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## INSTRUCTIONS

MODEL AVX-D-PS-ED-ETHB DELAY GENERATOR

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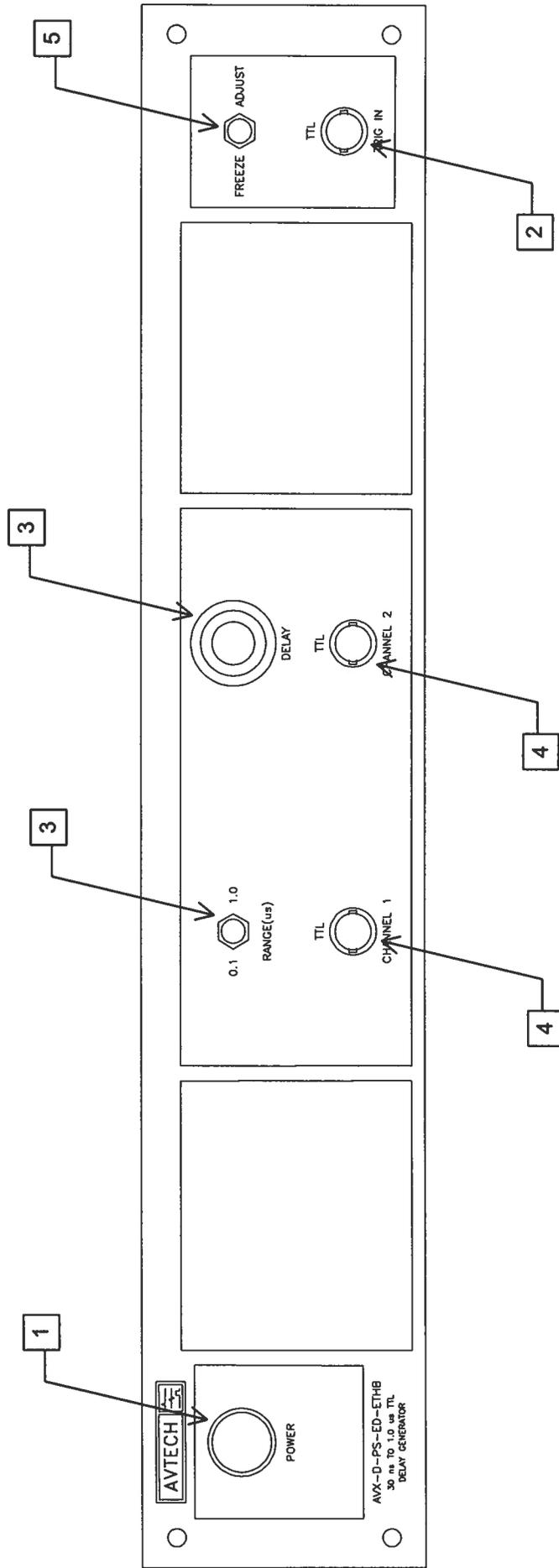
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**FIG. 1 - FRONT PANEL CONTROLS**

## FRONT PANEL CONTROLS

- 1) ON-OFF Switch. Applies basic prime power to all stages.
- 2) IN. Apply TTL input at this terminal (PW > 50 ns).
- 3) DELAY Control. Controls the relative delay between the output pulses provided at Channel 1 and Channel 2 OUT and TRIG IN (2). This delay is variable over the range of 30 to 100 ns and 100 ns to 1.0 us. The FREEZE/ADJUST switch (7) must be in the "ADJUST" position to use these controls.
- 4) CHANNELS 1 AND 2 OUT. +3 to +5 Volt output to  $R_L \geq 50$  Ohms. This output is delayed 30 ns to 1.0 us with respect to the TRIG IN pulse (2). Output pulse width is 250 ns. Channels 1 and 2 are in sync.
- 5) FREEZE/ADJUST Switch. The DELAY controls (3 and 5) are active when this switch is in the "ADJUST" position. The "FREEZE" position locks-in the delay settings, and provides much lower jitter.

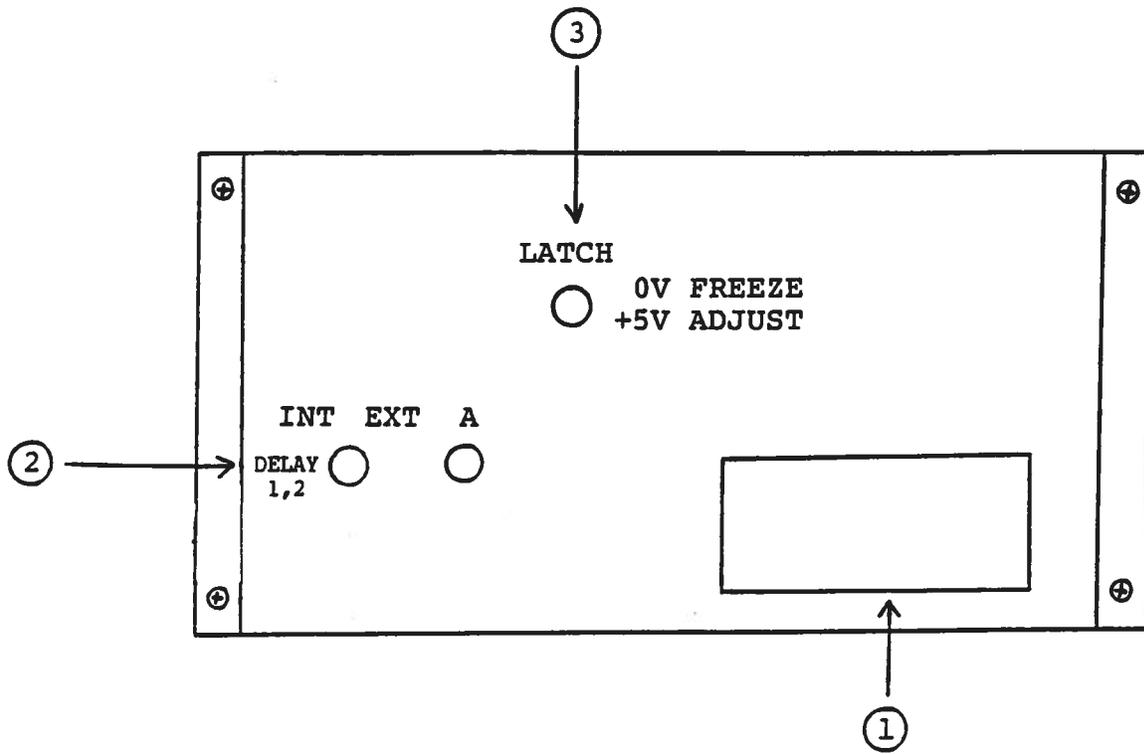
## GENERAL

- 1) To voltage control the delay, set the rear panel INT/EXT switch in the EXT position and apply 0 to +10V to the "A" connectors ( $R_{IN} \geq 10K$ ). The voltage control changes the delay when the LATCH connector is unconnected or at +5V (TTL high). The voltage-controlled delay is locked-in when the LATCH line is at 0 V (TTL low). The locked-in delay has lower jitter.
- 2) The unit can be converted from 120 to 240V 50-60 Hz operation by adjusting the voltage selector card in the rear panel fused voltage selector-cable connector assembly.
- 3) The top cover may be removed by removing the 4 Phillips screws on the top of the instrument. The top cover may then be slid back and off.
- 4) For additional assistance:

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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 (0.25 A SB).
- 2) DELAY. 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) LATCH. The LATCH input functions like the FREEZE/ADJUST switch, for the voltage-controlled delay. The voltage control changes the delay when the LATCH connector is unconnected or at +5V (TTL high). The voltage-controlled delay is locked in when the LATCH line is at 0 V (TTL low). The locked-in delay has lower jitter.

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Following our telephone conversation, I am pleased to provide the following price and delivery quotation:

**Quote No.:** 8903

**Model designation:** AVX-D-PS-ED-ETHB

**Basic function:** 2 channel delay generator employing 12 BIT switched resistor technology. Channels 1 and 2 are in sync and are both controlled by one set of controls.

**PRF:** 0 to 1.0 MHz (main application is at 1.0 MHz).

**Delay:** Range A: 30 ns to 100 ns  
Range B: 100 ns to 1.0 us

Delays are controlled by a two-position range switch and a ten turn locking dial control. Within each range, delay may also be controlled by an externally applied 0 to +10 VDC potential. Delay may be as high as 90% of the period (e.g. 900 ns at 1.0 MHz).

**Jitter:** Range A: ± 10 ps  
Range B: ± 30 ps

**Latching:**

A latching feature is employed to negate the effects of LSB flipping (caused by A-D convertors). This provides on the back panel an additional BNC connector to which the user applies 0 V to stop the LSB flipping and +5 Volts to change the delay setting. Latching time is less than 10 ms. A two-position switch (for "freeze" and "adjust" positions) is provided on the front panel.

**Connectors:**

**BNC**

**Chassis size:**

**3.9" x 17" x 14.8"**

**Prime power:**

**120/240V, 50-60 Hz**

**Other:**

**See standard AVX-D-PS**

**Price:**

**\$3,598.00 US each, Exworks, Ottawa, Canada**

**Shipping via Federal Express:**

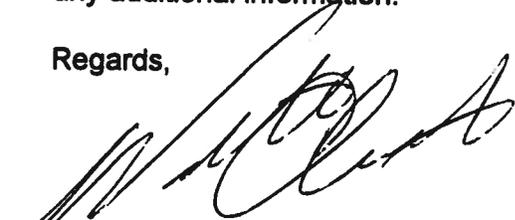
**\$160.00 US**

**Delivery:**

**60-90 days ARO**

**Thank you for your continuing interest in our products. Please contact me again if you require any additional information.**

**Regards,**



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