

Product Datasheet - Technical Specifications



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BENCHTOP MODELS

The all-new Lucid Series benchtop platform offers up to 4 phase coherent channels in a standalone compact unit. The series feature 3, 6 and 12 GHz models in single, dual or four channel versions, all sharing the very same industry leading highlighted features. Featuring extremely fast switching speed, superior signal integrity and purity, removable memory card for maximum security, all the necessary modulated signals for analog communication systems, built in LAN and USB interfaces, the Lucid Series is designed to meet today's most demanding specifications, needed from the R&D benches to the production lines.



3, 6 & 12GHz multichannel RF analog signal generator

Fast Switching speed of <100us

Single, Dual and four phase coherent channels in a single box

Remotely programmable via MATLAB, Python, LabVIEW and other software programming environments.



USB and LAN interfaces

Removable SD card for instrument security

Easy to use benchtop platform with 5" touch screen and user friendly GUI



Exceptionally Low Phase Noise of -145dBc/Hz @100MHz and 10@kHz offset



Small form factor and space efficient benchtop platform

AM, FM, PM, Sweep, Pulse & Pattern Modulation







Signal Integrity and Purity

One of the most important requirements in today's testing and measurement applications is a high signal quality. With a typical SSB phase noise of -145dBc at 100MHz, and -132dBc at 1GHz, at 10 kHz carrier offset. Lucid delivers one of the best quality signals available on the market today.

Multiple Ways to Control the Unit and Write Your Code

The Lucid Series has a dedicated software to control the instrument functions, modes and features via a graphical user interface (GUI). It also includes a complete set of drivers, allowing you to write applications in various environments, including LabVIEW, Python, CVI, C++, VB and MATLAB. You may also link the supplied DLL to other Windows-based API's or use low-level SCPI commands to program the instrument, regardless of whether the application is written for Windows, Linux or Macintosh operating systems.

Modulation Schemes

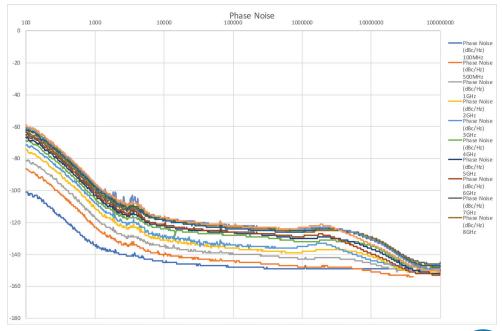
Signal bursts and chirps have become common need in most aerospace or defense application. With Tabor's Lucid Series, any signal modulation is possible, no matter if "narrow" or "standard" signals are required. On top of its outstanding pulse modulation performance, the Lucid Series is also equipped with many CW interferers, and modulated signals such as AM, FM, PM, Pulse, Pattern and Sweep.

Multi-channel, phase coherent, benchtop generator

Many test systems and experimental setups require multiple RF channels, either separate or synchronized. The Lucid series benchtop platform offers up to 4, separate or phase coherent, RF outputs in a single 19" 2U box, saving up to 4 times the space compared to available benchtop solutions on the market. You can save both valuable bench/rack space and investment capital without compromising performance.

Easy to use

The benchtop platform offers a 5" touch screen with user friendly GUI to quickly and easily generate the required signal, while displaying all the critical information. For remote control, the series is equipped with Ethernet and USB interface enabling remote programming from PC.







Specifications

FREQUENCY	
Range:	
LS3081/2/4B:	9 kHz to 3GHz
LS6081/2/4B:	9 kHz to 6GHz
LS1291/2/4B:	9 kHz to 12GHz
Resolution:	0.001 Hz
Phase offset:	0.01 deg
Switching speed:	
Standard:	500 μs
FS Option:	100 μs

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Temp. Stability:	±25 ppb max.
Aging:	± 3 ppm for 20 years
Warm up time:	30 min

AMPLITUDE			
Max output power:			
Settable:	+20 dBm		
Calibrated:	+15 dBm ⁽¹)	
Min output power:			
Settable: -100 dBm			
Calibrated:	-80 dBm		
Resolution:	0.01 dB		
Power Mute:	-95 dBm		
Output Return Loss:	-10 dBm		
Accuracy (dB):	-50dBm to +15dBm	-90dBm to -50dBm	
Up to 100MHz:	±0.3 (typ.)	±0.5 (typ.)	
100MHz to 3GHz:	±0.4 (typ.)	±0.6 (typ.)	
3GHz to 9GHz:	±0.7 (typ.)	±0.9 (typ.)	
Above 9GHz:	±1 (typ.)	±1.5 (typ.)	

PHASE NOISE (dBc/Hz)		
Measured @ 10kHz offset		
1 GHz:	-138 (typ.)	
2 GHz:	-133 (typ.)	
3 GHz:	-130 (typ.)	
6 GHz:	-124 (typ.)	
12 GHz:	-118 (typ.)	

HARMONICS (dBc)	
Up to 100 MHz:	-30 dBc
100 MHz to 12 GHz:	-50 dBc ⁽²⁾

	SUB-HARMONICS (dBc)
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6	to	12	GHz:	-55	dBm

NON-HARMONICS (dBc)		
Up to 12 GHz:	-90dBc (typ.) (3,4)	

Up to 12 GHz:	-90dBc (typ.) -60dBc max. (5)
MODULATION	

FREQUENCY MODULATION		
Maximum Deviation:	10 MHz	
Resolution:	0.1% or 1 Hz (the greater)	
Modulation Rate:	1 MHz	
Resolution:	1 Hz	
AMPLITUDE MODULA	ATION	
AM Depth:		
Type:	Linear	
Maximum settable:	90%	
Resolution:	0.1% of depth	
Accuracy (1 kHz)	< ± 4% of setting	
Modulation rate:	DC to 100 kHz	
PHASE MODULATION		
Peak Deviation:	360 deg	
Modulation Rate:	DC to 100 kHz	
PULSE MODULATION (PLS OPTION)		
On/off ratio:	80 dB	
Rise/fall time (10%-90%):	15ns (typ.)	
Resolution:	6.4ns	
Minimum Width:	32ns	
Repetition frequency:	DC to 10 MHz	
PATTERN MODULATION (PAT OPTION)		
Number of steps:	1 to 2048	
Step Repetition:	1 to 65535	
On/off time:	32 ns to 20 days	
SWEEP		
Range:	Same as freq. range	
Modes:	Frequency step, Amplitude step, List	

10 μs to 1000 s

Resolution:	1 μs
Number of points:	
List:	2 to 4,096
Step:	2 to 65,535
Step change:	Linear
Trigger:	Free run, External, Bus, Timer

INPUTS	
MODULATION INPUT	
Connector Type:	BNC
Input Impedance:	50Ω
Max. input voltage:	±1V
Input damage level:	±3.5V
PULSE / TRIGGER INPUT	
Connector type:	BNC (per channel)
Input Impedance:	50Ω
Input voltage:	TTL, CMOS compatible
Threshold:	1.5V
Damage level:	-0.42V or 5.42V
EXTERNAL REFEREN	CE INPUT
Connector type:	BNC (per channel)
Input Impedance:	50Ω
Waveform:	Sine or Square
Frequency:	10/100MHz
Power:	-3 dBm to +10 dBm
Absolute Max. Level:	+15 dBm
Locking Range:	±2 ppm

OUTPUTS		
RF OUT		
Impedance:	50Ω	
Connector type:	SMA	
Number of outputs:		
LS3081/6081/1291B:	1	
LS3082/6082/1292B:	2	
LS3084/6084/1294B:	4	
REFERENCE OUT		
Impedance:	50Ω	
Connectors type:	2 x BNC	
Frequency:	10 MHz or 100 MHz	
Shape:	Sine	
Power:	3 to 7 dBm	

Dwell time:



 $^{^{(1)}}$ Above 25kHz; $^{(2)}$ 750MHz to 900MHz -35dBc (typ.); $^{(3)}$ -60dBm max. @ 1GHz, 1.5GHz, 2.5GHz and 3GHz; $^{(4)}$ -75dBm max. @ -15dBm to +15dBm and f>6GHz; $^{(5)}$ Boundary spurs which may apear @ -100MHz to +100MHz offset from CW



Specifications

GENERAL	
Voltage Range:	90VAC to 264VAC
Frequency Range:	47Hz to 63Hz
Power Consumption:	100W
Display Type:	5", TFT capacitive touch screen
Interface:	
Host:	2 x front panel USB type A 1 x rear panel USB type A
Device: USB: LAN:	1 x rear panel USB type B 1 x rear panel 1000/100/10 BASE-T
Storage:	Removable SD card
Dimensions (W x H x D):	
Without feet	315 X 88 x 425 mm
With feet	315 X 102 x 425 mm
Weight:	
Without Package:	6.0 kg
Shipping Weight:	6.5 kg
Temperature:	
Operating:	0°C to +40°C
Storage:	-40°C to +70°C
Warm up time:	15 minutes
Humidity:	85% RH, non-condensing
Safety:	CE Marked, EC61010-1:2010
EMC:	IEC 61326-1:2013
Calibration:	2 years
Warranty:	1 / 3 year warranty plan

ORDERING INFORMATION	
MODEL	DESCRIPTION
LS3081B	3GHz Single Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS3082B	3GHz Dual Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS3084B	3GHz Four Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS6081B:	6GHz Single Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS6082B	6GHz Dual Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS6084B	6GHz Four Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS1291B	12GHz Single Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS1292B	12GHz Dual Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
LS1294B	12GHz Four Channel RF Analog Signal Generator
OPTIONS	
PLS	Pulse Modulation
PAT	Pattern Modulation
ELP	Extended Low Power (-150dBc)
EPR	Extended Power Range (-130dBc to +27dB)
FS	Fast Switching
EMU	Emulator pack for Keysight, R&S, Anapico & Holzworth
W-Rack	Rack mount kit

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