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## RF POWER/ VOLTMETER 5730 SERIES



- Frequency Range: 10 kHz to 110 GHz
- 10 Hz to 2.5 GHz Voltage Measurement
- Power Range: -70 dBm to +44 dBm
- 90 dB Dynamic Range
- 200 μV to 300 Volts Measurement Range
- 1% Accuracy at full scale
- True RMS response below 30 mV
- Automatic download of sensor calibration data
- Backward compatible with all existing Boonton diode, thermocouple, and waveguide sensors/probes
- Over 200 readings per second in single channel mode
- Single or Dual Channel Capability
- Single-slot, C-size Module
- VXI Bus Message Based Device

#### Description

The 5730 series is a VXI microprocessor based RF power meter/
RF voltmeter that can be configured to meet virtually any
RF/Microwave power or voltage measurement requirement. It has
the same state-of-the-art characteristics of the popular 4230A and
9230 series along with accuracy, functionality, speed, and flexibility
of VXI. The unit is a single-slot, C-size, VXIbus formatted
instrument, which means that you will get extreme accuracy, in a
mainframe chassis.

The 5730 series is designed for both military and commercial VXIbus ATE systems. Its high-stability and precision are ideal for radar, EW, avionics, automotive, and all facets of telecommunications. They include: ATE Systems, Satellite Communications, Paging, PCS, and Microwave Communications. As well as: manufacturers of components of: attenuators, filters, amplifiers, (TWT and

solid state), detectors, mixers, and antenna systems.

### Two Channel Operation

The 5730 series also can be configured with a second channel input that provides a duplicate set of input amplifiers and connectors for a second power sensor. This feature allows the unit to measure and calculate the difference and ratio of the two channels.

#### **Additional Features**

- Duty Cycle Setting for Pulse Measurements
- Selectable Filtering
- Automatic or Preset Ranging
- Built-in Calibration Source
- Automatic Calibration
- Automatic Zeroing
- Optional 50-ohm terminated sensor to 2.5 GHz
- Optional low-frequency probe from 10 Hz to 100 MHz

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Frequency Range(Power):	10 kHz to 100 GHz, sensor dependent						
Frequency Range(Voltage):	10 Hz to 2.5 GHz, probe dependent						
Power Range:	-70 dBm to +44 dBm, sensor dependent						
Voltage Range:	200 $\mu V$ to 10 V in eight ranges (300 V to 700 MHz with a 100:1 divider). Indications to 50 $\mu V$ .						
Voltage Measurement:	1 mV to 300 V fs.						
Decibel Range:	>90 dB in eight ranges, 0.01 dB resolution. dBmV (0dB=1mV); dBV (0dB=1V); dBW (0dB=1W);dBm (0dB=1mW						
(Voltage)	calculated from a voltage drop across a selectable z. reference, 5 to 2000 ohms);						
	dBr (0db= any desired reference level. Reference level can be selected to 0.01 dB resolution if range of +/-99.99 is not exceeded.						
Crest Factor(level: crest factor)							
(Voltage):	With Divider: 30 mV: 140; 100 mV: 42; 300 mV: 14; 3 V: 1.4.						
Input Capacitance (Voltage):	Less than 1.5 pF.						
Max Input Voltage:	AC Input: 10 V at all frequency ranges; DC input: 200 V at all frequency ranges.						
Number of Channels:	One / Two						
Measurement Speed:	Speed: 1 channel: 200 readings/sec. 2 channel: 100 readings/sec.						
Power Sensors:	Accepts sensor data adapter with full-calibration data, including high-frequency calibration factors, stored in non-volatile memory. Compatible with all Boonton CW Power Sensors. *See Sensor Data Sheet.						
Dynamic Range:	Up to 90 dB with diode sensors, 50 dB with thermocouple sensors. * See power sensor specifications.						
Inputs:	Front panel sensor connectors standard.						
Outputs:	Front panel PWR REF connector, 0 dBm, 50 MHz. Front panel RECORDER BNC connector, 0 to 10 V into 1MΩ.						
	Output impedance is 9.09 k $\Omega$ . May be operated into 1k $\Omega$ for 1V fs.						
Basic Uncertainty (Voltage):	Voltage Level(mV): mV						
,, ,,	3000 to 10,000: +/-2% of reading, +/- 2 counts; 3 to 3000: +/- 1% of reading, +/- 1 count;						
	1 to 3: +/- 2% of reading, +/- 2 counts; 0.2 to 1: +/- 3% of reading: +/- 3 counts.						
Measurement Units:	Absolute: watts, dBm, dBmV, dBV, and dBW.						
	Relative: %,dBr.						
Measurement Accuracy (PWR):	Total accuracy is the sum of the following uncertainties (errors are +/- worst case):						
Instrumentation Accuracy:	0.002% at full scale.						
Power Reference Uncertainty:	Output frequency: 50 MHz +/- 1.5%. Output level: 0 dBm level accuracy: +/- 0.7% (25°C) for 90 days. +/- 0.9% RS\$ 1.2% worst case (0° to +55°C) for 1 year. Source impedance: 50 +/- 1 Ω. SWR: < 1.05. Harmonic output: < -50 dBc						
Other Uncertainties:	For sensor, noise, high-frequency calibration uncertainty, *See power sensor specifications.						
Calibration Factors	+3 dB to –3 dB in 0.01 dB steps. These calibration factors are stored in non-volatile memory. When a frequency						
(Power):	other than that is stored is used, the meter linearity interpolates between the calibration factor above and below the						
	frequency entered to obtain a calibration factor.						
Ranging:	Automatic or manual.						
Filtering:	Filter times in 0.05-second intervals to 20 seconds.						
Zeroing:	Automatic function to calculate, store, and apply zero corrections to each range.						
Measurement Offset:	-99.99 to 99.99 in 0.01 dB steps (dBr).						
Power Consumption:	+24VDC 52 mA 1.3 Watts						
Control of the Contro	-24 VDC 57 mA 1.4 Watts						
	+5 VDC 690 mA 4.7 Watts						
Operating Temperature:	0 to +55°C.						
Weight:	2.64 lbs. (1.20 kg).						
Dimensions:	Single-slot, C-size module.						
Accessories Required:	One or more of the available power sensors and a power sensor cable and one sensor data adapter are required.						

Ordering Information:			POWER SENSORS					
Single Channel 5731		Diode Sensors			Thermocouple Sensors			
Dual Channel		5732	Model Number	Frequency (MHz-GHz)	Power (dBm)	Model Number	Frequency (MHz-GHz)	Power (dBm)
VOLTAGE PROBES			51011(EMC) 51011	0.01 to 8 0.1 to 12.4	-60 to +20 -60 to +20	51100 51101	10 to 18 0.1 to 4.2	-30 to +20 -30 to +20
Model Number	Description	Frequency 51012* 51013		0.1 to 2 0.1 to 18	-60 to +20 -60 to +20	51102 51200 51201 51300 51301	30 to 26.5 10 to 18 0.1 to 4.2 10 to 18 0.1 to 4.2	-30 to +20 -10 to +37 -10 to +37 0 to +44 0 to +44
952063	Standard Probe	10kHz to 1.2 GHz	51015 51033	0.1 to 18 0.1 to 18	-50 to +30 -40 to +33			
952064	Low-Frequency Probe	10 Hz to 100 MHz	51071 51072	10 to 26.5 30 to 40	-70 to +20 -70 to +20			
952009	50-Ohm Voltage Divider	100 kHz to 2.5 GHz	51075 51077 51078	0.5 to 18 0.5 to 18 0.1 to 18	-70 to +20 -60 to +30 -20 to +37			

\*75Ω

Specifications subject to change without notice.

Consult factory for details on K, Ka, Q, U, V, & W waveguide sensors.