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Digital Tunable Demodulator WJ-9499



The WJ-9499 Digital Tunable Demodulator uses advanced digital signal processing (DSP) and surface mount technology to provide precision tuning, filtering, and demodulation of received signals. The demodulator accepts digital input with 12-bit parallel data streams up to 50 megasamples per second (MSPS). Direct digital-synthesis techniques provide accurate tuning with resolution down to 1 Hz. An operator can use manual or automatic gain control (AGC) with a range of 50 dB.

The WJ-9499's flexible, DSP-based architecture allows for the implementation of any IF bandwidth (IFBW) between 100 Hz and 20 MHz. The standard set of filters provides 24 bandwidths from 100 Hz to 20 MHz. The unit also provides a corresponding set of selectable video filters.

The WJ-9499 provides digital output signals including predetection IF, selected video and audio. It provides the digital predetection IF output as 16-bit parallel data in a multiplexed inphase/quadrature (I/Q) format along with word clock and a I/Q qualifier signal. The WJ-9499 provides the digital video output as 12-bit parallel data with clock, while the digital audio output is provided in a commercial digital audiotape (DAT) format. A two-channel analog audio output is also standard.

Features

- ☐ Precision tuning, filtering & demodulation
- ☐ Digital inputs & outputs
- ☐ Up to 50 MSPS data rate for digital input signals with 12 bits of precision
- ☐ Standard AM, FM, DSB, SSB, ISB demodulation modes
- ☐ 1-Hz tuning resolution
- ☐ Automatic or manual gain control
- \square 24 selectable IFBWs from 100 Hz to 20 MHz
- ☐ Selectable video filtering
- ☐ Low phase noise, passband ripple & differential group delay
- ☐ Standard Ethernet & RS-232 remote control
- ☐ Built-in test capability to detect faults to circuit card level
- □ 3.5-in (8.89 cm) half-rack package

HEIGHT 3.5 in (8.89 cm) **WIDTH** 8.5 in (21.59 cm) **DEPTH*** 21 in (53.34 cm) **WEIGHT** 21 lbs (9.5 kg)

*Excluding connectors, knobs & handles

Restricted International Distribution

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The WJ-9499 supports AM, FM, USB, LSB, DSB, and ISB demodulation modes. AM and FM modes are available for all IFBWs. USB, LSB, and DSB modes are available for conventional voice-grade bandwidths and standard IFBWs up to 20 kHz. ISB mode is available for standard IFBWs up to 10 kHz.

Control of the WJ-9499 is performed remotely via an Ethernet interface, which is available as either a 10BASE-T or an AUI port. The 10BASE-T port provides network access to twisted-pair cables via a modular RJ-45 connector. The AUI port interfaces to an appropriate external Media Access Unit via a 15-pin D connector to provide network access to thick-and thin-coaxial, twisted-pair, or fiber-optic cabling. An auxiliary RS-232 control interface allows localized, single-point control of the WJ-9499. The Ethernet and RS-232 interfaces are not active simultaneously.

A standard 0.25-inch (0.63 cm) headphone jack and volume control on the front panel permit an operator to locally monitor demodulated audio.

For all of its capability, the WJ-9499 is extremely compact. It is contained in a 3.5-inch (8.89 cm) high by 8.5-inch (21.59 cm) wide by 21-inch (53.34 cm) deep rack-mount enclosure. The unit weights approximately 21 pounds (9.50 kg).

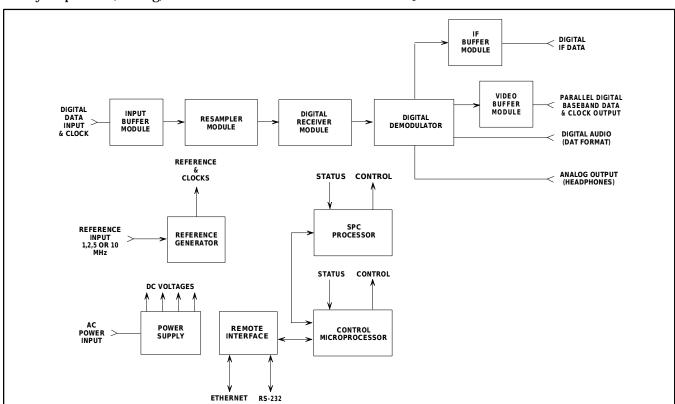
Functional Description

The unit accepts a digital input via the Input Buffer Module. The Resampler Module synchronously converts the selected data stream to a data rate compatible with subsequent processing, and passes that data to the Digital Receiver Module (DRM). The DRM performs the tuning and IF filtering required to extract the desired signal from the input digital baseband.

The Digital Demodulator performs AM, FM, DSB, SSB, and ISB demodulation of the predetection IF signal provided by the DRM. It also provides post-detection FM video filtering. The Digital Demodulator outputs include:

- Multiplexed I/Q Predetection IF
- Selected digital video
- Digital audio
- 2-channel analog audio

A 32-bit control microprocessor interprets remote commands to provide overall high-level control of the unit. The microprocessor sends commands to the 24-bit Signal Path Control (SPC) processor that controls the processing functions and provides gain control supervision.



WJ-9499 Functional Block Diagram

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Specifications

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Digital Input Characteristics	
Input Sample Rates	50, 25, 12.5, 10, 6.25, 3.125, 2.5, 1.56 MSPS
781, 391, 195, 97.7, 48.8 kSPS	40.19
Data FormatSample Clock	12-bit parallel 2's complement
Logic Format	Differential 100K FCL data & clock
Tuner Characteristics	Differential 100K ECL, data & clock
Tuning Step Size	1 Hz to 1 MHz selectable
IF Bandwidths	
	750, 600, 500, 200, 100, 50, 20, 10, 5, 3.8, 3.2, 2.6, 2, 1kHz
	500, 200, 100 Hz
	Other filters optional
IF Shape Factor	
Passband Ripple	
Phase Response Image Rejection	
Gain Control	
Manual Gain Control Range	
Output Spectrum	Normal or inverted
Demodulator Characteristics	
Detection Modes	AM, FM, SSB, ISB, DSB
Video Bandwidths	10, 5, 2.5, 1 MHz
	500, 250, 100, 50, 25, 10, 5, 2.5, 1.9, 1.6, 1.3, 1 kHz
	500, 250, 100, 50 Hz
Audio Pandwidtha	Other filters optional 20, 10, 5, 3.8, 3.2, 2.6, 2.5, 2, 1.9, 1.6, 1.3, 1 kHz
Audio Bandwidths	20, 10, 5, 3.8, 3.2, 2.6, 2.3, 2, 1.9, 1.6, 1.3, 1 kHz 500, 250, 200, 100, 50 Hz
Digital Output Characteristics	300, 230, 200, 100, 30 HZ
Digital Output Characteristics Digital Outputs	Predetection IF selected video audio
Predetection IF Data Format	16-bit parallel 2's complement: Multiplexed I/O
Video Data Format	
IF & Video Logic Format	Differential 100K ECL, data & clock
Audio Data Format	Commercial DAT format
Analog Output Characteristics	
Analog Outputs	2 audio
Output Impedance Headphone Audio (Standard)	
	Independent & volume control for each side
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Local	Headphone volume controls
Remote	Ethernet (10BASE-T or AUI) & RS-232 (only 1 active at a
	time); consult factory for alternates
Internal Reference Stability	
External Reference Input	Accepts 1, 2, 5, or 10 MHz ±1 PPM, 200 mV peak-to-peak
	min into high-impedance load; automatically switches to external reference upon application of signal
Physical Environment	external reference upon application of signal
Temperature Range	
Operating	
Meets All Specifications	
Operating Altitude (50°C Ambient)	
	115 Vac ±10%, 46 to 400 Hz, and 230 Vac ±10%, 46 to 65 Hz
Power Consumption	
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Options

Model #	Functions	Physical Characteristics
WJ-949X/DTNF Digital Tunable Notch Filter Module	Allows placement of a tunable filter within the received signal passband	Installs in a dedicated option slot inside the chassis
	Provides selectable tuning Step size: 1 to 100 kHz	Consists of a single PC Assembly
	 Provides: Notch width proportional to IFBW Notch depth: 40 dB, min 	Derives power & control from basic WJ-9499

Contact factory for availability of this option.