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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

MODEL AVP-AV-1 PULSE GENERATOR

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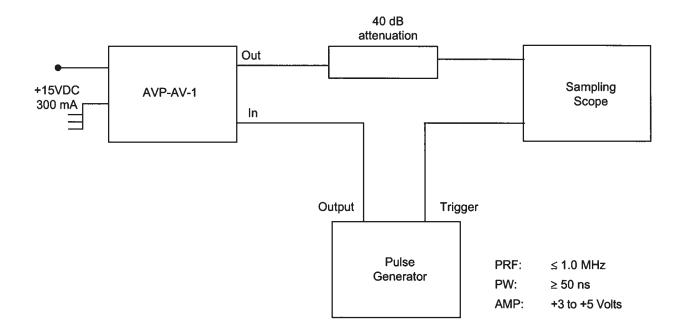
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### FIG. 1: PULSE GENERATOR TEST ARRANGEMENT



Power Line: +15 Volts / 0.3 Amps DC, shielded twisted pair, < 3 meters length

Control Lines: 1 – Coaxial line, (trigger), SMA connector, < 3 meters length

Output: Coaxial, SMA, < 3 meters length

#### **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 ten-gigahertz.
- 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 AVP-AV pulse generator can withstand an infinite VSWR on the output port.
- 5) <u>WARNING</u>: Model AVP-AV 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.
- 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. Rotation of the PW pot causes the position of the falling edge of the pulse to change.
- 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) For additional assistance:

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