



M15HWD Series
WR15 Harmonic Mixers
50 to 75 GHz

DESCRIPTION

The M15HWD Series will expand your existing Spectrum Analyzer capabilities so you can conduct millimeter wave measurements in WR15 (50-75 GHz). These harmonic mixers are compatible with spectrum analyzers that offer an external mixer option (e.g., Advantest, Anritsu, Keysight, IFR (Marconi), Rohde & Schwarz, and Tektronix. Please indicate your target spectrum analyzer so OML can characterize the harmonic mixer using the corresponding LO, IF, and multiplier settings. Test data supplied (optional electronic in CSV format is also available).



HIGHLIGHTS

- Useful tool to extend measurements to mm-wave
- Optional diplexer simplifies connectivity
- -30 dBm recommended input power
- Industry waveguide compatibility
- Ergonomic design is bench friendly
- Modular design increases dynamic range
- Test data enables amplitude corrections
- Optional electronic CSV format available

APPLICATIONS

- Identify signal levels and lock conditions
- One diplexer per spectrum analyzer
- Linearity practical for active tests
- Minimize needs for adapters and transitions
- Connections and usability are straightforward
- Optimize test setup for maximum performance
- Accurate amplitude readouts with corrections applied
- Conveniently archive and recall test data

ELECTRICAL AND PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS (+25°C)

After a 0.5 hour warm-up period, the M15HWD will satisfy the following specifications.



Electrical Characteristics ¹	MIN	TYP	MAX
System Operating Frequency (GHz)	50	--	75
RF Port Match (dB) ²	--	7.5	--
1 dB Compression (dBm) ²	--	-10	--
Third Order Intercept (dBm) ²	--	0	--
LO Input (dBm)	+12	+15	+17
Usable LO Input w/ Degraded Conversion Loss (dB)	+6	--	+18
IF Frequency Range (MHz) ³	200	322	2,400
Mixer Bias (mA) ⁴	-10	--	+10
Operating Temperature Range (°C)	20°	25°	30°

Module Characteristics	Description
System Waveguide Interface (dB) ⁵	WR-15
Typical Conversion Loss (dB) ⁶	33
System LO/IF Interface	SMA (f)
Sensitivity (dBm) ⁷	-111
Typical RF Power to Avoid Compression (dBm) ²	-20 dBm (10 μW)
Maximum Power, RF+LO (mW, dBm)	100 mW (20 dBm)
Size (L x W x H)	2.9" x 0.9" x 0.8"
Weight	< 6 ounces

¹ Specifications are typical and subject to change without notice

² Not tested

³ Limited by diplexer's IF characteristics

⁴ Current limits predetermined by spectrum analyzer manufacturer; actual bias specified on test data

⁵ Test Port Flange Configuration is compatible with MIL-DTL-3922/67E

⁶ Typical value for Keysight PXA settings at -30 dBm RF input

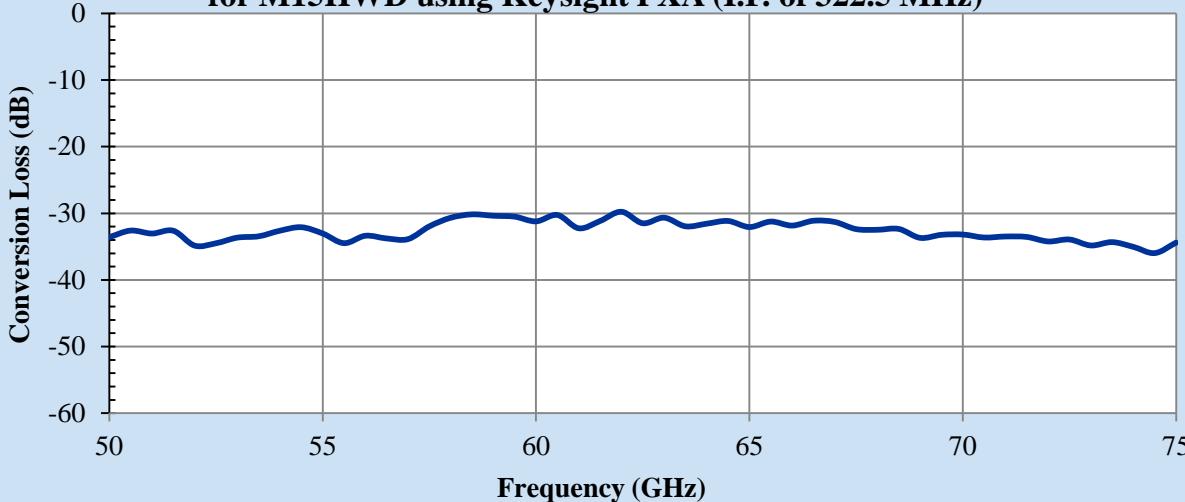
⁷ Calculate Sensitivity (RBW of 1 kHz) = -144 dBm + conversion loss; represents theoretical minimum discernable signal



TYPICAL PERFORMANCE

The following typical performance is available when used with the Keysight PXA.

Typical Conversion Loss Versus Frequency
for M15HWD using Keysight PXA (I.F. of 322.5 MHz)



ORDER INFORMATION

Model Number	Waveguide Interface	Frequency (GHz)
M15HWD	WR-15	50-75
M15HWDX (with CSV Data)		
Diplexers		
DPL26	Diplexer, L.O. 2-7.5 GHz, I.F. < 1 GHz for Keysight	
DPL313B	Diplexer, L.O. 3-13 GHz, I.F. < 1 GHz	
DPL518	Diplexer, L.O. 5-18 GHz, I.F. < 2 GHz	
Diplexer Standard Accessories (Each diplexer includes the following items)		
V00LOIF	Test Port Ext. Cable, DC to 18 GHz, 3 ft, SMA(m) - SMA(m), 50 Ohm	
M00IF	IF Test Port Ext. Cable, DC to 1 GHz, 5 inches, SMA(m) - SMA(m), 50 Ohm	
M00DLP	Adapter, DC to 18 GHz, SMA(m)-SMA(m), 50 Ohm	

MECHANICAL DIMENSIONS

 (If necessary, contact OML for more detailed drawings)