OmniBER 718 communications performance analyzer

Specification

**SDH:**
STM-16, STM-4, STM-1, STM-0

**SONET:**
OC-48, OC-12, OC-3, OC-1, STS-3, STS-1

**PDH/T-carrier:**
2 Mb/s, 8 Mb/s, 34 Mb/s, 140 Mb/s, DS1, DS3

**Jitter:**
DS1 to STM-16c/OC-48c

**ATM:**
DS1 to STM-16c/OC-48c

**POS:**
STM-0/STS-1 to STM-16/OC-48
The Agilent Technologies OmniBER 718 communications performance analyzer offers a single box field portable multi-rate SDH/SONET tester up to 2.5 Gb/s (STM-16/OC-48). The analyzer is ideally suited to installation, maintenance, commissioning, system verification and manufacture of SDH/SONET transport networks and network equipment.

POS and ATM devices can also be tested up to 2.5 Gb/s by simply adding the appropriate payload mapping options. The latest enhancements to the OmniBER 718 analyzer include a choice of instrument variants for multi-rate testing. This new choice allows you to buy the SDH only or SDH/SONET test configuration you need today and upgrade in the future as your testing needs move to higher rates.

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Other enhancements added to the latest OmniBER 718 include:

- Smartsetup autodiscover wizard simultaneously displays all J1 trace identifiers.
- Smartsetup lets you quickly and easily explore right down into the payload of selected SDH/SONET tributaries.
- Full SDH and SONET jitter measurement and generation including DS1 and DS3.
- Real-time analysis of key performance indices MTIE, TDEV, MRTIE.
- User-definable jitter tolerance and transfer masks.
- SDH-only or dual standard SONET/SDH configurations available.
- Electrical-only configuration available for 155/52 Mb/s testing.
- 2 Mb/s mapped into DS3.
- A telephone jack socket enables talk/listen on 64 kb/s channels carried in higher rate signals.
- ATM payloads available.
- POS payloads available.

### Summary of capabilities

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Smartsetup
Not only is the OmniBER 718 analyzer rugged and portable, its easy-to-use Smartsetup and Smart Tests simplify and speed up the installation and maintenance of SDH/SONET/ATM networks.

The OmniBER 718 analyzer lets you start testing with just two key presses! With the analyzer connected to any signal, simply press the Smart Test key on the front panel, select Smartsetup and the instrument’s autodiscover wizard automatically identifies the line rate and payload structure of the unknown input signal. The analyzer also automatically displays all of the J1 trace identifiers, that is 48 J1 identifiers in an OC-48 signal, or 16 in an STM-16 signal. With the signal structure now identified it’s a simple process, using the cursor control keys, to select a channel of interest and to explore right down into the payload.

Smart Tests
The front panel Smart Test key offers a simple shortcut to the extensive capabilities of the OmniBER 718 analyzer. The Smart Tests are grouped together in functional blocks so you don’t need to be an instrument ‘expert’ to get tests up and running quickly. Test capability that is accessed with only a couple of key presses include:

- Protection switch time measurement
- Optical power measurement
- Line frequency measurement
- Error and alarm summary results.

Large color display
The color VGA display on the OmniBER 718 analyzer operates in single- or multi-window mode. In multi-window mode, four windows are displayed allowing simultaneous viewing of transmitter settings, receiver settings, graphical results and text results summary.

A VGA output is provided on the analyzer’s front panel for connection to VGA projector for training purposes.

Protection switch time measurement
Service disruption measurement couldn’t be simpler than with the OmniBER 718 analyzer. Using dedicated hardware, the analyzer measures the length of the error burst associated with a protection switch. Unlike the old method of correlating bit errors with time, the unique implementation in the analyzer is accurate to 50 µs with a resolution of 1 µs. Service disruption is also available on ATM signals.

SDH/SONET ring testing
Configuring SDH/SONET rings and verifying their functionality is a complex and time-consuming process. Using the comprehensive thru mode capability of the OmniBER 718 analyzer can help to speed up the task and ensure that the advantages of the SDH/SONET ring configuration will be delivered when problems arise on the live network.

The three different thru modes of operation available are:

- Transparent: The SDH/SONET signal is monitored and normal measurements made. The line signal is passed through unaltered without recalculation of BIPs.
- AU-n/STS Payload overwrite: Select an AU-n/STS SPE channel and overwrite with an internally generated payload. BIPs are recalculated and all other AU-n/STS SPEs are retransmitted unaltered. Standard transmit test functions are enabled so that it is possible to add errors, alarms, pointer adjustments etc.
- TU-n/VT payload overwrite: Select a TU-n/VT channel and overwrite with an internally generated payload. All other are retransmitted unaltered. Standard transmit test functions are enabled so that it is possible to add errors, alarms and pointer adjustments.
Concatenated payloads

Concatenated payloads are vital for the rapid and accurate testing of high bandwidth paths before they are brought into service. The OmniBER 718 analyzer provides concatenated payload testing at all levels of a SDH/SONET/ATM signal. As well as providing concatenated payloads at the line rate e.g. OC-48c, the analyzer lets you test SDH/SONET structures containing concatenated payloads from lower levels of the SDH/SONET hierarchy e.g. STM-4c/STS-12c carried in STM-16/OC-48.

Remote control for manufacturing

Every OmniBER 718 analyzer is shipped with a set of Universal Instrument Drivers (UIDs) on CD-ROM. UIDs provide a suite of graphical function panels which make programming the analyzer easy and fast! There is no need to know about SCPI commands – the SCPI commands are generated automatically by setting switches on a graphical function panel.

UIDs are supported in the following environments:

- HP VEE
- Labview
- LabWindows/CVI
- Visual Basic
- C++

and on the following operating systems:

- Windows 95
- Windows NT
- HP-UX
- Sun Solaris.

Remote control for remote in-service monitoring

The Distributed Network Analyzer (DNA) software (E4540A) allows control of an OmniBER 718 analyzer from a remote PC via modem or LAN. Changes made on the virtual front panel on the PC are seen in real time at the remote site. Key presses made on the instrument at the remote site are seen in real time on the PC – ideal for remote troubleshooting by a centralized expert!

For long-term monitoring applications it is also possible to dial in to a remote OmniBER 718 analyzer, download/update results and disconnect. Disconnect and re-connect at any time without interrupting test progress.

PDH and T-carrier testing

The PDH/T-carrier test module provides comprehensive test capability for 2, 8, 34, 140 Mb/s, DS1(1.5 Mb/s) and DS3 (45 Mb/s) interfaces. For DS3 testing FEAC code generation and monitor capability is included. At DS1 both in-band and out-of-band loop code generation and monitor is also available.

The test module also provides mapped payload testing capability for SDH/SONET testing

Other supported functionality includes:

- Unframed, framed and structured (mux/demux) testing
- Error and alarm generation and measurement
- 56 kb/s, n × 56 kb/s, 64 kb/s and n × 64 kb/s testing
- DS1 add/drop from DS3 (requires option 002)
- 2 Mb/s add/drop from 8/34/140 Mb/s
- DS1/DS3 and 2/34 Mb/s add/drop from SDH/SONET
- Telephone handset connector for talk/listen capability.

Testing of 2 Mb/s mapped into DS3 is also available if required (option 014).

Jitter Testing

The OmniBER 718 can optionally perform jitter generation and measurement at all installed interface rates from 2.5 Gb/s to 1.5 Mb/s. The jitter capability in the OmniBER 718 lets you ensure that your network equipment complies with all relevant ITU-T and Bellcore jitter recommendations. Jitter test applications covered by the OmniBER 718 are:

- Output jitter measurement
- Auto jitter tolerance
- Auto jitter transfer
- Pointer jitter measurement
- Mapping jitter measurement

As well as the standard ITU-T and Bellcore masks, user definable jitter masks are included to let you specify the exact points you need to test your network equipment.

Wander analysis software

The wander analyzer software provides the real-time calculation of the MTIE, TDEV and MRTIE wander performance indices. The software is windows compatible.

What's more, the OmniBER 718 meets the latest ITU-T 0.172 recommendation for test equipment.
Other features of the OmniBER 718

**SDH/SONET**
- Troublescan automatically scans for all possible error and alarm conditions
- Payload offset test
- SDH/SONET error and alarm generation/detection
- SDH/SONET tributary scan
- SDH/SONET pointer adjustments to ITU-T G.783/Bellcore GR-253-CORE
- Graphical pointer location graph
- Access to SDH/SONET overhead
- Overhead sequence generation and capture
- Text decode of APS messages for transmit and receive
- Optical stress test
- Drop/insert of DCC channels
- Optical power measurement
- Line frequency measurement
- Line frequency offset
- Choice of clock reference: Internal, recovered, external 64 kb/s, 2 M (MTS), 1.5 M (BITS), 10 MHz.
- Performance analysis to ITU-T G.821, G.826, M.2101, M.2110, M.2120
- Graphical results storage.
- Transmit and receive can be independently configured.

**PDH/T-carrier (optional)**
- Troublescan automatically scans for all possible error and alarm conditions
- Alarm scan
- Error and alarm generation/detection
- Choice of clock reference: Internal, recovered, external 64 kb/s, 2 M (MTS), 1.5 M (BITS), 10 MHz.
- Line frequency offset
- Signaling bits generation/detection
- Performance analysis to ITU-T G.821, G.826, M.2100, M.2110, M.2120
- Graphical results storage.
- Transmit and receive can be independently configured.

**ATM (optional)**
- ATM payloads up to 2.5 Gb/s.
- Comprehensive jitter test with ATM payloads.
- Fast, accurate measurements of protection switch times of ATM circuits.

**POS (optional)**
- POS payloads at all synchronous rates to 2.5 Gb/s.
- Channelized testing.
- PPP/HDLC and Cisco HDLC coverage.
- Verify HDLC stuffing.
- Continuity and throughput testing.
- Stress testing using traffic profiles - IP datagram size and inter-packet gap size fully configurable.
- Comprehensive jitter test with POS payloads.
- Service disruption measurement with POS payloads.
### Optical interfaces

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*Notes:* Optical interfaces on the 37718A use a customer exchangeable connector system. On 37718B and 37718C models, a fixed connector system is used (supports removal for cleaning).
## Optical transmitters

The following specifications cover both 1310 and 1550 nm transmitters unless otherwise stated.

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<td>1550 nm</td>
<td>1530 to 1570 nm</td>
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<td>Power</td>
<td>1 dBm ± 2 dB</td>
<td>–3 to +2 dBm</td>
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<td>Spectral width</td>
<td>≤ 0.3 nm at –3 dB</td>
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<td>Extinction ratio</td>
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## Optical receiver

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<td>Sensitivity</td>
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<td>STM-4/1/0: –28 dBm, typically –34 dBm</td>
<td>STM-1/0: –28 dBm, typically –34 dBm</td>
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<td>Max input power</td>
<td>–8 dBm</td>
<td>–3 dBm</td>
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<td>Fiber pigtail</td>
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**Notes:**

1. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are valid in the 0 to +45 °C temperature range.
2. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are measured at 10^{-3} error rate using a 2^31 – 1 test pattern.
3. 37718A: The optical receiver operates over the range 1200 to 1600 nm. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are valid in defined wavelength ranges.

## Protected monitor

**point input (on optical modules)**

- 52 Mb/s, 155 Mb/s and 622 Mb/s.
- **Line code:** NRZ.
- **Level:** Nominal 1 V peak-to-peak into 50 ohms.
- **Connector:** SMA female.
Electrical line rates/interfaces

STM-1e (CMI) to ITU-T G.703, STM-0e (B3ZS).
Input mode: Terminate or monitor mode to ITU-T G.772.
Monitor gain: 20 dB or 26 dB
STM-1e equalization: Automatic for cable loss up to 12 dB at half the bit rate.
STM-0e operating level:
STM-0 Hi: 1.1V peak nominal with cable equalization up to 450 ft.
STM-0 900ft: As STM-0 Hi with added cable equalization for 450 ft to 900 ft.
Connector: BNC, 75 ohm nominal unbalanced.

Clock reference

Internal: ± 0.5 ppm; stability: ± 3 ppm; ageing: ± 1 ppm.
Loop-timed: Clock recovered from receiver’s SDH input.
External reference: 2M (MTS), 1.5 M (BITS), 64 kbit/s, 10 MHz.
Connector: BNC, 75 ohm nominal unbalanced, 3 pin Siemens 120 ohm balanced.

Clock trigger

Divided clock output (37718A)
51.840 MHz for STM-16/STM-4/STM-1
8.65 MHz for STM-0.
Divided clock output (37718B/C)
51.840 MHz for STM-16/STM-4/STM-1/STM-0
Connector: BNC, ECL to –2 V, ac coupled, 50 ohm.

Clock output

2 MHz reference clock output. 2.048 MHz ± 100 ppm (synchronized to clock reference).
Connector: BNC, 75 ohm nominal unbalanced.

Trigger/error output

60 μsec (nominal) pulse on B1, B2, B3 error, Tx/Rx frame (TTL level, termination can be
75 ohm or 10 kohm).
Connector: BNC, 75 ohm unbalanced.

Clock offset

± 999 ppm in 0.1 ppm steps.
Offset accuracy up to 100 ppm ± 0.02 ppm.
Offset accuracy 100 to 999 ppm ± 0.2 ppm.
Offsets the transmitted STM-n line frequency versus the selected clock reference.

SDH payload structure

See Figure 1 “SDH payload mapping” for details of payload mapping.
Verifies the payload mapping/demapping functions used to ensure a payload is carried through
the SDH network, so that it is delivered correctly at its destination, as per the
recommendations in ITU-T G.707.

SDH multiplexing structure (includes AU-4 and AU-3 mappings to ITU-T G.707).

STM-16: bulk filled VC-4-16c, VC-4-4c (concatenated payloads).
STM-4: bulk filled VC-4-4c (concatenated payloads).
140Mb/s:
VC-4→STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
34Mb/s:
VC-3→TU-3→VC-4→STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
VC-3→AU-3→STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
DS3:
VC-3→TU-3→VC-4→STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
VC-3 → AU-3 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).

**TU-2:**
TU-2 → TU-3 → VC-4 → STM-N (bulk filled TU-2-Nc concatenated payloads).
TU-2 → VC-3 → AU-3 → STM-N (bulk filled TU-2-Nc concatenated payloads).

2 Mb/s (async/FI byte sync):
VC-12 → TU-12 → VC-4 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
VC-12 → TU-12 → VC-3 → AU-3 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).

**TU-2**
TU-2 → TU-3 → VC-4 → STM-N (bulk filled TU-2-Nc concatenated payloads).
TU-2 → VC-3 → AU-3 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).

**TU-3**
TU-3 → TU-12 → VC-4 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).
TU-3 → VC-3 → AU-3 → STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).

**STM-N (bulk filled, unframed, framed, structured).**

The foreground VC-4/VC-3 test signal can be mapped into any one or all channels. The background channels can be identical to the foreground or filled with a different structure.

**Notes:**
1. Option 012 (PDH/T-carrier testing) is required for 2/34/140Mb/s/DS1/DS3 mappings.
2. STM-16 mappings only available on 37718A fitted with optical interface option (option 104, 105 or 106).
3. STM-4 mappings only available on 37718A or 37718B fitted with optical interface option (option 104, 105 or 106).

**Mixed payloads generation**
With TU-3 or TU-11 or TU-12 as foreground signal the background structure can be configured to be any valid combination of TU-3 or TU-11 or TU-12.

**Payload offset**
± 100 ppm in 1 ppm steps, linearity 0.5 ppm.
The line rate of the PDH signal, within the SDH container, is offset with respect to the container in which it is carried. Required for mapping jitter tests.

**Payload test pattern**
2⁹–1, 2¹¹–1, 2¹⁵–1, 2²³–1 (inverted or non-inverted), all ones, all zeros, 1010, 1000, 16 bit user word.
DS1 only: QRSS (2²⁰–1; 14 zero limited), Daly (55-octet) 1-in-8, 2-in-8.

**PDH/DSn drop/insert**
Requires option 012 (T-carrier testing).
2/34/140 Mb/s, DS3 dropped and/or inserted into STM-n line signal (supported for asynchronous mappings only). In addition, DS1 drop/insert is available with option 002.

**SDH tributary scan**
Automatically test BER on each SDH tributary for error free operation. Rx setup is used to determine tributary structure and test pattern. (At STM-16/STM-4 the foreground STM-1 will be scanned).

**Alarms:** Pattern loss.
**User selectable BER threshold:** Off, > 0, ≥ 10⁻³, ≥ 10⁻⁶.

**SDH error add**
Data (whole frame)¹, frame (A1,A2)¹, B1, B2, MS-REI, HP B3, HP-REI, AU4-IEC, LP BIP-2, LP-REI, bit¹.

**Control:** Single, error all, M.P x 10⁻ⁿ (where M.P = 0.1 to 9.9 in 0.1 steps and n = 3 to 9²).

1. No “Error All” selection available.
2. Max Error Rate depends on the Error Type
SDH alarm generation
- LOS, LOF, OOF, MS-AIS, MS-RDI, AU-AIS, AU-LOP, HP-RDI, HP-unequipped, TU-AIS, LP-LOP, LP-unequipped, H4 LDM.
- Control: On/off.

SDH pointer adjustments
- **Frequency offset**: Offset the VC-n,TU-n relative to the line rate. In the AU pointer mode the 87:3 sequence is generated. Frequency offset control (±100 ppm in 0.1 ppm steps).
- **ITU-T G.783 sequences**: Initialisation sequence and cool down period
  1. Periodic Single,
  2. Periodic Burst,
  3. Periodic Phase Transient Burst,
  4. Alternating Single
  5. Alternating Double
  6. Regular with Added
  7. Regular with Missing.

Programmable interval between regular adjustments.
- **Regular**: Interval between regular adjustments can be programmed as follows:
  - 10 ms < T < 100 ms in 10 ms steps.
  - 100 ms < T < 1 s in 100 ms steps.
  - 1 s, 2 s, 5 s or 10 s.
- **Single burst**: Incrementing burst, decrementing burst, alternating.
  - Burst size: 1 to 10 adjustments (AU and TU-3), 1 to 5 adjustments (TU-2 and TU-12).
  - Adjustments within the burst are separated by the minimum legal limit (4 frames/multiframes).
- **New pointer**: New pointer address transmitted with or without a NDF. VC-n payload moves to the user programmed address immediately.

SDH overhead setup
- **RSOH**: All bytes (hex/binary) user settable except B1.
  - J0: 16 (15 + 1 CRC) byte user defined or pre-defined trace identifier.
- **MSOH**: All bytes (hex/binary) user settable except B2, H1, H2 and H3. (The SS bits in H1 col1 are settable), APS/MSP messages (K1K2) synchronization status messages (S1).
- **VC-4/VC-3 POH**: All bytes (hex/binary) user settable except B3.
  - J1: 64 or 15 byte user defined or pre-defined trace identifier.
  - J2: 16 (15 + 1 CRC) byte user defined or pre-defined trace identifier.

SDH overhead monitor
- **RSOH, MSOH, VC-4/VC-3 POH, TU-2/TU-12/TU-11 LPOH** all bytes (hex/binary).
  - Text decodes provided for regenerator section trace identifier(J0), synchronization status (S1), APS/MSP messages (K1K2), path trace identifiers (J1, J2), signal label (C2), low order path signal label (V5).

APS/MSP messages
- Linear (ITU-T G.783) or ring architecture (ITU-T G.841) textual based protection switching messages can be transmitted and decoded.

For linear topologies APS messages can be active or passive. In passive, static messages can be generated and received. The active APS selection gives relative response to provide switch keep-alive capability by responding to change requests that appear on the K1/K2 byte values.

SDH overhead sequence generation
- Sequence of up to 5 values transmitted in a selected overhead channel. The transmit duration for each value is user programmable in range 0 to 64000 frames.
Overhead channel:
RSOH: A1-A2 (6 bytes), D1-D3 (3 bytes), J0, Z0, E1, F1
MSOH: D4-D12 (9 bytes), K1K2 (2 bytes), S1, M1, Z1, Z2, E2
HPOH: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, F3, K3, N1.

SDH overhead sequence capture
A single overhead channel can be selected to be captured. The display can be triggered manually or on a user-defined value. The first 16 values including the trigger are displayed along with the number of frames for which the pattern has persisted, each value being the width of the channel under test.

Overhead channel:
RSOH: A1-A2 (6 bytes), D1-D3 (3 bytes), J0, Z0, E1, F1.
MSOH: H1H2 (2 bytes), D4-D12 (9 bytes), K1K2 (2 bytes), S1, M0, M1, Z1, Z2, E2.
HPOH: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, F3, K3, N1.

SDH overhead BER
2^9–1 PRBS transmitted and analyzed in a single 64 kb/s overhead channel. Single bit errors can be inserted in the transmitted test pattern.

Overhead channel:
RSOH: D1 to D3 (single byte), J0, E1, F1.
MSOH: D4 to D12 (single byte), K1, K2, S1, M1, M0, E2.
HPOH: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, F3, K3, N1.

Results: Error count, error ratio, error free seconds, % error free seconds, pattern loss seconds

Optical stress test
Payload is overwritten with a block of zeros or ones after scrambling to stress timing recovery circuits.

Range:
2 to 85 bytes – STM-0.
2 to 259 bytes – STM-1.
2 to 1042 bytes – STM-4.
2 to 4174 bytes – STM-16.
CID test: Consecutive 1s digital test to ITU-T G.958 Appendix 1.

DCC add-drop
D1-D3 (192 kb/s), D4-D12 (576 kb/s)
Serial add-drop of DCC channels via RS-449 (15-pin D-type connector).

SDH thru mode
STM-16, STM-4, STM-1, STM-0 through mode

Transparent mode: Signal passes through unaltered. BIPs are not recalculated.

Overhead overwrite: The test features associated with the SOH/POH can be enabled to alter one single or multi-byte overhead channel ie, errors and alarms, overhead sequences, stress test, overhead BER. In this mode the B1, B2 BIPs are recalculated.

AU-4/AU-3 payload overwrite: Overwrite the complete selected AU-4/AU-3 with the internally generated payload. Enables the other AU-4/AU-3s to be looped while a new payload is inserted. The test features associated with the VC-4/VC-3 and/or the POH are enabled, ie, errors and alarms, adjust pointer, overhead sequences, stress test, overhead BER.

TU-3/TU-12 payload overwrite: Overwrite the complete selected TU with the internally generated payload. Enables the other TUs to be looped while a new payload is inserted. The test features associated with the VC-n and/or the POH are enabled, ie, errors and alarms, adjust pointer.

SDH alarm detection
LOS, OOF, LOF, MS-AIS, MS-RDI, AU-AIS, AU-LOP, HP-RDI, H4-LOM, TU-AIS, TU-LOP, TU-RDI, pattern loss, clock loss, K1/K2 change, power loss, pointer adjust.
SDH error measurements

**Measurement control:** Manual, single, timed start, power loss.

**Error:** Frame (A1A2), B1, B2, MS-REI, B3, HP-REI, HP-IEC, LP-REI, LP-BIP-2, bit.

**Basic results:** Error count, error ratio, elapsed time.

**Performance analysis:** ITU-T G.826, G.821, M.2101, M.2110, M.2120.

**Service Disruption test**

**Note:** Requires Option 012

Measures error burst length for measurement of service disruption during protection switching times to ITU-T G.783 (linear architecture)/G.841 (ring network topology).

**Accuracy:** 50 μs for unframed signals

*Note:* It is recommended that unframed signals are used to measure service disruption as frame sync times will affect the measurement.

**Results:** Longest burst length, shortest burst length, last burst length.

**Resolution:** 1 μs.

**Start Condition:** Any error.

**Stop Condition:** Error burst assumed complete when between 200 – 300ms have elapsed without any errors being received.

**Measurement Period:** Elapsed time between the first bit error received and the last error received when the Start and Stop Conditions have been met.

**AlarmScan**

**alarm & BIP scan**

Automatically scans the SDH network hierarchy for alarms and BIP errors or alarms only with a graphical display of the network hierarchy’s status including identification of unequipped channels.

**Alarms:** LOP, HP AIS, HP RDI, H4 LOM, TU LOP, LP AIS, LP RDI

**BIP Errors:** Lowest level BIP errors i.e., B3 or BIP-2

**TroubleScan**

Scans all possible error and alarm sources simultaneously. Non-zero error counts are displayed in large characters, up to a maximum of four different error counts.

**Pointer location graph**

**Graphical display:** Shows the variation with time of the AU-n and TU-n pointer location. Up to four days of pointer location activity can be monitored.

**Implied VC offset:** Calculated from the total +ve and –ve pointer movements since start of the measurement period.

**Pointer results**

AU and TU justifications (pointer value, positive count, positive seconds, negative count, negative seconds, NDF seconds, missing NDF seconds, implied AU-TUoffset).

**Optical power measurement**

**Accuracy:** ± 2 dB; Range: −10 dBm to −30 dBm.

**Wavelength:** 1310 nm or 1550 nm.

**Resolution:** 0.1 dBm.
Frequency measurement

STM-16: Frequency displayed in kHz with a 0.1 kHz resolution. Offset in ppm/kHz.
STM-4: Frequency displayed in Hz with a 1 Hz resolution. Offset in ppm/Hz.

Accuracy: ± 1 Hz ± (internal clock error) × frequency.

1 See 'clock reference' for details on internal clock error.

Stored measurement graphics

10 internal SMG stores (increases with floppy disc drive – number of stores limited only by free disc space).

Bar chart: Results versus time periods with up to 1 second resolution.

Alarm chart: Alarms versus time periods with up to 1 second resolution.

Resolution: 1 sec, 1 min, 15 min, 60 min.

SDH bar graphs: Frame (A1A2), B1, B2, MS REI, B3, HP REI, HP IEC, LP REI, LP BIP, bit.

SDH alarms: LOS, LOF, OOF, AU LOP, AU NDF, AU missing NDF, MS AIS, MS RDI, K1K2 change, HP AIS, HP RDI, H4 LOM, TU LOP, TU NDF, TU missing NDF, LP AIS, LP RDI, pattern sync loss, power loss.

Tandem connection monitoring

Selection: High order (N1), low order (N2), OFF.

Alarm generation: TC-LOM, TC-IAIS, TC-RDI, TC-ODI.

Error generation: TC-REI, TC-IEC, OEI, TC-BIP

APID generation: 16 byte (15 user byte + 1 CRC) user-definable message.

Alarm detection: TC-LOM, TC-IAIS, TC-RDI, ODI.

Error detection: TC-REI, TC-IEC, OEI, TC-BIP.

APID detection: Access point identifier is captured and displayed in text.
Figure 2: Bellcore GR-253 mapping structure (SONET payload mapping)

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| Notes:     | Optical interfaces on the 37718A use a customer exchangeable connector system. On 37718B and 37718C models, a fixed optical connector system is used (supports removal for cleaning).
Optical transmitters

The following specifications cover both 1310 and 1550 nm transmitters unless otherwise stated.

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Optical receiver

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Notes:
1. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are valid in the 0 to +40 °C temperature range.
2. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are measured at 10⁻⁰ error rate using a 2²³ − 1 test pattern.
3. 37718A: The optical receiver operates over the range 1200 to 1600 nm. Sensitivity and maximum input power specifications are valid in defined wavelength ranges.

Protected monitor point input

52 Mb/s, 155 Mb/s and 622 Mb/s (not available on 37718C).
Line code: NRZ.
Level: Nominal 1 V peak-to-peak into 50 ohms.
Connector: SMA female.
| **Electrical line rates/interfaces** | **Input mode**: Terminate or monitor mode.  
**Monitor gain**: 20 dB or 26 dB  
**Equalization**:  
STS-3: Automatic for cable loss up to 12 dB at half the bit rate.  
STS-1: Automatic covering range LO, x-connect and HI.  
**STS-1 operating level**:  
STS-1 HI: 1.1V peak nominal with cable equalization up to 450 ft.  
STS-1 900ft: As STS-1 HI with added cable equalization for 450ft to 900 ft.  
**Connector**: BNC, 75 ohm unbalanced.  
Option 620: WECO 560 connector replaces BNC. |
|---|---|
| **Clock reference** | **Internal**: ± 0.5 ppm; stability: ± 3 ppm; Ageing: ± 1 ppm.  
**Loop-timed**: Clock recovered from receiver’s SONET input.  
**External reference**: BITS (1.5 Mb/s), 64 kb/s, 10 MHz.  
Connector: Bantam, 100 ohm balanced (BITS, 64 kb/s); BNC, 75 ohm unbalanced (10 MHz). |
| **Clock trigger** | **Divided clock output (37718A)**  
51.840 MHz for OC-48/OC-12/OC-3/STS-3  
8.65 MHz for OC-1/STS-1  
**Divided clock output (37718B/C)**  
**Connector**: BNC, ECL to –2 V, ac coupled, 50 ohm. |
| **Trigger/error output** | 60 μsec (nominal) pulse on B1, B2, B3 error, Tx/Rx frame (TTL level, termination can be 75 ohm or 10 kohm).  
**Connector**: BNC, 75 ohm unbalanced. |
| **Clock offset** | ± 999 ppm in 0.1 ppm steps; offset accuracy ± 0.02 ppm  
Offsets the transmitted OC/STS-n line frequency relative to the selected clock reference. |
| **SONET payload structure** | See Figure 2 for details of SONET payload mapping.  
The foreground STS-n test signal can be mapped into any select channel in the SONET line signal. Background channels can be set to the same as to the foreground or filled with an unequipped signal structure.  
**Notes**:  
2. OC-48 mappings only available on 37718A fitted with optical interface option (option 104, 105 or 106).  
3. OC-12 mappings only available on 37718A or 37718B fitted with optical interface option (option 104, 105 or 106). |
| **Payload offset** | ± 100 ppm in 1 ppm steps, linearity 0.5 ppm.  
The mapped DSn/En signal is offset with respect to the SPE in which it is carried. |
Payload test pattern

$2^8-1$, $2^{11}-1$, $2^{15}-1$, $2^{23}-1$ (inverted or non-inverted), all ones, all zeros, 1010, 1000, 16 bit user word.

DS1 only: QRSS ($2^{20}-1$; 14 zero limited), Daly (55-octet) 1-in-8, 2-in-8.

PDH/DSn drop/insert

Requires option 012 (PDH/T-carrier testing).

DS3, DS1, E3, E1 dropped from and/or inserted into OC-N/STS-N line signal (supported for asynchronous mappings only).

SONET tributary scan

Automatically test BER on each SONET tributary for error free operation. Rx setup is used to determine tributary structure and test pattern. (At OC-48/OC-12 the foreground STS-3 will be scanned).

Alarms: Pattern loss.

User selectable BER threshold: Off, $>0$, $10^{-3}$, $10^{-6}$.

SONET error add

Data (whole frame)$^1$, frame (A1,A2)$^1$, CV-S (B1), CV-L (B2), REI-L (M0), REI-L (M1), CV-P (B3), REI-P (G1), STS IEC, CV-V (V5), REI-V (V5), bit$^1$.

Control: Single, error all, M.P x $10^{-n}$ (where M.P = 0.1 to 9.9 in 0.1 steps and $n = 3$ to 9$^2$.

N-in-T$^3$, where N is the number of errors transmitted in time T,

$T = 10$ ms to 10000s in decade steps.

N = 0 to 640 (STS-1), 1920 (STS-3), 7680 (STS-12), 30720 (STS-48).

1. No “error all” selection available.

2. Max error rate depends on the error type.

3. CV-L (B2) errors only.

SONET alarm generation


Control: On/off.

SONET pointer adjustments

Frequency offset: Offset the SPE/VT relative to the line rate. In the SPE/VT pointer mode the 87:3 sequence is generated. Frequency offset control (± 100 ppm in 0.1 ppm steps).

Bellcore GR-253, ANSI T1.105.03 sequences: Initialisation sequence and cool down period

1. Periodic single

2. Periodic burst

3. Periodic phase transient burst,

4. Alternating single,

5. Alternating double,

6. Periodic with added,

7. Periodic with cancelled.

Programmable interval between regular adjustments.

Regular: Interval between regular adjustments can be programmed as follows:

10 ms < T < 100 ms in 10 ms steps

100 ms < T < 1 s in 100 ms steps

1 s, 2 s, 5 s or 10 s

Single burst: Incrementing burst, decrementing burst, alternating.

Burst size: 1 to 10 adjustments (SPE), 1 to 5 adjustments (VT).
Adjustments within the burst are separated by the minimum legal limit (4 frames/multiframes).

**New pointer**: New pointer address transmitted with or without a NDF. SPE/VT payload moves to the user programmed address immediately.

**SONET overhead setup**

- **TOH**: All bytes user settable except B1 B2, H1, H2 and H3. The size bits in H1 are settable.
- **J0**: User byte; 16 byte section trace message.
- **S1**: Clear text setup of synchronization status message.
- **STS POH**: All bytes user settable except B3.
- **J1**: 64 or 16 byte path trace message.
- **C2**: Clear text setup of signal label.
- **VT POH**: V5, J2, Z6, Z7 user settable.
- **J2**: User byte; 16 byte VT path trace message.
- **V5 (VT signal label)**: Clear text setup of VT path signal label.

**SONET overhead monitor**

- **SOH, LOH, STS POH, VT POH all bytes** (hex/binary)
  Text decodes provided for section trace (J0), synchronization status (S1), ASP/MSP messages (K1K2), STS and VT path trace messages (J1, J2), STS and VT signal labels (C2, V5).

**APS messages**

Clear text setup and decode of protection switching messages. Supports both linear (Bellcore GR-253) and ring (Bellcore GR-1230) messages.

For linear topologies APS messages can be active or passive. In passive, static messages can be generated and received. The active APS selection gives relative response to provide switch keep-alive capability by responding to change requests that appear on the K1/K2 byte values.

**SONET overhead sequence generation**

Sequence of up to 5 values transmitted in a selected overhead channel. The transmit duration for each value is user programmable in range 0 to 64000 frames.

**Overhead channel**:  
- **SOH**: A1-A2 (6 bytes), D1-D3 (3 bytes), J0, Z0, E1, F1, media dependent bytes (row 2 col 2; row 2, col 3; row 3 col 2; row 3, col 3).
- **LOH**: D4-D12 (9 bytes), K1K2 (2 bytes), S1, M0, M1, Z1, Z2, E2.
- **POH**: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, Z3, Z4, N1.

**SONET overhead sequence capture**

A selected overhead channel can be selected for capture. The capture can be triggered manually or on a user-defined receive value. The first 16 different receive values including the trigger are displayed along with the number of frames for which the value has persisted.

**Overhead channel**:  
- **SOH**: A1-A2 (6 bytes), D1-D3 (3 bytes), J0, Z0, E1, F1, media dependent bytes (row 2 col 2; row 2, col 3; row 3 col 2; row 3, col 3).
- **LOH**: H1H2 (2 bytes), D4-D12 (9 bytes), K1K2 (2 bytes), S1, M0, M1, Z1, Z2 E2
- **POH**: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, Z3, Z4, N1.

**SONET overhead BER**

2^8-1 PRBS transmitted and analyzed in a single 64 kb/s overhead channel. Single bit errors can be inserted in the transmitted test pattern.

**Overhead channel**:  
- **SOH**: D1-D3 (single byte), J0, Z0, E1, F1, media dependent bytes (row 2 col 2; row 2, col 3; row 3 col 2; row 3, col 3).
- **LOH**: D4-D12 (single byte), K1, K2, S1, M1, M0, E2.
- **POH**: J1, C2, G1, F2, H4, Z3, Z4, N1.
Results: Error count, error ratio, error free seconds, % error free seconds, pattern loss seconds.

**Optical stress test**

Payload is overwritten with a block of zeros or ones after scrambling to stress timing recovery circuits.

**Range:**
- 2 to 85 bytes – OC-1.
- 2 to 259 bytes – OC-3.
- 2 to 1042 bytes – OC-12.
- 2 to 4174 bytes – OC-48.

**DCC add-drop**

D1-D3 (192 kb/s), D4-D12 (576 kb/s)
Serial add-drop of DCC channels via RS-449 (15-pin D-type connector).

**SONET thru mode**

**OC-48, OC-12, OC-3, OC-1, STS-3, STS-1 through mode:**

**Transparent mode:** Signal passes through unaltered. BIPs are not recalculated.

**Overhead overwrite:** The test features associated with the TOH/POH can be enabled to alter one single or multi-byte overhead channel (ie, errors and alarms, overhead sequences, stress test, APS/MSP messages, DCC insert, overhead BER). In this mode the parity bytes are recalculated.

**STS payload overwrite:** Overwrite a selected STS SPE channel with an internally generated payload. All other SPEs are retransmitted unaltered. All standard transmit test functions are enabled (errors and alarms, pointer adjustments, overhead sequences, stress test, overhead BER).

**VT payload overwrite:** Overwrite a selected VT with an internally generated payload. All other VTs and SPEs are retransmitted unaltered. All standard transmit test functions are enabled (errors and alarms; pointer adjustments).

**SONET alarm detection**


**SONET error measurements**

**Measurement control:** Manual, single, timed start.

**Error:** Frame (A1,A2), CV-S(B1), CV-L(B2), CV-LFE(REI-L), CV-P(B3), CV-PFE(REI-P), CV IEC (STS path IEC), CV-V(V5), CV-VFE(REI-V), bit.

**Basic results:** Error count, error ratio, alarm seconds.

**Performance analysis:** G.826, G.821, M2101, M.2110, M.2120.

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**Results:** longest burst length, shortest burst length, last burst length.

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**Measurement Period:** Elapsed time between the first bit error received and the last error received when the Start and Stop Conditions have been met.

**AlarmScan**
Automatically identifies the payload structure then scans each STS/VT channel for alarms and BIP errors. Graphically displays the status of each STS/VT channel.

Alarms:
- **STS-SPE:** LOP-P, AIS-P, RDI-P.
- **VT:** AIS-P, RDI-P, H4 LOM, LOP-V, AIS-V, RDI-V.
- **BIP errors:** B3 or V5 BIP-2 associated with each STS/VT channel.

**TroubleScan**
Scans all possible error and alarm sources simultaneously. Non-zero error counts are displayed in large characters, up to a maximum of four different error counts.

**Pointer location graph**
Graphical display: Shows the variation with time of the STS SPE and VT pointer location. Up to four days of pointer location activity can be monitored.

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**Pointer results**
SPE and VT justifications (pointer value, positive count, positive seconds, negative count, negative seconds, NDF seconds, missing NDF seconds, implied SPE/VT offset).

**Optical power measurement**
- **Accuracy:** ± 2 dB; Range: –10 dBm to –30 dBm.
- **Wavelength:** 1310 nm or 1550 nm.
- **Resolution:** 0.1 dBm.

**Frequency measurement**
- **OC-48:** Frequency displayed in kHz with a 0.1 kHz resolution. Offset in ppm/kHz ≤ **OC-12:** Frequency displayed in Hz with a 1 Hz resolution. Offset in ppm/Hz.

**Accuracy:** ± 1 Hz ≤ internal clock error \(^1\) × frequency.

\(^1\) See 'clock reference' for details on internal clock error.

**Stored measurement graphics**
10 internal SMG stores (increases with floppy disc drive - number of stores limited only by free disc space).

- **Bar chart:** Results versus time periods with up to 1 second resolution.
- **Alarm chart:** Alarms versus time periods with up to 1 second resolution.

**Resolution:** 1sec, 1min, 15min, 60min

**SONET bar graphs:** Frame (A1A2), CV-S (B1), CV-L (B2), CV-LFE (REI-L), CV-P (B3), CV-LFE (REI-P), CV-IEC (STS path IEC), CV-V (V5), CV-VFE (REI-V), bit.

**SONET alarms:** LOS, LOF, OOF, LOP-P, NDF, missing NDF, AIS-L, RDI-L, K1K2 change, AIS-P, RDI-P, H4 LOM, LOP-V, VT NDF, VT missing NDF, AIS-V, RDI-V, pattern sync loss, power loss.
Adds PDH and T-carrier test capability. Testing can be performed directly at PDH/DSn physical interfaces or on SDH/SONET mapped payload signals.

**Line rates**

- **2/8/34/140 Mb/s, DS1 (1.5 Mb/s), DS3 (45 Mb/s) interfaces**
  - **2 Mb/s**: HDB3/AMI; 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC), 120 ohm balanced*.
  - **8 Mb/s**: HDB3; 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC).
  - **34 Mb/s**: HDB3; 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC).
  - **140 Mb/s**: CMI; 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC).
- **DS1**: B8ZS/AMI; 100 ohm balanced*.
- **DS3**: B3ZS; 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC).

  *3-pin Siemens connector if ordered with option 001, or WECO Bantam connector if ordered with option 002.

**Input level**: Terminate or monitor mode (to ITU-T G.772 specified signals).

**Monitor gain**:
- **2/8 Mb/s, DS1**: 20, 26 dB or 30 dB.
- **34/140 Mb/s, DS3**: 20 or 26 dB.

**Equalization**: Automatically adapts to the range of signal levels specified in the ITU-T and ANSI standards.
- **2/8/34/140 Mb/s**: As per ITU-T G.703.
- **DS1**: DSX-1 (ANSI T1.102-1993) to DS1-LO (DSX-1 with 655ft of ABAM cable).
- **DS3**: DS3-HI through DSX-3 (ANSI T1.102-1993) to DS3-900’.

**Output level**:
- **DS1**: DSX-1 (ANSI T1.102-1993), DS1-LO.
- **DS3**: DS3-HI, DSX-3 (ANSI T1.102-1993), DS3-900.
- **2 Mb/s**: ITU-T G.703.
- **8 Mb/s**: ITU-T G.703.
- **34 Mb/s**: ITU-T G.703.
- **140 Mb/s**: ITU-T G.703.
Clock references

- **Internal**: ±0.5 ppm @ 25°C [±4.5 ppm (includes ageing, stability, setting accuracy)].
- **DS1 only**: ±0.7 ppm @ 25°C [±4.7 ppm (includes ageing, stability, setting accuracy)].
- **Loop-timed**: Clock recovered from receiver.
- **External reference**: 64 kb/s, 1.5 M (BITS), 2 M (MTS), 10 MHz.
  - Connector: Bantam, 100 ohm balanced (BITS, 64 kb/s);
  - BNC, 75 ohm unbalanced (10 MHz).

Line rate offset

±100 ppm in 1 ppm steps.

Offsets the transmitted PDH/DSn line frequency relative to the selected clock reference.

Frame format

- Framed, structured (mux/demux), unframed

### Framing vs. Channel structure

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<td>2/8/34 Mb/s, 64 kb/s, n × 64 kb/s</td>
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</table>

Test pattern

- **PRBS**: $2^9 - 1, 2^{11} - 1, 2^{15} - 1, QRSS (14 zero limit – DS1 only), 2^{20} - 1, 2^{23} - 1$.
- **Word**: All 1s, all 0s, 1010, 1000, 16-bit word (frame aligned).
- **DS1 only**: 3-in-24, 1-in-8, 2-in-8, Daly (55 octet).
- **Live traffic**: Externally generated.

The test pattern can be inserted/measured at the line rate or at any level within the multiplexing structure, including in a selected 64/56 kb/s or n × 64/56 kb/s timeslot.

Error add

- **2 Mb/s**: Bit, FAS, code, CRC4, REBE
- **8/34 Mb/s**: Bit, FAS, code
- **140 Mb/s**: Bit, FAS
- **DS1**: Bit, FAS (frame alignment signal), BPV/Code, CRC6, EXZ (excess zeros).
- **DS3**: Bit, FAS, MFAS (multi-frame alignment signal), FAS + MFAS, BPV/Code, C-bit, P-bit, FEBE, EXZ.
Control:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Single</th>
<th>Selected error type transmitted when &quot;single error&quot; key is pressed.</th>
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<tr>
<td>Rate</td>
<td>$1.0 \times 10^{-3}$, $1.1 \times 10^{-3}$, $M.P \times 10^{-n}$</td>
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<td>$(n = 4 \text{ to } 9; M.P = 1.0 \text{ to } 9.9 \text{ in } 0.1 \text{ steps})^1$</td>
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<tr>
<td>Burst</td>
<td>Single burst of $n$-errors.</td>
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<td>EXZ: $n = 3 \text{ to } 16$</td>
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<td>DS1 FAS: $n = 1 \text{ to } 6$</td>
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<td>DS3 FAS and MFAS: $n = 1 \text{ to } 4$</td>
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<td>PDH FAS: $n = 1 \text{ to } 4$</td>
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</table>

$^1$ Maximum error rate is $2.1 \times 10^{-4}$ for:
- DS1 CRC6 errors
- DS3 FEBE, P-bit and C-bit errors

Alarm generation

| 2 Mb/s: | LOS, LOF, AIS, RAI, RAI (MF), CASMFL, minor alarm (via spare bits). |
|         | LOF, AIS, RAI. |
| 8/34 Mb/s: | LOS, LOF, AIS, RAI. |
| 140 Mb/s: | LOS, AIS, RAI (yellow). |
| DS1: | LOS, OOF, AIS, RAI (yellow). |
| DS3: | LOS, OOF, AIS, Idle, RAI (X-bit), FEAC codes (Loopback and alarm/status codes). |

Control: On/off.

Spare bits generation

User-selected value transmitted in spare bits of PDH frame.

| 2 Mb/s: | Si bits (international bits): Timeslot 0 bit 1 in both FAS and NFAS frames. |
|         | E bits: CRC4 frames 13 and 15: timeslot bit 1. |
| 2 Mb/s: | Sa bit (national bits): NFAS timeslot bits 4 to 8. |
| 2 Mb/s: | Sa bit sequences: 8 bit sequence transmitted in any selected NFAS Sa bit. |
| 2 Mb/s: | CAS multiframe: MFAS timeslot bits 5, 7 and 8. |
| 8 Mb/s: | FAS bit 12. |
| 34 Mb/s: | FAS bit 12. |
| 140 Mb/s: | FAS bits 14 to 16. |

Signaling bits generation/monitor

| 2 Mb/s: | PCM30 and PCM30CRC frame formats. |

Transmit: User selected value transmitted in ABCD signal bits associated with all channels. Monitor: Simultaneously displays received ABCD signaling associated with all 30 channels.

**DS1:**

Transmit: User selected value transmitted in ABCD signal bits of test channel. Monitoring: Displays signaling bits associated with all DS0 channels (ABCD format for ESF; AB format for SF (D4) and SLC-96). SLC-96 can display one of three states; 0, 1 or alternating.

FEAC codes

| DS3 C-bit frame format. Transmits and monitors loopback and alarm/status codes as per ANSI T.107-1995. |

Transmit: Use-selected loopback or alarm/status code transmitted for controlled duration. Loopback codes: A single burst of $N$ loopback codes and $M$ messages transmitted (where $N$ and $M$ are selectable in the range 1 to 15).

Alarm/status codes: Any ANSI T.107-1995 message or any 0xxxxxx0 1111111 message may be transmitted, either in a single burst (selectable in the range 1 to 15) or continuously.

Monitor: Displays in decoded form the two most recently received FEAC messages (current and previous messages.)
DS1 loopcodes

Transmits and monitors both in-band and out-of-band DS1 loopcodes.

**In-band:** Line, payload, network, user (selectable in range 3 to 8 bits).
- Transmit: Selected code transmitted for 8 seconds (nominal).
- Monitor: Indicates the detection of a selected loop-up and loop-down code. Displays the last valid loopcode received.

**Out-of-band:** Line, payload, network, universal user (11111111 0xxxxxx0).
- Transmit: Selected code transmitted either continuously or in a burst of n-messages (where n is selectable in range 1 to 15).
- Monitor: Displays in decode form the two most recently received loopcodes (current and previous).

TroubleScan

Scans all possible error and alarm sources simultaneously. Non-zero error counts are displayed in large characters, up to a maximum of 4 different error counts.

PDH/DSn alarm scan

Continuously scans a received signal for alarms at the interface rate or within any sub-channel. Results presented graphically.

Error and alarm measurements

**Measurement control:** Manual, single, timed start.

**Errors:**
- 2 Mb/s: Bit, code, frame error, CRC, REBE.
- 8/34 Mb/s: Bit, code, frame error.
- 140 Mb/s: Bit, frame error.
- DS1: Bit, BPV/code, frame error, CRC6.
- DS3: Bit, BPV/code, frame error, P-bit, C-bit, FEBE.

**Alarms:**
- 2 Mb/s: LOS, pattern loss, AIS, LOF, RAI, RAI(MF), CASMFL.
- 8/34 Mb/s: LOS, pattern loss, AIS, LOF, RAI.
- 140 Mb/s: LOS, pattern loss, AIS, LOF, RAI.
- DS1: LOS, pattern loss, AIS, OOF, multiframe loss, RAI (yellow), EXZ, idle.
- DS3: LOS, pattern loss, AIS, OOF, multiframe loss, RAI (x-bit), EXZ, idle.

**Basic results:** Error count, error ratio, alarm seconds.

Performance analysis


Additional measurements

Line frequency (Hz and ppm offset), delay (En signals only).

Thru mode

DS1 and DS3 only. Received signal is retransmitted either unchanged or with a selected error rate injected across the entire DSn frame. All standard DSn received functions are available.

**Error rate:** $1.1 \times 10^{-3}$ to $1.0 \times 10^{-9}$ (in 0.1 steps).

DS1, 2 Mb/s add-drop

DS1 inserted and extracted from a DS3 signal (requires option 002). 100 ohm balanced (WECO Bantam).
- 2 Mb/s inserted and extracted from a 8/34/140 Mb/s signal. 75 ohm unbalanced (BNC).
- DS1 (requires option 002), DS3, 8/34 Mb/s dropped from and/or inserted into anSDH/SONET line signal. Not for DS1 async mapping.

Handset connector

Supports adding and dropping of a selected 64 kb/s voice channel (carried in a PDH/DSn signal) to an external handset.

**Connector:** RJ41.

**Coding:** μ-law (DSn), A-law (En).
1. Jitter generation

**Jitter generation rates/interfaces**
- **SDH/SONET**: 2.5 Gb/s, 622 Mb/s, 155 Mb/s, 52 Mb/s.
- **PDH/T-carrier**: 140 Mb/s, 34 Mb/s, 8 Mb/s, 2 Mb/s, DS1 (1.5 Mb/s), DS3 (45 Mb/s).

**Wander generation rates/interfaces**
- **SDH/SONET**: 2.5 Gb/s, 622 Mb/s, 155 Mb/s, 52 Mb/s.
- **PDH/T-carrier**: 2 Mb/s, DS1 (1.5 Mb/s).

**External jitter modulation input**
- Used for external modulation.
  - **Input range**:
    - 10 UI: 2/8/34/140 Mb/s.
    - 20 UI: SDH/SONET rates, DS1, DS3.
  - Jitter Tx display provides a numerical indication of the level of externally applied modulation.
  - **Signal**: Sinusoidal but can be used with other signal formats.
  - **Max Input Level**: ±5 V peak.
  - **Connector**: BNC, 75 ohm nominal unbalanced.

**ITU-T/Bellcore GR-253 jitter generation specifications**

**Fixed jitter tolerance masks**
- Spot mode, swept mode or auto jitter tolerance.
  - ITU-T G.825, ITU-T G.958 type A and type B, ITU-T G.823 low Q and high Q, Bellcore GR-253 and Bellcore GR-499-CORE.

**Automatic jitter tolerance**
- **Onset of errors and BER penalty methods**
  - **User defined**: No of frequency points (3 to 55), delay time (0.1 to 99.9s), dwell time (0.1 to 99.9s), bit error threshold (1 to 10^-6).
  - **Masks**: ITU-T G.825, G.958 (type A and type B), G.823 (low Q and high Q), Bellcore GR-253.

**User-programmable masks**
- Provides the ability to create, edit and title up to 5 user input jitter masks. Each mask can be defined with up to 55 frequency and amplitude points.
ITU-T O.171/0.172
PDH/T-carrier/SDH jitter generation requirements

ITU-T O.171/0.172 jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

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<th>A4 (UI)</th>
<th>f0 (Hz)</th>
<th>f12 (Hz)</th>
<th>f11 (Hz)</th>
<th>f10 (Hz)</th>
<th>f9 (Hz)</th>
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<td>8</td>
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Note: OmniBER 718 exceeds above requirements of ITU-T O.171/O.172
Bellcore GR-253-CORE
SONET jitter tolerance

Bellcore GR-253 jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

Bellcore GR-253 jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency table

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<th>Bit Rate (kb/s)</th>
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<th>A3 (UI)</th>
<th>f0 (Hz)</th>
<th>f1 (Hz)</th>
<th>f2 (Hz)</th>
<th>f3 (Hz)</th>
<th>f4 (kHz)</th>
<th>f5 (kHz)</th>
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<td>20</td>
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<td>25</td>
<td>250</td>
<td>5000</td>
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<td>2488320</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>1.5</td>
<td>0.15</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>600</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>10000</td>
<td>20000</td>
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Bellcore GR-499-CORE
T-carrier jitter tolerance

Bellcore GR-499 jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

Bellcore GR-499 jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency table

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Bit Rate (kb/s)</th>
<th>A4 (UI)</th>
<th>A2 (UI)</th>
<th>f1 (Hz)</th>
<th>f2 (Hz)</th>
<th>f3 (Hz)</th>
<th>f4 (kHz)</th>
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<tr>
<td>1544, Cat 1</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>0.1</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>500</td>
<td>8k</td>
<td>40</td>
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<td>1544, Cat 2</td>
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<td>0.3</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>182.9</td>
<td>6.43 k</td>
<td>40</td>
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<tr>
<td>44736, Cat 1</td>
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<td>0.1</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>2.3 k</td>
<td>60 k</td>
<td>300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>44736, Cat 2</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>669</td>
<td>22.3</td>
<td>300</td>
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</table>
SDH/SONET generated jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

Bit Rate | A4 | A1 | A2 | A3 | f7 | f0 | f6 | f2 | f3 | f4 |
---------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
51840 | 20 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | – | 200 | 2 | 10 | 100 | 400 |
155520 | 50 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 30 | 500 | 5 | 50 | 1000 | 1300 |
622080 | 200 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 30 | 1000 | 25 | 250 | 1000 | 5000 |
2488320 | 800 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 30 | 5000 | 100 | 1000 | 5000 | 20000 |

PDH/T-carrier generated jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

Bit Rate | A4 | A1 | A2 | A3 | f7 | f0 | f6 | f2 | f3 | f4 |
---------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
1544 | 80 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 1.0 | 10 | 30 | 42 |
2048 | 80 | 10 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 13 | 25 | 50 | 102 |
8448 | 80 | 10 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 50 | 100 | 200 | 430 |
34368 | 80 | 10 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 100 | 200 | 400 | 840 |
44736 | 80 | 20 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 10 | 200 | 300 | 430 |
139264 | 80 | 10 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 2 | 100 | 5 | 10 | 2000 | 3500 |
## Jitter generation range

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Range (UI)</th>
<th>Line Rate (Mb/s)</th>
<th>Min (UI)</th>
<th>Max (UI)</th>
<th>Amplitude Resolution (UI)</th>
<th>Modulation Frequency Range</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>20 (low freq)</td>
<td>52, 155, 622, 2488</td>
<td>0.01</td>
<td>20.0</td>
<td>0.01</td>
<td>2 Hz to f4</td>
</tr>
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<td>50</td>
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<td>0.5</td>
<td>20.0</td>
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<td>0.1 to 200</td>
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<td>200</td>
<td>622</td>
<td>0.5</td>
<td>200.0</td>
<td>0.5</td>
<td>0.1 to 1000 Hz</td>
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<td>800</td>
<td>2488</td>
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<td>0.1 to 5000 Hz</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>2, 8, 34, 140</td>
<td>0.01</td>
<td>10.0</td>
<td>0.01</td>
<td>2 Hz to f4</td>
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<td>20</td>
<td>1.5, 45</td>
<td>0.01</td>
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<td>2 Hz to f4</td>
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<td>1.5, 2, 8, 34, 45, 140</td>
<td>0.01</td>
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<td>2 Hz to f4</td>
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1 Refer to f4 in SDH/SONET and PDH/T-carrier jitter generation vs frequency amplitude table.

## Jitter modulation frequency resolution

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<th>Modulation Frequency</th>
<th>Minimum Resolution</th>
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<td>&lt; 10 kHz</td>
<td>1 Hz</td>
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<tr>
<td>10 to 99.99 kHz</td>
<td>10 Hz</td>
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<td>100 to 999.99 kHz</td>
<td>100 Hz</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 to 20 MHz</td>
<td>1000 Hz</td>
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## Jitter modulation accuracy

### Jitter frequency:
- ± 1% above 3 Hz.
- ± 3% between 3 Hz and 1 Hz.
- ± 10% below 1 Hz.

### Jitter amplitude:
- ± 5% ± X ± Y ± Z

where X is given by the following table:

### Amplitude accuracy:

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<th>Range</th>
<th>X (UI)</th>
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<td>2.0</td>
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and where Y is given by the following tables:
PDH generator intrinsic jitter:

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<tr>
<th>Bit Rate (kb/s)</th>
<th>Y (UI)</th>
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<tr>
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<td>All 1s Data Pattern</td>
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<td>1544</td>
<td>0.02</td>
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<tr>
<td>2048</td>
<td>0.02</td>
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<td>8448</td>
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<td>34368</td>
<td>0.03</td>
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<td>44736</td>
<td>0.03</td>
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<tr>
<td>139264</td>
<td>&lt; 10 kHz 0.04</td>
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<td>&gt; 10 kHz 0.02</td>
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SDH/SONET generator intrinsic jitter:

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<td>51840 electrical</td>
<td>0.02</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>155520 electrical</td>
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<sup>1</sup> The payload is PRBS length \(2^{23}-1\) scrambled.

<sup>2</sup> SDH/SONET intrinsic jitter generation is specified over the HP1-LP filter bandwidth.

and where Z is given by the following table:

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<th>Additional frequency response term Z&lt;sup&gt;1&lt;/sup&gt;</th>
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<td>1 to 5 MHz</td>
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<td>5 to 10 MHz</td>
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<td>10 to 20 MHz</td>
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<sup>1</sup> Applies to SDH/SONET generation only.
2. Wander generation

Generated wander amplitude versus modulation frequency:

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<tr>
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<th>A1 (UI)</th>
<th>f0 (kHz)</th>
<th>f11 (mHz)</th>
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Wander generation modulation range

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Wander modulation accuracy

Wander frequency:

± 1%.

Wander amplitude:

± 5% ± X ± Y

where X is amplitude accuracy and Y the generator intrinsic jitter as give in the table below:

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Fixed wander tolerance masks

Spot mode: ITU-T G.825.
3. Jitter measurement

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Optical sensitivity: 
-12 to –20 dBm for 2.5 Gb/s, –10 to –22 dBm for 52, 155, 622 Mb/s.

Jitter measurement ranges: 
These ranges cover the measurements required in ITU-T Q.171 Table 3 and ITU-T Q.172 Table 5.

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<th>Rate</th>
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1 The rms range is linked to the selection for peak-peak jitter measurement.

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\(^1\) Measurement accuracy is specified between \( F_{\text{min}} \) and \( F_{\text{max}} \) bandwidth.

\( F_L \) = lower 3 dB point. \( F_U \) = upper 3 dB point.

### Measurement filters

LP, HP1 and HP2 filters to ITU-T Rec. G.171 (PDH)/0.172 (SDH); 12 kHz HP filter.

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### SDH/SONET jitter measurement accuracy

The peak-to-peak accuracy for SDH/SONET rates is specified as ±5% of reading ± W ± Z as is the convention in ITU-T recommendation G.172 where W represents the intrinsic jitter for a given data pattern and receiver range, and where Z represents the frequency response term of the receiver. The typical rms accuracy for SDH/SONET rates is specified as ± 5% of reading ± W ± Z.

### SDH/SONET system intrinsic term W:

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<th>Data Pattern</th>
<th>System</th>
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<th>STM-n$^2$ with PRBS$^3$ scrambled payload</th>
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$^1$ Typical specification only.

$^2$ Variable n corresponds to the line bit rate, STM-1, 4 or 16.

$^3$ The PRBS used will be of length $(2^23-1)$.

$^4$ W is specified for the supplementary filter HP1 inserted in peak-peak measurements and filter rms in rms measurements. For extended range operation W is specified with no filtering.

$^5$ Intrinsic limits for a calibrated OmniBER 719 transmitter and receiver pair.
SDH/SONET receiver frequency inaccuracy term Z:

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<td>± 5% of reading from 1 MHz to 3 MHz</td>
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<td>± 10% of reading from 3 MHz to 10 MHz</td>
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<td>± 15% of reading from 10 MHz to 20 MHz</td>
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1 This is with respect to calibrated value at 100 kHz. At 100 kHz Z = 0.
2 The frequency response term will only apply over the bandwidth Fmin to Fmax in an associated receiver range.

The peak-to-peak accuracy for PDH/T-carrier rates is specified as ± 5% of reading ± W ± Z where W represents the intrinsic jitter for a given data pattern and receiver range, and where Z represents the frequency response term of the receiver. The typical rms accuracy for PDH/T-carrier rates is specified as ± 5% of reading ± W ± Z.

PDH/T-carrier system intrinsic term W

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<tr>
<th>Bit Rate (kb/s)</th>
<th>Range</th>
<th>Data Pattern</th>
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1 Typical specification only
2 The PRBS pattern type 215−1 for 2048 and 8448 kbit/s, and 223−1 for 34368 and 139264 kbit/s as given in ITU-T Recommendation O.171.
3 W is specified for the supplementary filter HP1 inserted in peak-peak measurements and filter rms in rms measurements. For extended range operation W is specified with no filtering.
4 Intrinsic limits for a calibrated OmniBER 718 transmitter and receiver pair.
5 Specified only for HDB3 encoding, the performance is not specified for AMI encoding.
PDH/Tcarrier receiver frequency inaccuracy term Z

<table>
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<th>Bit Rate (kb/s)</th>
<th>Additional frequency response error&lt;sup&gt;1,2&lt;/sup&gt;</th>
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<td>1544</td>
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<td>± 2% of reading from 20 Hz to 100 kHz</td>
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<td>± 2% of reading from 20 Hz to 300 kHz</td>
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<td></td>
<td>± 3% of reading from 300 kHz to 400 kHz</td>
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<td>34368</td>
<td>± 2% of reading from 100 Hz to 300 kHz</td>
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<td>± 3% of reading from 300 kHz to 800 kHz</td>
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<td>44736</td>
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<td>± 5% of reading from 1 MHz to 3 MHz</td>
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<td>± 10% of reading from 3 MHz to 3.5 MHz</td>
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</tbody>
</table>

<sup>1</sup> With respect to calibrated value at 1 kHz. At 1 kHz Z = 0.

<sup>2</sup> The frequency response term will only apply over the bandwidth \( F_{\text{min}} \) to \( F_{\text{max}} \) in an associated receiver range.

Demodulated jitter output

The output has gain dependent on range and is after the supplementary filter selection.

Demodulated output gain:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Range (UI p-p)</th>
<th>Gain (mV/UI p-p)</th>
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<tr>
<td>1.6</td>
<td>1000</td>
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<tr>
<td>16</td>
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<td>64</td>
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<tr>
<td>1024</td>
<td>1.5</td>
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</table>

Connector: BNC, 75 ohm nominal unbalanced.

Jitter measurement results

Amplitude: +ve peak, –ve peak, peak-peak, rms, filters (indicates filters in use), elapsed time

Hits: Jitter hit count, jitter hit seconds, jitter hit free seconds, elapsed time.

Jitter stored measurement graphs

Bar graph: Hit count.

Alarms: Unlock, out-of-range, LOS (STM-1e only), LOL (STM-N optical only).
4. Jitter transfer

**Jitter transfer rates** SDH/SONET: 2.5 Gb/s, 622/155/52 Mb/s. PDH/T-carrier: 140/45/34/8/2/1.5 Mb/s.

**Jitter transfer function** An automatic jitter transfer function is available when both transmitter and receiver are configured to the same rate. The rates available are shown above.

**Automatic jitter transfer function**

- Masks: ITU-T G.825, G.958: type A and type B, ITU-T G.823 low Q and high Q.
- User defined: No of frequency points (1 to 55), delay time (5 to 30 s), dwell time (5 to 30 s).

**Fixed jitter transfer input masks**

- ITU-T G.823 low Q and high Q.

**Generated jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:**

![Generated jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency](image)

**PDH/SDH jitter transfer input masks:**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Rate (Mb/s)</th>
<th>Mask</th>
<th>F1 (Hz)</th>
<th>F2 (Hz)</th>
<th>F3 (kHz)</th>
<th>F4 (kHz)</th>
<th>A1 (UI)</th>
<th>A2 (UI)</th>
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<tr>
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<td>6</td>
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<td>G.824, GR-499, Cat 2</td>
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Generated jitter amplitude versus modulation frequency:

SONET jitter transfer input masks:

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<td>15</td>
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User defined:

f1, f2, f3, f4 (Note f1 < f2 < f3 < f4); f1min = 10 Hz;

f4max rate dependent, see table below:

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<td>1.5 Mb/s</td>
<td>40 kHz</td>
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A1, A2 (A1max = max value instrument can generate at f2; A2max = max value instrument can generate at f4)
Jitter transfer receiver

A narrowband filtering technique will be used when performing a jitter transfer measurement.

**Measurement bandwidth:** 10 Hz.

**Dynamic range:** +5 dB to –40 dB.

**Stability:** 0.02 dB.

**Calibration:** 0.01 dB.

### Jitter transfer accuracy

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<th>Rx Jitter (UI)</th>
<th>Accuracy (dB)</th>
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<td>&gt; 0.3</td>
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<td>0.3 to 0.1</td>
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<tr>
<td>0.003 to 0.001</td>
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1 Specified for a minimum dwell time of 20 s and a minimum delay time of 10 s.

### Jitter transfer results

The jitter transfer results can be displayed in tabular or graphical form.
Jitter transfer pass masks

ITU-T G.823 low Q and high Q.

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<th>Mask</th>
<th>F1 (Hz)</th>
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<th>A1 (dB)</th>
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<td>–</td>
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<td>15 k</td>
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<td>–</td>
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¹ Actual values from ITU-T G.742.
² Actual values from ITU-T G.751.

Note 1: There is no mask defined for 139 Mb/s. In this case, the display will show the result without the pass threshold.
Note 2: The mask shows threshold falling off by 20 dB per decade after F2.

An offset in the range –2 dB to +2 dB in steps of 0.01 dB can be added to the selected pass mask.

Jitter transfer graph results
The result is plotted on a graph of gain versus frequency. The pass mask is displayed on the graph as well as the results.

Jitter transfer text results
Point number, frequency, mask value, result, pass/fail indication.
5. Wander measurement

Wander measurement rates

- **SDH/SONET**: 2.5 Gb/s, 622/155/52 Mb/s.
- **PDH/T-carrier**: 140/45/34/8/2/1.5 Mb/s.

Wander timing reference

Wander measurement can only be performed on a locked synchronous system where one clock reference is used. For wander measurement on a PDH/T-carrier tributary, the PDH/T-carrier source must be locked to a clock reference which is available to the instrument.

Sinusoidal wander receive range MTIE:

![MTIE graph](image)

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<th>A1 (ns)</th>
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<th>Tc</th>
<th>Resolution (ns)</th>
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<td>(10^5)</td>
<td>(10^5)</td>
<td>3.14</td>
<td>0.1</td>
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</table>

Wander measurement

- **All rates**: 10 \(\mu\)Hz to 10 Hz.

Wander sampling rate

- Maximum sampling rate is 50 Hz.

Wander measurement accuracy

- 3% max \(\pm 2.5\) ns.

Wander results

- **Amplitude**: +ve Peak, –ve peak, peak-peak (15 mins), peak-peak (24 hours), estimated bit slips (2 Mb/s only), estimated frame slips (2 Mb/s), time interval error, implied frequency offset.

Graphical wander

- Sliding bar graph presenting wander results in a graphical format (2 Mb/s only).

Wander stored measurement graphs

- **Bar graph**: +ve bit slips, –ve bit slips, frame slips.

Wander slew rate limit

- Should not exceed 100000 ns/s. The slew rate limit is equivalent to a maximum fixed frequency offset of \(\pm 100\) ppm.
6. Wander Analysis Software (E4547A)

**Description**

The Wander analyzer software provides the *real-time* calculation of the MTIE, TDEV and MRTIE wander performance indices. The software is Windows compatible.

**Measurement Rates**

- **SONET**: OC-48, OC-12, OC-3, OC-1.
- **SDH**: STM-16, STM-4, STM-1, STM-0.
- **PDH/Carrier**: 140 Mb/s, 45 Mb/s (DS3), 34 Mb/s, 8 Mb/s, 2 Mb/s, 1.5 Mb/s (DS1).

**Results**

- TIE, MTIE, MRTIE, TDEV, frequency offset and drift.

**Standards Compliance**

- **Bellcore**: GR-253-CORE, GR-1244-CORE.
- **ANSI**: T1.101.
- **ETSI**: ETS 300 462, ETS 302 084.

**User Defined Pass Mask**

In addition to providing all relevant masks from the Standards bodies, the software provides the ability to quickly and easily generate additional user defined pass masks.

**Software Controls**

Software provides user control of Cursor, Markers, Zoom In/Out, TIE Value and Transient search.

**Minimum PC Requirements**

- **Processor**: 166 MHz Pentium MMX.
- **Memory**: 64M (Windows NT).
- **Comm Port**: RS-232 connection to OmniBER.
Figure 1: ITU-T G.707 mapping structure (SDH payload mapping)

Figure 2: Bellcore GR-253 mapping structure (SONET payload mapping)
Physical interfaces
Specifications for the PDH and SDH/SONET interfaces can be found in the SDH/SONET and
PDH/T-carrier specifications.

ATM physical
layer structure
An ATM signal can be mapped into the following physical layers;

SDH(bulk filled):
VC-3 (into AU-3);
VC-4;
VC-4-4c (concatenated payload);
VC-4-16c (concatenated payload).

SONET (bulk filled):
STS-1 full SPE;
STS-3c full SPE;
STS-12c full SPE;
STS-48c full SPE.

PDH/T-carrier:
2M (AMI, HDB3);
34 M (HDB3);
DS1 (AMI, B8ZS);
DS3 direct mapping (B3ZS);
DS3 PLCP mapping (B3ZS).

Note: For PDH/T-carrier ATM test, option 012 must be ordered.

SDH/SONET mappings:
All ATM mappings can be multiplexed into the selected line-rate as defined in Figures 1 and 2.

ATM framing structure
STS-1, STS-3c, STS-12c and STS-48c: As per Bellcore GR-253.
VC-4, VC-4-4c and VC-16c: As per ITU-T G.707.
34 Mb/s: As per ITU-T G.832.
2 Mb/s: PCM30, PCM30CRC.
DS3 (45 Mb/s): C-bit parity framing.
DS1 (1.5 Mb/s): ESF.

Cell scrambling
On/off, conforms to ITU-T I.432.

DS3 PLCP mappings
Direct/PLCP. PLCP per Annex A of T1E1.2/95-003 and ITU-T Rec. G.804

Error add
SDH/SONET physical layers: See SDH/SONET specifications.
2 Mb/s: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
34 Mb/s: Code, EM-BIP.
DS1: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
DS3: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
DS3 PLCP: BIP.
### Error add ratios

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<th>Selected error type transmitted when “single error” key is pressed.</th>
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<td><strong>Rate</strong></td>
<td>1.0 \times 10^{-3}, 1.1 \times 10^{-3}, M.P \times 10^{-n}</td>
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<td>(n = 4 to 9; M.P = 1.0 to 9.9 in 0.1 steps)(^1)</td>
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</table>

\(^1\) Maximum error rate is \(2.1 \times 10^{-4}\) for:

- 34 M EM-BIP

For other error ratios refer to PDH/SDH/SONET specifications.

### Alarm generation

**SDH/SONET physical layers:** See SDH/SONET spec.
- 2 Mb/s: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- 34 Mb/s: LOS, LOF, AIS, RDI.
- DS1: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- DS3: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.

**DS3 PLCP:** RAI.

**Thru mode**

*SDH/SONET only:* Thru mode passes the received signal unchanged to the transmit port. Payload overwrite and overhead channel overwrite operate with ATM payload in the same manner as PRBS.

### ATM transmitter

**ATM cell stream**

Physical layer as per ITU-T I.432, ATM layer as per ITU-T I.361.

**Cell streams**

1 foreground, 7 background, fill cells.

A single ATM cell stream is set up as the foreground test signal. The remaining bandwidth is then filled with background cells and idle or unassigned cells.

**Cell stream header**

The following are settable for the foreground and all background cell streams:

- UNI/NNI, GFC, VPI, VCI, PTI, CLP.

**Foreground cell distribution**

*Service type:* Constant bit rate (CBR) with settable peak cell rate (PCR) and cell delay variation tolerance (CDVT), variable bit rate (VBR) with settable PCR, CDVT sustained cell rate (SCR) and maximum burst size (MBS) VBR (settable PCR, SCR, MBS and CDVT), single cell or burst of cells.

- **SCR:** Sustainable cell rate (VBR only) 0 to maximum value (step size 1 cell/s).
- **PCR:** Peak cell rate 0 to maximum value (step size 1 cell/s).
- **CDVT:** Cell delay variation tolerance 10 \(\mu\)s to 100 ms, step size 10 \(\mu\)s.
- **MBS:** Maximum burst size, 1 to 2047 (VBR and single only).

Traffic is generated according to ITU-T O.191 enhanced traffic generator.

**Rate synchronization**

The transmit cell rates for both foreground and background traffic are synchronized to the selected timing source. Adding jitter, wander or line frequency offset does not affect the transmitted cell rate.

**Foreground cell payload**

Test cell as per ITU-T Q.191.

Cross cell \((2^{15} - 1)\) and \((2^{23} - 1)\).

User byte.
## Background cell distribution
CBR with settable PCR.

## Background cell payload
User byte.

## Fill cell payload
Idle, unassigned.

## Error Add
**Type:** Single HEC, double HEC, bit, lost cell, misinserted cell, errored cell.  
**Stream:** For foreground cells or all cells (HEC only).  
**Rate:** Off, $1^{-n}$ where $n$ is 3 to 9, user programmable $1.1E^{-3}$ to $1.0E^{-9}$.  
**Burst size:**  
- HEC errors, all cells: Selectable between 1 and 8.  
- Lost, misinserted, errored: Selectable between 1 and 999.  
- Single error add: A single error (or burst) of selected type is added when single key is pressed. Only when rate is off.

## Transmit OAM
**OAM alarm type:** VP-RDI, VP-AIS, VP-CC, VC-RDI, VC-AIS, VC-CC (all end-to-end).

## ATM receiver

### ATM Physical layer structure
An ATM signal can be demapped from the following physical layers:

- **SDH (bulk filled):**  
  - VC-3 (into AU-3);  
  - VC-4;  
  - VC-4-4c (concatenated payload);  
  - VC-4-16c (concatenated payload).

- **SONET (bulk filled):**  
  - STS-1 full SPE;  
  - STS-3c full SPE;  
  - STS-12c full SPE;  
  - STS-48c full SPE.

- **PDH/T-Carrier:**  
  - 2 M (AMI, HDB3);  
  - 34 M (HDB3);  
  - DS1 (AMI, B8ZS);  
  - DS3 direct mapping (B3ZS);  
  - DS3 PLCP mapping (B3ZS).

### Framing
As for transmitter.

### Cell descrambling
On/Off (conforms to ITU-T I.432).

### Header error correction
On/off.

### Interface
UNI/NNI.

### Cell selected for test
All user cells, VP, VC, expert mode (all bits selectable).
Cell stream filter

Selectable GFC, VPI, VCI, user data cells (ITU-T I.610).

Cell payload

Test cell, cross cell 2^{15} – 1 and 2^{13} – 1, user byte, live traffic.

Policing

Policing algorithm as defined in ITU-T I.371 is applied to measure cells that do not conform to tariffed parameters. Parameters are set up on receiver page.

Service type:

- CBR (policing via PCR & CDVT);
- VBR (policing via PCR, CDVT, SCR and MBS);
- OFF;

SCR: 1 cell/s up to max. value. Format of SCR is cells/s VBR only;
PCR: 1 cell/s up to max. value. Format of PCR is cells/s PCR > SCR;
CDVT: Cell delay variation tolerance. 10 μs to 100 ms, step size 10 μs;
MBS: Maximum burst size 1-2047 cells.

Measurements

Physical layer alarms

Signal loss, power.

SDH/SONET:
- See SDH/SONET specifications.
- 2 Mb/s: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- 34 Mb/s: AIS, LOF, RDI.
- DS1: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- DS3: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.

PLCP alarms: OOF, RAI.

Physical layer errors/events

SDH/SONET:
- See SDH/SONET specs.
- 2 Mb/s errors: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- 34 Mb/s errors: Code, EM BIP, REL, trail trace.
- DS1 errors: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.
- DS3 errors: See PDH/T-carrier specifications.

PLCP errors: BIP.

ATM alarms

Alarm seconds are calculated for each of the following alarms:
- LCD (loss of cell delineation as defined in ITU-T I.432);
- SCNR (selected cell not received; no cells of selected type received for 1s);
- VP AIS (alarm indication signal as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- VP RDI (remote defect indication as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- VP LOC (loss of continuity as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- Congestion experienced (as defined in ITU-T I.361);
- VC AIS (alarm indication signal as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- VC RDI (remote defect indication as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- VC LOC (loss of continuity as defined in ITU-T I.610);
- Test cell sync loss (LPAC as defined in ITU-T O.191);
- Pattern loss.
**ATM errors/events**
- Corrected HEC errors;
- Non corrected HEC errors;
- Received cells CLP0 (high priority);
- Received cells CLP1 (low priority);
- Received cells CLP0 + 1;
- Errored cells;
- Lost cells;
- Misinserted cells;
- Mean cell transfer delay;
- Peak-to-peak 2-point CDV;
- Bit error;
- Non-conforming cells.

**ATM LEDs**
- VP alarm (VP AIS, VP RDI or VC LOC);
- VC alarm (VP AIS, VP RDI or VC LOC);
- LCD;
- Selected cell not Rx;
- Pattern loss (pattern loss or test call sync loss);
- Error.

**ATM service disruption measurement**
Service disruption can be measured on an ATM signal (using ITU-T G.191 test cell measurement)

The disruption period is the time from a received error free test cell to the occurrence of the next error-free test cell after an impairment has been detected. The measurement is recorded only if 200 ms of no errors occur after the disruption period.

**ATM jitter measurement**
Comprehensive jitter capability is available with ATM payloads. Please see the Jitter specifications for full details of the OmniBER’s jitter capability.
Packet over SONET/SDH (POS) maps IP packets into the SONET/SDH frame payload using Point-to-Point (PPP) encapsulation and High Level Data Link Control (HDLC) framing.

POS protocol stack

POS transmitter

Physical Layer

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<tr>
<th>Interface Rates</th>
<th>SONET</th>
<th>SDH</th>
<th>Rate</th>
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<tr>
<td>OC-48</td>
<td>STM-16</td>
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<td>2.5 Gb/s</td>
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<tr>
<td>OC-12</td>
<td>STM-4</td>
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<td>622 Mb/s</td>
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<td>OC-3</td>
<td>STM-1/e</td>
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Figure 1: ITU-T G.707 mapping structure (SDH payload mapping)

Figure 2: Bellcore GR-253 mapping structure (SONET payload mapping)
POS payload mappings

All POS mappings can be multiplexed into the selected line rate as defined in figure 1 and figure 2.

Overhead

Path signal label (C2):
Set to 0x16 to indicate PPP with $x^{43} + 1$ scrambling
Set to 0xCF to indicate PPP without $x^{43} + 1$ scrambling.
Multiframe indicator (H4): Set to 0.

Data Link Layer

PPP encapsulation

As per RFC1661

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<th>Information</th>
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Framing

PPP encapsulated packets are mapped to frames. Two framing formats are supported:
PPP in HDLC framing (as per RFC 1662);
Cisco HDLC.

The frame structure is common to both formats as shown below:

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<th>Address</th>
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<th>Padding</th>
<th>FCS</th>
<th>Flag</th>
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<td>8 bits</td>
<td>8 bits</td>
<td>16 bits</td>
<td>variable</td>
<td>16/32 bits</td>
<td>8 bits</td>
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PPP in HDLC 7E FF 03 0021

Cisco HDLC 7E OF 00 0800

Flag

Inter-frame gap is configurable (1 to $2^{30} - 1$ octets, step size 1 octet).

Frame check sequence (FCS)

Calculated over all bits of the address, control, protocol and information fields (FCS, flags and stuffing octets not included). As defined by RFC 1662.
CRC-16 (not available at 2.5 Gb/s);
CRC-32 (all rates).

Scrambling

off: (provided for backwards compatibility with RFC 1619).
on: scrambling is performed during insertion into SONET/SDH using an $x^{43} + 1$ polynomial.
**IP Layer**

**IP packet stream**

Both the IP datagram size and the inter-packet gap are settable.

**IP datagram size**

**User selectable:** User, random or 7,4,1 distribution

- **User:** settable between 20 and 65535 octets, step size 1 octect. This is the size of the entire datagram, including the 20 octet header, before any HDLC octect stuffing. When the size is set to 20, only a header is transmitted.

- **Random:** The IP datagram size is varied randomly between minimum and maximum limits. The minimum datagram size is settable between 20 and 63 octets. The maximum datagram size can be set to one of the following values: 127, 511, 1023, 8191, 65535. There is an approximately equal probability of finding datagram sizes between min. and max. values.

- **7,4,1 distribution:** Emulates traffic patterns by sending a repeating sequence of 12 packets in which 7 have size 40 octets, 4 have size 552 octets, and 1 has size 1500 octets.

**Inter-packet gap size**

**User selectable:** User or random.

- **User:** Settable between 1 to $2^{30} - 1$ octets. Step size 1 octect.

- **Random:** The inter packet gap is varied randomly between minimum and maximum limits. The minimum gap size is 1 octet. The maximum gap size can be set to one of the following values: 4, 32, 1024, $2^{10}$, $2^{30} - 1$. There is an equal probability of finding inter-packet gap sizes between min and max values.

**Hitless re-configuration**

Changing packet size or inter-packet gap size will not affect the contents of the POS frames. If a long packet is in progress, it will complete before the new size takes effect.

If a long inter-packet gap is in progress it will be terminated when the gap size is changed, and the new packet will begin immediately.

**Note:** At very low packet rates there may be a noticeable delay between changing a packet size and the first occurrence of the new packet size. This is due to buffering of packet data (approximately 50 bytes) within the transmitter.

**IP header**

- **Version:** 0100 (version 4).
- **Header length** (specified in 32 bit words): 5 (fixed) i.e. no header options.
- **Type of service:** User definable, 0 → 0xFF.
- **Total length:** User definable (see IP datagram size above).
- **Identification:** 0 (fixed).
- **Flags:** User definable.
- **Fragment offset:** 0 (fixed).
- **Time to live:** User definable, 0 → 255 (default 64).
- **Protocol:** User definable, 0 → 255 (default 6 – TCP).
- **Header checksum:** automatically calculated.
- **Source address:** settable in dotted decimal notation.
- **Destination address:** settable in dotted decimal notation.
- **Options:** Not supported.

**IP payload data**

$2^{23} - 1$ PRBS (inverted/normal), all ones, all zeros, 0xAA55 pattern, 16 and 32 bit user defined word (Hex or Binary).
Test Functions

Alarm generation
HDLC frame loss: Asserted by transmitting a value 0x81, the logical inverse of 0x7E flag in all octets.

Error add
HDLC FCS (CRC-16 or CRC-32) errors: single, $10^{-3}$.
IP header checksum errors: single, $10^{-3}$.
IP payload bit errors: single, $10^{-3}$ to $10^{-9}$.

POS receiver

Physical Layer

Interface rates
As for transmitter.

POS payload mappings
As for transmitter.

Data Link Layer

PPP encapsulation
As per RFC1661

Framing
User selectable between:
- PPP in HDLC framing (as per RFC 1662);
- Cisco HDLC.

Flag
Minimum inter-frame gap is one flag sequence.

Frame check sequence (FCS)
User selectable between:
- CRC-16 (not available at 2.5 Gb/s);
- CRC-32 (all rates).

Descrambling
off, on (default).

MPLS
The receiver automatically handles any number (from 0 upwards) of 4-octet MPLS Shim headers. MPLS shims are silently removed and the IP datagram is processed as usual. MPLS unicast and multicast protocol fields (0x281, 0x283, 0x8847, 0x8848) handled by receiver.

IP Layer

IP header
The receiver can support variable length IP header options.

IP payload data
$2^{23}-1$ PRBS (inverted/normal), all ones, all zeros, 0xAA55 pattern,
16 and 32 bit user word (Hex or Binary), live traffic.
Measurements

Physical layer alarms
- Power loss.
- SDH/SONET: See SDH/SONET specifications.

Physical layer errors/events
- SDH/SONET: See SDH/SONET specifications.

POS alarms/LEDs
- HDLC link loss
- IP not Rx
- Pattern loss.

POS errors
- HDLC FCS errors (count and ratio): The number of HDLC frames received with the FCS in error.
- IP header errors (count and ratio): The number of IP datagrams received with an error in the header, where any of the following will be counted as an IP header error:
  - header length shorter than 20 octets
  - header checksum error
  - error in MPLS formatting
- IP payload bit errors (count and ratio): The number of errors in the IP payload.

Any of above will cause the red ‘error’ LED to light.

POS events
- Transmit packet rate (packets/s).
- HDLC Frame (count, frames/s).
- IP datagrams (count and rate).

Service disruption
- Service disruption can be measured with POS payloads.
  - The disruption period is the time from the end of a received error-free packet to the occurrence of the next error-free word. The measurement is recorded only if 200 ms of no bit errors occur after the disruption period.

General

Thru mode
- The transmitter can be configured to retransmit the signal being input to the receiver.
  - Transparent mode: signal unaltered.
  - Overhead overwrite: The test features associated with the TOH/POH can be enabled to overwrite one single or multi-byte overhead channel.
  - STS overwrite: Overwrites the complete SPE with internal payload. This enables the TOH to be looped while a new payload is inserted.
  - AU-4/AU-3 overwrite: Overwrites the complete AU-4/AU-3 with internal payload. This enables the TOH and background AU-4/AU-3’s to be looped while a new payload is inserted.

Jitter
- Comprehensive jitter capability is available with POS payloads. Please see the Jitter specifications for full details of the OmniBER’s jitter capability.
**Disk drive**

**Configurations**
Save/recall of instrument configurations to/from floppy disk drive (in addition to the 5 internal stored settings).

**Graphics**
Save/recall of stored measurements graphics (SMG) to/from floppy disk drive.
Extends internal event based storage from 10,000 events to 310,000 events.

**Logging**
Direction of logging output to floppy disk drive.

**PC results format**
Save SMG (stored measurement graphics) results in a CSV (comma separated variable) PC compatible format for importing to PC spreadsheets etc.

**Screen dumps**
Save screen dumps to disk in Windows-compatible .BMP format.

**Disk management**
Instrument provides the following disk drive features:
- Copying of instrument measurement graphics files to/from internal instrument storage to/from floppy disk drive.
- Copying of stored measurement graphics files from internal instrument storage to floppy disk drive.
- Deleting files or directories from floppy disk drive.
- Renaming of files.
- Labeling of floppy disks.
- Formatting of floppy disks.

**Firmware upgrades**
Allows the upgrading of instrument firmware from the floppy disk drive.

**Graphics/logging**

**Max test result stores**
10 internal SMG stores (stored graphics and data)
(increases with floppy disk drive – number of stores limited only by free disk space).

**Graphic display**
Bar chart (results versus time periods with up to 1 second resolution)
or printout for current or stored measurement period.

**Storage capacity**
10,000 events (increases to 310,000 events with floppy disk drive).

**Bar resolution**
1 second or 1, 15, 60 minutes.

**PDH/DSn bar graphs**
- PDH: Bit, code, frame, CRC, REBE plus all PDH alarms.
- DS1/DS3: Bit, BPV, frame, CRC6, P-bit, C-bit, FEBE plus all DSn alarms.

**SONET/SDH bar graphs**
Frame errors (A1A2), B1, B2, MS FEBE, B3, HP FEBE, HP IEC, LP BIP, LP FEBE bit errors.

**POS bar graphs**
HDL FCS, IP header, IP payload errors.
HDL link loss, IP not Rx, PSL alarms.

**Printing/logging**
Results, time, date and instrument control settings to internal/external printer or floppy disk drive.

**Print/logging period:** 10 minutes, 1 hour, 24 hours, user-defined (10 to 99 minutes, or 1 to 99 hours).
Printers

The OmniBER 718 can print to an external printer or the in-lid printer (option 602).

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<td>Graphics logging</td>
<td>Logging of instrument graphics results to printer.</td>
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<td>Screen dump</td>
<td>Full-width printing of instrument screen to printer at press of a key.</td>
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<td>Environmental</td>
<td>Printer operating temperature: 5 to 35 °C n/a</td>
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<td>Printer storage temperature: −15 to +50 °C n/a</td>
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<td>Printer humidity range: 30% to 85% RH n/a</td>
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Remote control/printer interface (option 601)

Capability
- RS-232-C printer/remote-control interface.
- HP-IB printer/remote-control interface.
- Parallel printer interface.
- LAN remote control interface.

General

Preset facility
Complete instrument configurations can be saved in non-volatile memory. Four independent configurations can be saved. Each store has a user-programmable name (disk drive increases storage – number of stores only limited by free disk space).

Supply
90 to 260 Vac nominal; 47 to 63 Hz, 450 VA nominal.

Dimensions
7.5 (H) × 13.40 (W) × 18.5 in (D) (< 20.10 in (D) with lid fitted).
190 (H) × 340 (W) × 470 mm (D) (< 510 mm (D) with lid fitted).

Weight
16 kg (typical); 35 lb.

Internal clock error
- Basic accuracy: < 0.5 ppm at 77 °F (25 °C).
- Temperature stability: < 3 ppm over operating temperature range.
- Ageing rate: < 1 ppm per year.

Environmental
- Operating temperature: 32 to 113°F (0 to 45 °C).
- Storage temperature: 68 to 168 °F (−20 to +70 °C).
- Humidity range: 15% to 95% RH.

“This instrument is designed for use in installation category II and pollution degree two per IEC 61010.0 – 1 and 60664 respectively.”
CE mark
ESD/Electrical fast transients/radiated susceptibility: Meets EN50082-1 (1992).

Regulatory standards

Product safety
EN 61010-1 (1993);
CSA C-22.2 No 1010.1-92.

EMC compatibility
Immunity: EN 50082-1 (1992);
Emissions: EN 55011 (1991), Group 1 Class A.

Laser safety standards
21 CFR CH.1 1040;
EN 60825-1 (1994).

Accessories

Optical accessories
E4545A: 3 m fiber optic cable (FC/PC connectors)
E4546A: FC/PC 15 dB attenuator.

Optical coupler
15744B: In-lid optical coupler.
15744C: In-pouch optical coupler.

Carrying cases
15910B: Soft, vinyl carrying case.
15772C: Hard, robust transit case.

Rack mount kit
15989A: Rack mount kit.
15990A: Connector access panel (see publication number 5968-2793E).

Warranty
3-year warranty as standard.

Calibration certificate
Option UK6: Commercial calibration certificate with test data.
Distributed network analyzer (DNA) features

Use E4540A DNA software to pin-point elusive network faults and identify links with poor performance. The DNA software’s long-term testing and automatic results logging capability let you easily monitor the quality of service you provide to key customers.

Monitor the network to identify performance and signal degradation. Interactively control analyzers for faster problem resolution.

Create and run your own customized test sequences effectively.

Transfer results to other Windows®-based applications and provide detailed quality-of-service information for managers and customers.

Distributed/remote testing

E4540A distributed network

PC/laptop/MS Windows® software (Windows 3.1, Windows NT or Windows 95) that allows control of the 377xx family of analyzers via a virtual instrument display. Allows remote user to store and recall instrument configurations, create and run test sequences, transfer test results to other Windows-based applications and provide quality-of-service information for managers and customers.

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Also order an RS-232-C or LAN remote control interface (option 601).
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