spectracom

GSG-5 Series Advanced GNSS Simulator



- Versatile multi-channel GNSS signal generator with pre-configured test scenarios
- Includes advanced features such as SBAS (WAAS, EGNOS, MSAS, or GAGAN), white noise generation, multipath simulation
- Operates with StudioView[™] for easy scenario creation and file management
- Fully operational via front-panel, webbased remote control, or SCPI protocol
- Multiple interfaces for remote control
- Affordable, powerful, and easy-to-use
- SW upgradeable to more channels, more features, and other GNSS systems



The GSG-5 series is a GPS, GLONASS, Galileo, and BeiDou constellation simulator that provides the basic set of features for testing GNSS systems. With a base of four channels, upgradable to 8, 16, or more, it provides navigational fix and position testing, for in-line product testing or basic engineering and development testing.

Easy to Use

GSG-5 users can configure scenarios on-the-fly without the need for an external PC and pre-compilation phase. Via the front panel, the user can swiftly modify parameters such as user position, time and power output. And using the StudioView[™] software facilitates easily created scenarios via a Google Maps interface.

Flexibility

As the base model of the popular 5 Series GNSS Simulator family, this affordable unit can be upgraded at any time after purchase to increase the channel count, add new GNSS constellations and advanced simulation capabilities. Some restrictions apply. Your investment is protected as you can purchase now, or upgrade later, as needed, when your requirements change.

Connectivity Extends Ease of Use and Flexibility

The GSG-5 can be controlled via an Ethernet network connection, USB or GPIB. A built-in web interface allows complete operation of the instrument through front panel controls. With the GSG StudioView[™] PC Software, you can build, edit, and manage the most complex scenarios, independent of the unit, for later upload.

The Affordable Test Solution

The GSG-5 is a perfect fit for a wide-variety of test cases including:

- Test of receivers' sensitivity to loss of satellites, multipath, interference, and atmospheric conditions.
- Fast production test of sensitivity and positioning receivers' accuracy (conducted or over-the-air).
- Test of receivers' dynamic range.
- Test of leap second transition.



Input and Output Specifications **RF Signal GPS/GLONASS L1**

Connector: Type N female **DC Blocking:** internal, up to 7 VDC; 470 Ω nominal load

Frequency: L1/E1/B1/SAR:1539 - 1627 MHz Number of output channels: 4 to 16 Constellations: GPS, GLONASS, Galileo, BeiDou

Modulations: BPSK, QPSK, BOC(all) SBAS: WAAS, EGNOS, GAGAN, MSAS, LUCH (2014)

Spurious transmission: <-40 dBc Harmonics: <-40 dBc Output signal level: -65 to -160 dBm; 0.1 dB resolution down to -150 dBm; 0.3 dB down to -160 dBm. Power accuracy: ±1.0 dB Pseudorange accuracy: 1mm Inter-channel bias: Zero

Inter-channel range: >54 dB Limits:

	Standard	Extended
Altitude	18,240 m (60,000 feet)	20,200,000 m (66,273,000 feet)
Acceloration	4.0 g	No limits
Velocity	515 m/s (1000 knots)	20,000 m/s (38,874 knots)
Jerk	20 m/s ³	No limit

External Frequency Reference Input

Connector: BNC female Frequency: 10 MHz nominal Input signal level: 0.1 to 5Vrms Input impedance: >1k Ω

Frequency Reference Output

Connector: BNC female Frequency: 10 MHz sine Output signal level: 1Vrms in to 50 Ω load

External Trigger Input

Connector: BNC female Frequency: TTL level, 1.4V nominal

1PPS Output

Connector: BNC female **Output signal level:** approx. OV to +2.0V in 50 Ω load

Accuracy: Calibrated to ±10 nSec of RF timing mark output

Built-in Timebase

Internal Timebase – High Stability OCXO

Ageing per 24 h: <5x10.10 Ageing per year: <5x10⁸ Temp. variation 0....50°C: <5x10° Short term stability (Adev @1s): <5x1012

Auxiliary Functions Interface

GPIB (IEEE-488.2), USB 1.X or 2.X (USBTMC-488), Ethernet (100/10 Mbps)

Settings

Predefined scenarios: User can change date, time, position, trajectory, number of satellites, satellite power level and atmospheric model User defined scenarios: Unlimited Trajectory data: NMEA format (GGA or RMC messages, or both), convert from other formats with GSG StudioView[™] (see separate datasheet)

General Specifications

Certifications

Safety: Designed and tested for Measurement Category I, Pollution Degree 2, in accordance with EN/IEC 61010-1:2001 and CAN/ CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1-04 (incl. approval) EMC: EN 61326-1:2006, increased test levels per EN 61000-6-3:2001 and EN 61000-6-2:2005

Dimensions

WxHxD: 210 x 90 x 395 mm (8.25" x 3.6" x 15.6") Weight: approx. 2.7 kg (approx. 5.8 lb)

Optional Antenna

Frequency: 1000MHz to 2600MHz Impedance: 50 Ω **VSWR:** <2:1 (typ) Connector: SMA male Dimensions: 15 mm diameter x 36 mm length

Environmental

Class: MIL-PRF-28800F, Class 3 Temperature: 0°C to +50°C (operating); -40°C to +70°C non-condensing @ <12,000 m (storage) Humidity:

5-95 % @ 10 to 30°C 5-75 % @ 30 to 40°C 5-45 % @ 40 to 50°C

Power

Line Voltage: 90-265 Vrms, 45-440 Hz Power Consumption: <25 W

Ordering information Basic Models

GSG-5: 4-channel advanced GNSS simulator; with high stability OCXO timebase Included with instrument

- User manual and GSG StudioView software (one license per unit) on CD
- RF cable, 1.5 m
- SMA to Type N adapter
- USB cable
- Certificate of calibration 3-year warranty¹

Optional Accessories

Option 01/71: Passive GNSS Antenna Option 22/90: Rack-mount kit Option 27H: Heavy-duty hard transport case OM-54: User Manual (printed) Additional StudioView licenses are available

Optional Upgrades

Option GLO: GLONASS Constellation Option GAL: Galileo Constellation Option BDS: BeiDou Constellation Option 8: 8 Channel Upgrade Option 16: 16 Channel Upgrade (requires 8 channel upgrade) Option 32/2²: 32 channel, dual-frequency upgrade (to GSG-62) Option RSG: Real-time Scenario Generator (requires 16 channel configuration) Option HV: High Velocity Upgrade (requires 16 channel configuration) Option RP: Record and Playback (requires 16 channel configuration)

Optional Services¹

Calibration/GSG: GSG Calibration Service Option 95/05: Extended warranty to 5 years **GSG-ASP:** GSG Annual Service Plan GSG-INST: User Training and Installation.

¹The warranty period and available services may vary dependent on country

²Option may require the unit to be returned to factory for upgrade