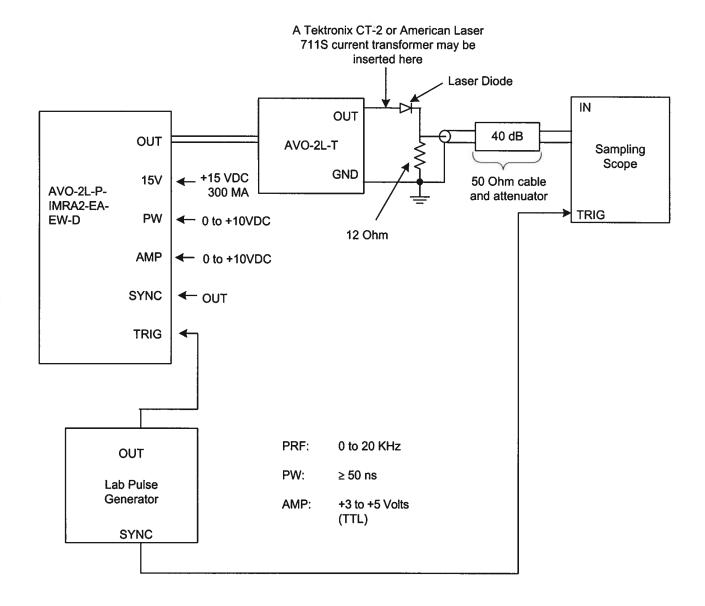
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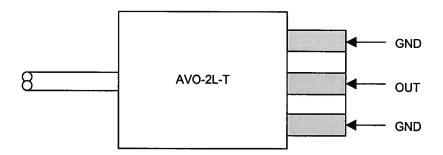
FIG. 1: PULSE GENERATOR TEST ARRANGEMENT



GENERAL OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

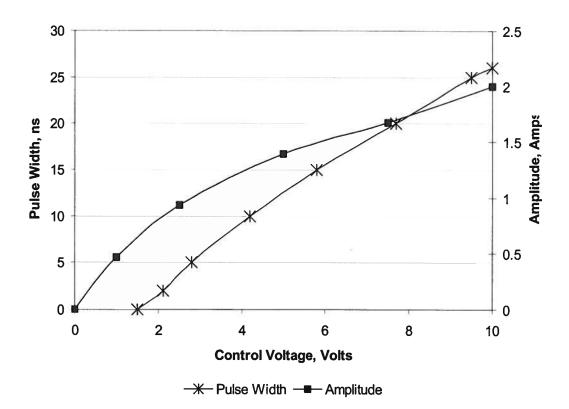
- 1) The bandwidth capability of components and instruments used to display the pulse generator output signal (attenuators, cables, connectors, etc.) should exceed 2 GHz.
- 2) The use of 40dB attenuator at the sampling scope vertical input channel will insure a peak input signal to the sampling scope of less than 1 Volt.
- 3) The AVO-2L-T module connects to the AVO mainframe via a 2-foot long miniature coaxial cable. The AVO-2-T module transforms the AVO mainframe output to 25 Volts to 12 Ohm. The laser diode is connected in series with a current limiting resistor ($R_s = 12$ Ohm) between the GND and OUT terminals on the AVO-2L-T. 1/4 Watt carbon film or carbon composition resistors may be used but all leads must be as short as possible (<0.1 inch). Solder leads directly to the GND and OUT terminals.

CAUTION: Use moderate heat when soldering to the OUT terminal.



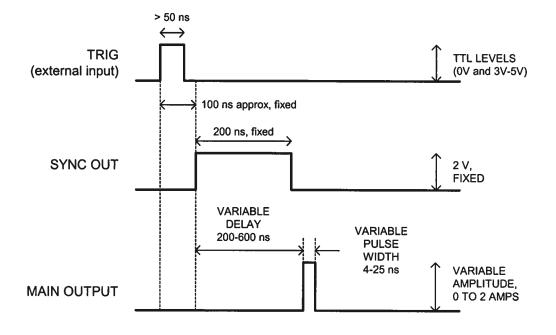
- 4) The output pulse width is controlled by the 0 to +10 VDC applied to the PW solder terminal ($R_{IN} \ge 10K$). See Fig. 2 for the typical PW-Voltage relationship.
- 5) The output pulse amplitude is controlled by the 0 to +10VDC applied to the Amp solder terminal ($R_{IN} \ge 10K$). See Fig. 2 for the typical PW-Voltage relationship. See Fig. 2 for the typical PW-Voltage relationship.
- 6) The diode current may be determined from the voltage measured across the 12 Ohm resistor in parallel with the 50 Ohm attenuator. Alternatively, a Tektronix CT-2 current probe or an American Laser 711S current transformer may be used to measure the diode current directly.
- 7) The relationship between the input TRIG pulse, the SYNC OUT and the output current pulse are illustrated in Fig. 3. The delay of the output pulse relative to the SYNC pulse (or trigger in pulse) is controlled by the 10-turn "DELAY" trim pot on the top cover of the chassis.

- 8) Note that the unit may be damaged if triggered at a PRF exceeding 20 kHz.
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Typical Pulse Width and Amplitude Response Curves

FIG. 3: RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TRIG, SYNC OUT AND MAIN OUTPUT



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