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FEATURES

- (1) Chan, 1.5 GS/sec/chan, 9-Bit D/A resolution
- Controlled over USB / Ethernet with text files
- Full scale Trise/Tfall = 150 picoseconds (typ)
- DC Coupled into 50 ohms, 750 mVpp (typ)
- (1) 3.3V TTL Marker Output (Rs = 50 ohms)
- 8 KSamples / channel
- 1ppm Internal Clock Stability, < 5psec Jitter
- SFDR less than -40 dbc @ 400 MHz (min)
- Internal Master Clock, Int./Ext. Trigger
- Walnut & Aluminum Enclosure w/ 12V, Ethernet
- Windows GUI for Windows 10/11



APPLICATIONS

- Radar Signal Generation and Testing
- Telecom / Data Communications
- Optical and Magnetic Storage Testing
- Arbitrary RF Signal Generation
- Wireless Communications Testing

- Real World Simulations
- Network Analysis
- Pulse Generation

DESCRIPTION

General

The 1.5 GSPS, DAx11500z-USB3 is a highly versatile PC controlled Arbitrary Waveform Generator. It has an unusually wide bandwidth output in excess of 2.3 GHz which is perfect for fast time domain signals. However, you can download almost any waveform that the user can imagine. Whether it be random noise, a custom shaped pulse, a pure sine wave, a modulated subcarrier, or an encoded radar signature, the DAx11500 will faithfully reproduce it. The only limitation is the short memory which was done to meet our manufacturing and cost goals.

The high speed D/A converter (DAC) can be clocked internally or externally (opt.). Because the DAC is only running at 38% of its maximum clock rate of 4.0 GHz, the signal quality is exceptional. Most products in the AWG market are usually running at their maximum clock rates at reduced quality to meet marketing goals.

Triggering

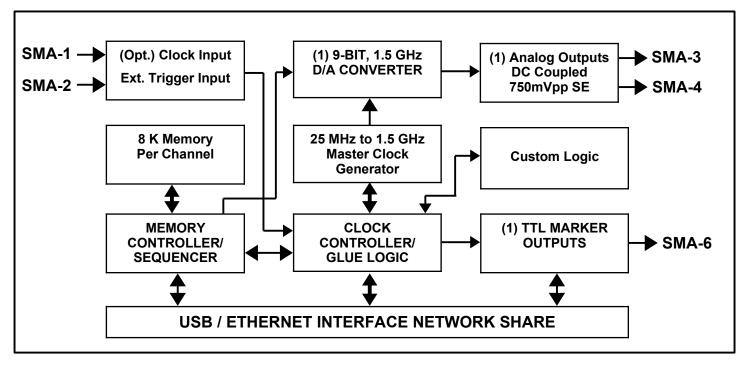
The DAx11500z-USB3 can be triggered by an external 3.3V TTL signal or software command. Looping can be set for continuous or per single trigger.

Memory

The DAx11500z-USB3 comes standard with 8 KSamples of dual channel SRAM. This means it has the capability of updating the waveform while its outputing.

GUI Interface and API

The DAx11500z-USB3 comes with a GUI program that can perform tasks like loading waveforms from a file to generating sine / square / and triangle waves, changing clock rates, triggering etc. The API is simply copying text files from the user PC to the network share on the DAx11500z-USB3.



DAx11500z-LAN BLOCK DIAGRAM

SPECIFICATIONS

Analog Output: (Dual Channel)

(T=25°C unless otherwise stated) Conditions/other Typical Values

Vertical Resolution Fclk = 1.5 GHz 9-Bit (1 out of 511)
Output Impedance/Coupling 50 ohms / DC Coupling

Amplitude

Parameter

Full Scale Fclk = 1.5GHz 750 mVpp typical

single-ended into 50 ohms

(SMA connectors)

Rise Time (20-80%, no filters) 150 psec typical into 50 ohms **Fall Time** (20-80%, no filters) 150 psec typical into 50 ohms

Internal Clock Jitter < 5 psec typical

Delay between trigger and output TDB typical @ 1.5 GSPS

Maximum re-trigger rate 500 kHz

SFDR (Spurious Free Dynamic Range)

DC < Fout < 400 MHz, Fclk = 1.50 GHz < -40 dB Minimum

Internal Clock Rate Generator

Frequency range 25 MHz to 1.5 GHz Resolution < 10 KHz (typ.) Stability $T = 0^{\circ}\text{C} - 70^{\circ}\text{C}$ +/- 1 ppm

Memory

Waveform Base Model 7936 Words x 9-Bits

of User Segments 1

Segment Size Range 16 Samples up to total memory

Segment Resolution 4 Samples

Maximum Segment Loops once/trig and Infinite only

DIGITAL OUTPUTS:

(1) TTL Marker Once at beginning of waveform. 50 ohms output

impedance, 3.3VTTL

DIGITAL INPUTS:

Ext. Clk Input (custom Option) 50 ohms SMA inputs: 10 MHz to

1.5 GHz, square Wave, 0dBm-10dBm, AC coupled.

TTL Trigger Input Rising Edge Retriggerable SMA connector,

DC coupled, Threshold=1.0V, 50 ohms.

ENVIRONMENTAL (DAx22000)

Temperature

Operating 15°C to 30°C Ambient

Non-operating -40°C to 85°C

Humidity

Operating 20% to 80% (no condensation) Nonoperating 5% to 95% (no condensation)

Power

+12V 10 Watts Typical

Size

DA22000-Box L=6.0", W=8.75", H=2.25"

ORDER INFORMATION

Model Number	Description
	1-Ch, 1.5 GSPS, 9-bits with 8 K Memory

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