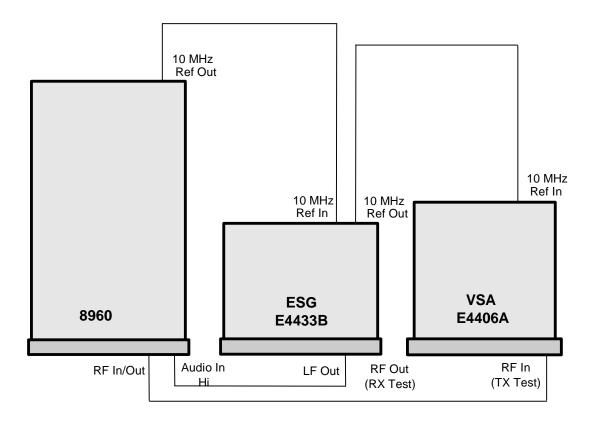
Agilent Technologies 8960 Operational Verification (Manual Procedure) Test Equipment Setup

Use the following procedure to manually test an 8960 that is running an E1960A GSM Test Application. A test record is included to assist in collecting test data. Make a copy of the test record to use.

The test equipment required for 8960 Operational Verification is:

ESG E4433B Digital Signal Generator

VSA E4406A Transmitter Tester



To perform the 8960 Operational Verification tests requires that the 10 MHz timebases be connected together. Connect the 10 MHz Reference Output of the 8960 to the 10 MHz Ref In of the ESG E4433B. Connect the 10 MHz Ref Out of the ESG E4433B to the 10 MHz Ref In of the VSA E4406A with BNC cables.

The RF In/Out Connector of the 8960 will be alternately connected to either the RF Out of the ESG E4433B (RX Test) or the RF Input of the VSA E4406A (TX Test) with a low loss Type-N cable.

8960 Operational Verification **Test Record**

Test Data Record for 8	<u>960 with E1960A GSN</u>	<u>I Test Appl</u>	<u>ication</u>		
Functional Verification		Expected Li	mit (Note 1)	Pass	Fail
Analog Generator Leve	el Accy		\pm 2.0 dB		
Analog Generator Spec	tral Purity				
	Harmonics		\leq -25 dBc		
	Sub-Harmonics		\leq -40 dBc		
Analog Audio Generato	or Accuracy		± 0.03V		
GSM Generator					
	Amplitude Flatness		<u>± .6 dBm</u>		
	Peak Phase Error	(PGSM/EGSM)	$< \pm 4$ Deg		
		(DCS/PCS)	$<\pm 6$ Deg		
	RMS Phase Error		< ± 2 Deg.		
	Frequency Error	(18 Hz	$z) < \pm .04 \text{ ppm}$		
Analog Audio Analyze		± 0.04V			
Analog Analyzer RF Po		± 1.6 dBm			
GSM Analyzer Freque		< ± 24 Hz			
GSM Analyzer Residua					
	RMS Error		$<\pm$ 2 Deg		
	Peak Error		$< \pm 8$ Deg		
GSM Analyzer PVT A	Expected Li	mit (Note 1)	Pass	Fail	
PVT Offset	Ousec and 542.8usec	(0 dB)	$\pm 2 \text{ dB}$		
PVT Offset	-10usec		$\leq 8 dB$		
PVT Offset	552.8usec		$\leq 8 \text{ dB}$		
GSM Analyzer ORFS I	Measurement	Expected Li	mit (Note 1)	Pass	Fail
ORFS Offset	\pm 100 kHz	≤ _	6 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 200 kHz	≤ <u> </u>	33 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 250 kHz		38 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 400 kHz		67 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 600 kHz	<u>≤</u> _′	76 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 800 kHz		78 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 1000 kHz		78 dB		
ORFS Offset	\pm 1200 kHz		79 dB		
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Test Data Record for 8960 with E1960A GSM Test Application
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Note 1 - Expected test limit levels may vary according to test instrument source used. Expected limits listed may require modification.

Analog Generator Level Accuracy is a test to insure that the 8960 can set a basic level and then step in 10 dB increments accurately.

The expected limit is:

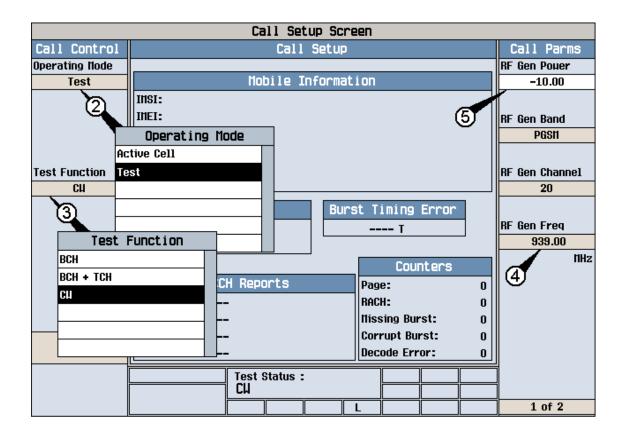
RF Generator Output Level, RF In/Out (2 sources) - ± 2.0 dB

The current operating firmware in the 8960 does not allow manual operation of amplitude or frequency using incremental steps for either Signal Generator 1 or 2; a PC with controlling software is required.

Connect the 8960 RF In/Out Connector to the E4406A RF Input.

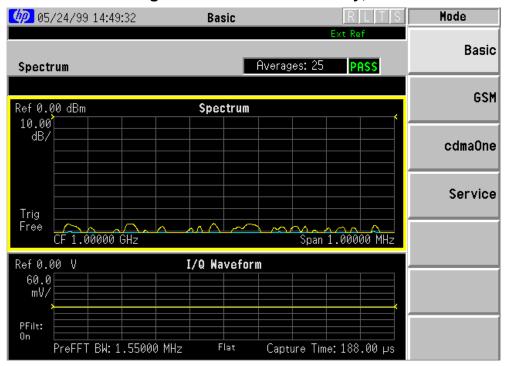
System Config Screen				
Control	Configuration Summary	Utilities		
Instrument Setup _♥	Instrument Information	llessage Log		
External	Test Application:E1960A GSN Hobile TestCodeuare Version:A.01.03HP-IB Address:14LAN IP Address:15.2.7.102Last Calibration:23 Feb 1999			
Trigger Setup	Options Installed			
Configuration V	Active Cell Status :			
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On the 8960 press the 'Local' button and the 'System Configure' button . The GPIB address must be set to: 14

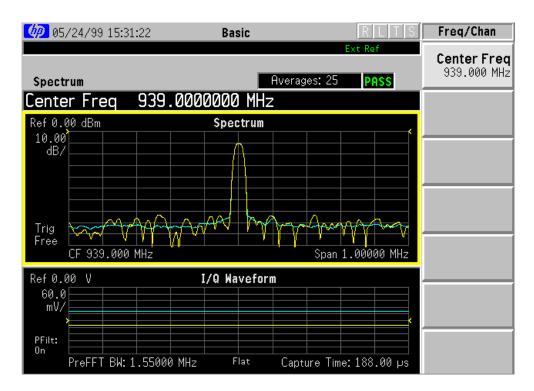


On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

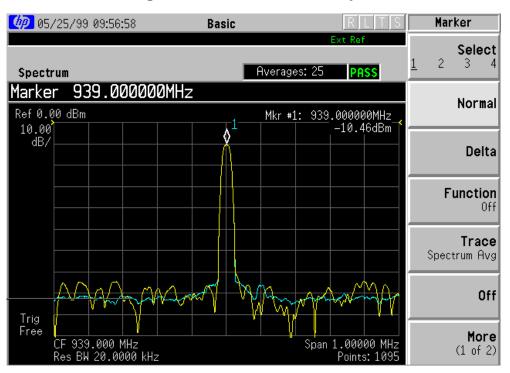
- 1. Press the blue 'SHIFT' button and the 'PRESET' button (front panel buttons not shown above).
- 2. Press the display '**Operating Mode**' button and set mode to **Test** using the knob.
- 3. Press the display '**Test Function**' button and set function to **CW** using the knob.
- 4. Press the '**RF Gen Freq**' button and set frequency to **939 MHz** using the number keypad and the knob.
- 5. Press the '**RF Gen Power**' button and set power to **-10 dBm** using the number keypad and the knob.



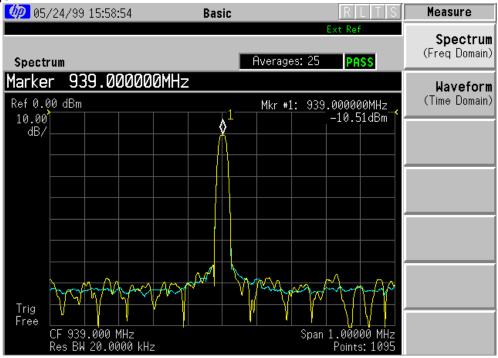
On the E4406A, press the 'Preset' System button, the 'MODE' Control button and set to 'Basic' Mode .



On the E4406A, press the 'FREQUENCY' Control button and set the Center Frequency to 939 MHz.



On the E4406A, press the 'ZOOM' button, the 'Marker' button, and the 'Search' button. Select the 'TRACE' screen button and set the trace to Spectrum Average.



On the E4406A, press the 'MEASURE' Control button.

05/25/99 13:42:26 Measure Basic Spectrum (Freq Domain) Spectrum Averages: 25 PASS 939.000000 MHz Center Freq Waveform (Time Domain) Ref 0.00 dBm Mkr #1: 939.000000MHz 10.00 dB/ -10.71dBm ٥ Trig Free 939.000 MHz Span 1.00000 MHz ſΕ Res BW 20.0000 kHz Points: 1095

8960 Operational Verification Analog Generator Level Accuracy, cont.

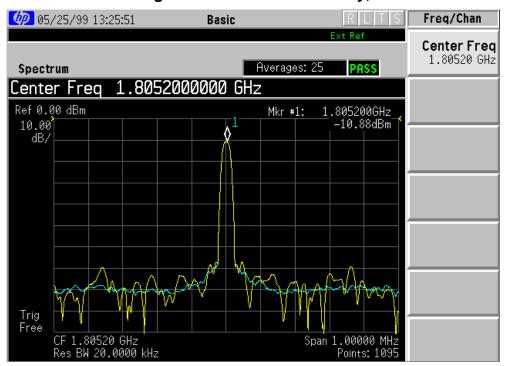
Step the 8960 down in amplitude in 10 dB increments to -80 dBm. Insure that each level step is accurate within ± 2 dB.

	Call Setup Screen	
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating Node		RF Gen Pouer
Test	Mobile Information	-10.00
Test Function Cli	INSI: INEI: 2 INEI: Revision Level: 2 Supported Band: Pouer Class: Called Number: Called Number: Burst Timing Error INCC INC LAC T T	RF Gen Band PGSM RF Gen Channel 20 RF Gen Freq 1805.20
	Counters	
	SACCH Reports Page: 0	
	Timing Adv: RACH: 0	
	Tx Level: Missing Burst: 0	
Cell	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0	
Info	Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	
	Test Status :	1 of 2

On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

1. Press the '**RF Gen Freq**' button and set frequency to **1805.2 MHz**.

2. Press the 'RF Gen Power' button and set power to -10 dBm.

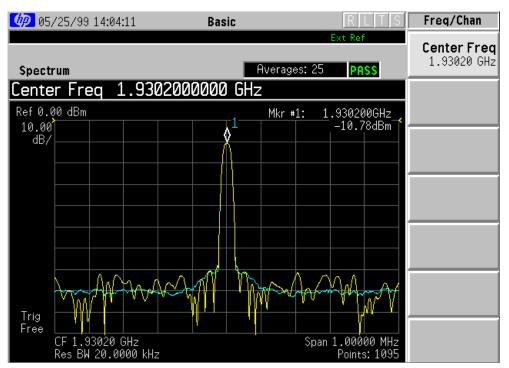


On the E4406A set Center Frequency to 1.8052 GHz. Step the 8960 down in amplitude in 10 dB increments to -80 dBm. Insure that each level step is accurate within ± 2 dB.

	Call Setup Screen	
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating Node		RF Gen Pouer
Test	Mobile Information	-10.00
Test Function CH	INSI: INFI: INEI: Image: Constant of the second	RF Gen Band PGSM RF Gen Channel 20 RF Gen Freq 1930.20 IHz
	Timing Adv: RACH: 0 Tx Level: Nissing Burst: 0	
	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0	
Cell Info	Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	
	Test Status :	
		1 of 2

On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

- 1. Press the '**RF Gen Freq'** button and set frequency to **1930.2 MHz**.
- 2. Press the 'RF Gen Power' button and set power to -10 dBm.



On the E4406Aset Center Frequency to 1.9302 GHz. Step the 8960 down in amplitude in 10 dB increments to -80 dBm. Insure that each level step is accurate within ± 2 dB.

Important Note:

The 8960 contains 2 complete signal generator sources (these are very similar to the E4432/33B Signal Generator).

The operating firmware of the 8960 only provides for operation of 1 source using the manual user interface (front panel) in the analog mode. It is not possible to test the second source in a analog mode using any manual method.

However....the second source can be tested manually in a GSM transmit mode. See the test titled "GSM Generator Amplitude Flatness. Peak Phase Error, RMS Phase Error, and Frequency Error --- Source 2" in this section.

Testing source 2 in an analog mode requires using the Verification Automated Software.

Manual Verification

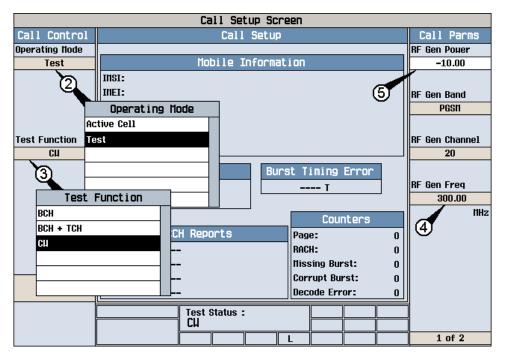
Analog Generator Spectral Purity is a test to insure that the 8960 has harmonics and spurious signals within specification. The test is run by setting the 8960 to a carrier frequency of 300 MHz and power level of -10 dBm. Harmonics and spurious are checked at 450MHz, 600 MHz, 750 MHz, and 900 MHz. The expected limits are:

Spectral Purity Harmonics Sub-Harmonics Non-Harmonics - ≤ -25 dBc
 - ≤ -40 dBc
 - ≤ -55 dBc <1500 kHz

 \leq -68 dBc >1500 kHz

The current operating firmware in the 8960 does not allow manual operation of amplitude or frequency using incremental steps for either Signal Generator 1 or 2, a PC with controlling software is required.

Connect the 8960 RF In/Out Connector to the E4406A RF Input.

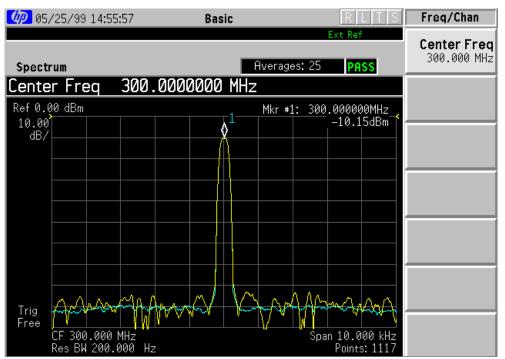


On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

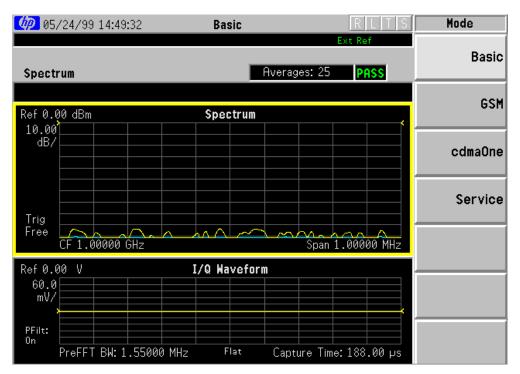
1. Press the blue '**SHIFT**' button and the '**PRESET**' button (front panel buttons not shown above).

2. Press the display 'Operating Mode' button and set mode to Test using the knob.
3. Press the display 'Test Function' button and set function to CW using the knob.
4. Press the 'RF Gen Freq' button and set frequency to 300 MHz using the number keypad and the knob.

5. Press the '**RF Gen Power**' button and set power to **-10 dBm** using the number keypad and the knob.

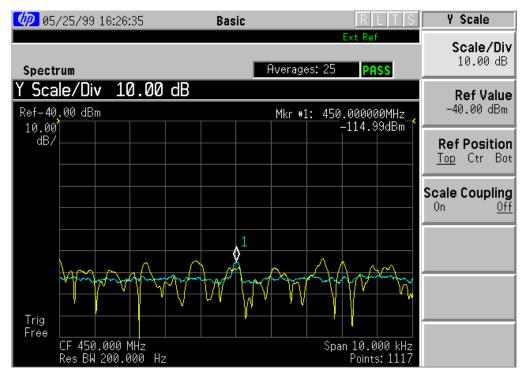


On the E4406A, press the 'Preset' System button, press the 'Mode' Control button and set to 'Basic' Mode.

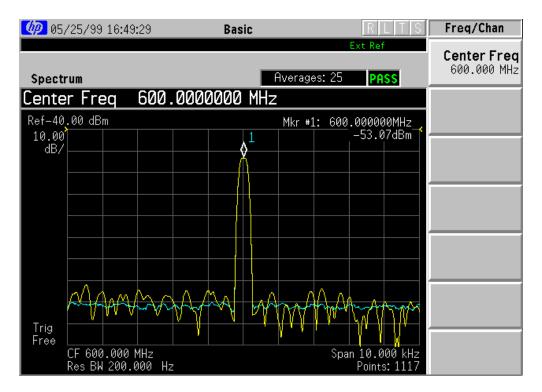


ON the E4406A make the following settings: Center Freq: 300 MHz Span: 10 kHz

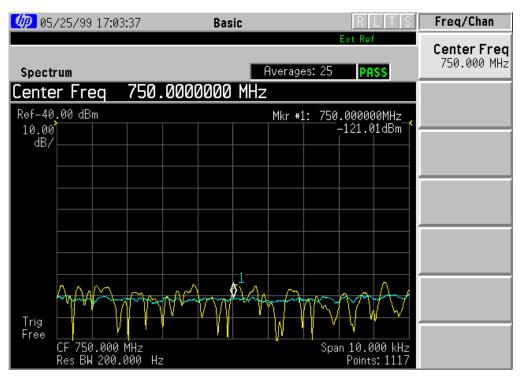
Press the 'ZOOM' button, the 'Marker' button, and the 'Search' button. Select the 'TRACE' screen button and set the trace to Spectrum Average. The 8960 amplitude should equal -10 dBm ± 2 dB.



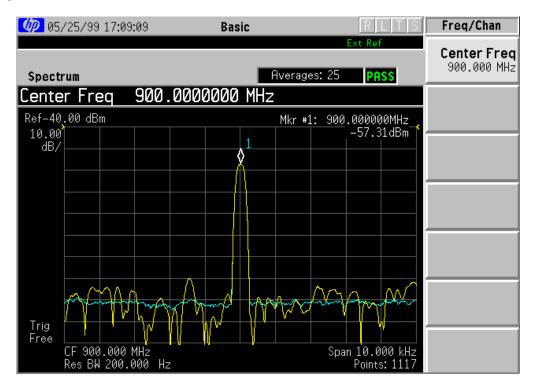
On the E4406A set the center frequency to 450 MHz. Press the 'AMPLITUDE' button and set Ref Value to -50 dBm. The Sub-Harmonic expected limit is: \pounds -50 dBm.



On the E4406A set Center Frequency to 600 MHz. The Harmonic expected limit is: £-35 dBm



On the E4406A set the Center Frequency to 750 MHz. The Sub-Harmonic expected limit is: £-50 dBm



On the E4406A set the Center Frequency to 900 MHz. The Harmonic expected limit is: \pounds -35 dBm .

8960 Operational Verification Audio Generator Accuracy

The Audio Generator test checks to insure that the 8960 has an audio source signal with reasonable performance of accuracy.

The test is run by setting the 8960 in the audio generator mode and looping an audio signal from the Audio Out BNC connector to the Audio In Hi BNC connector to measure level accuracy of the audio output. The audio generator expected limits are:

Level Accuracy - ± 0.03V

Connect the 8960 Audio Out Connector to the Audio In Hi Connector with a BNC cable.

	Call Setup Screen	
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating Node		Cell Pouer
Active Cell	Mobile Information	-85.00
	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class:	Cell Band PGSN
Ovicipato		Broadcast Chan
Originate Call	Called Number:	20
Paging INSI 001012345678901	Last Location HCC HNC LAC T	
	Counters	
	SACCH Reports Page: 0	
	Timing Adv: RACH: 0	
	Tx Level: Itissing Burst: 0	
Cell Info	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0 Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	flobile Loopback
	Active Cell Status :	
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Begin the test procedure by pressing the blue 'SHIFT' button and RESET.

8960 Operational Verification Audio Generator Accuracy,cont.

	Call Setup Screen	
Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating flode		RF Gen Pouer
Test	Mobile Information	-10.00
Test Function CII	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class: Called Number:	RF Gen Band PGS11 RF Gen Channel 20
	Loc Instrument Selection	
	Audio Generator	RF Gen Freq
		300.00
		ПН2
Close Henu		
	Test Status :	
		1 of 2

Press the Instrument Select button. Press the knob and activate the Audio Generator screen

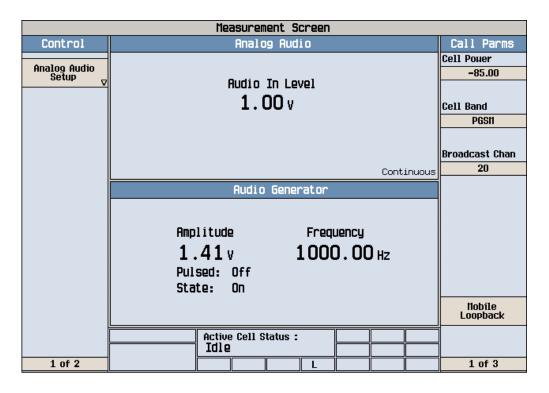
Measurement Screen				
Control	Audio Generator	Audio Parms		
	Amplitude Frequency 1.41 v 1000.00 Hz Pulsed: Off State: On	Amplitude 1,4140 V Pulse Off Frequency 1.0000 kHz		
Select F7 to F12	Active Cell Status : Idle			
1 of 2				

Set audio amplitude to 1.414 V. Set audio frequency to 1 kHz.

Call Setup Screen					
Control	Audio Generator	Call Parms			
Operating Node		Cell Pouer			
Active Cell		-85.00			
	Amplitude Frequency				
	1.41v 1000.00 Hz	Cell Band			
	Pulsed: Off	PGSI1			
	State: On				
		Broadcast Chan			
Originate Call		20			
	Loc Measurement Selection				
	Transmit Pouer				
	Pouer vs Time				
	Phase & Frequency Error				
	Fast Bit Error				
	Bit Error				
	Analog Audio				
Close	Decoded Audio	Nobile			
Menu	Output RF Spectrum	Loopback			
	Active Cell Status :				
		1 of 3			

8960 Operational Verification Audio Generator Accuracy,cont.

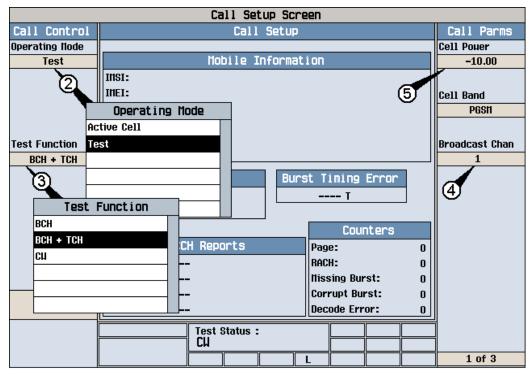
Press the 'Measurement Selection' button. Use the knob and select Analog Audio, push the knob to start selection.



The Analog Audio measurement screen should appear. Theexpected limits are:Level Accuracy: ± 0.03V

GSM Generator tests check to insure that the 8960 has a GSM Digital signal within a reasonable specification. The test is run by setting the 8960 to a traffic channel of 30 and power level of -10 dBm. The E4406A is then set in a digital measurement mode and checks the 8960 GSM signal for Amplitude Flatness (PVT), Peak Phase Error, RMS Phase Error, and Frequency Error. The expected limits are:

Amplitude Flatness	-	< ± .6 dBm
Peak Phase Error	-	< ± 8 degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
		< ± 12 degrees in DCS and PCS Bands
RMS Phase Error	-	< ± 2 degree in PGSM and EGSM Bands
Frequency Error	-	< ± .04 ppm + TB



On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

- 1. Press the blue '**SHIFT**' button and the '**PRESET**' button (front panel buttons not shown above).
- 2. Press the display '**Operating Mode**' button and set mode to **Test** using the knob.
- 3. Press the display '**Test Function**' button and set function to **BCH + TCH** using the knob.
- 4. Press the '**Broadcast Chan**' button and set the channel to **1** using the number keypad and the knob.
- 5. Press the '**Cell Power**' button and set power to **-10 dBm** using the number ¹⁷ keypad and the knob.

Call Setup Screen					
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms			
Operating Node		Traffic Band			
Test	Mobile Information	PGSH			
Test Function BCH + TCH	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class: Called Number: Last Location INC INC LAC T	Traffic Channel 124 Timeslot 4 Timing Advance 0			
	Counters SACCH Reports Page: 0 Timing Adv: RACH: 0 Tx Level: Hissing Burst: 0 Dx Levels Page: 0	IIS TX Level 15 Speech			
Cell Info	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0 Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	Echo			
	Test Status : Sending BCH + TCH	2 of 3			

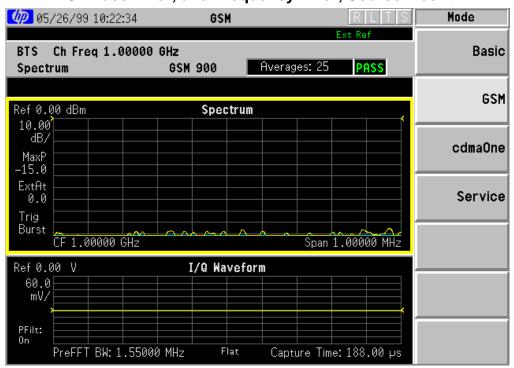
Go to Screen 2 of 3. Set the Traffic Channel to 124 .

	Call Setup Screen	
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating Node		Receiver Control
Test	Mobile Information	Auto
Test Function BCH + TCH	Indefine Entromation INSI: INEL: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class: Pouer Class: Called Number: Burst Timing Error IICC INC IIICC IIIC IIIIC IIIC IIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII	Expected Pouer 13.00 Expected Burst TSC0
	Sending BCH + TCH	3 of 3
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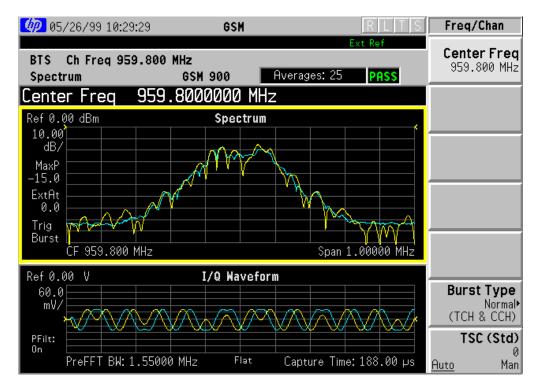
Go to Screen 3 of 3. Set the expected burst to TSC0.

Manual Verification

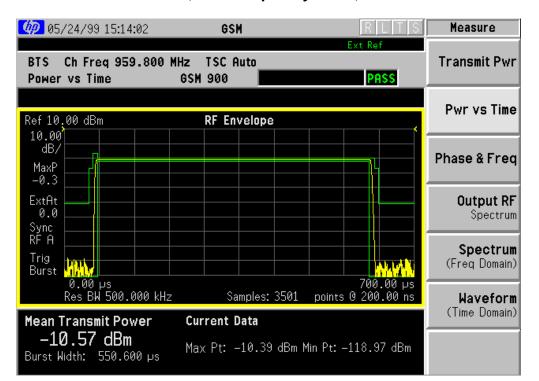
8960 Operational Verification GSM Generator Amplitude Flatness, Peak Phase Error, RMS Phase Error, and Frequency Error, Source 1 cont.



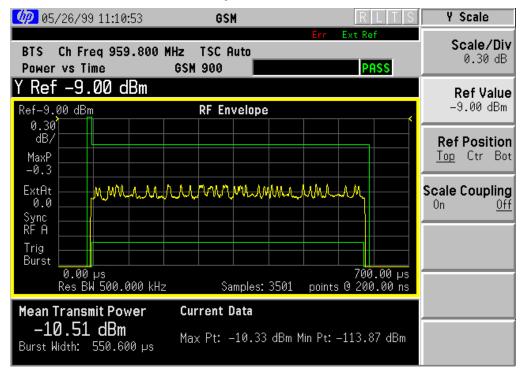
On the E4406A, press the 'MODE' Control button and set Mode field to GSM.



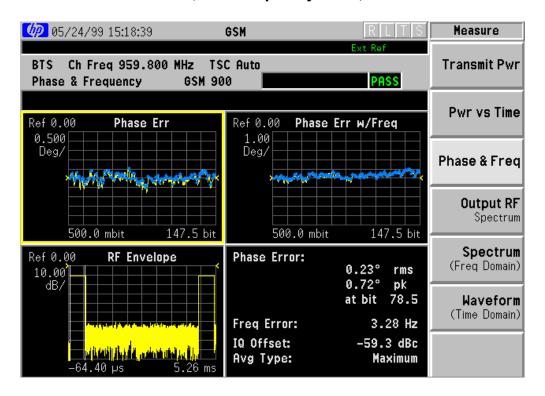
On the E4406A set the Center Frequency to 959.8 MHz (channel 124). The Burst RF Spectrum should appear.



On the E4406A, press the PVTbutton.



On the E4406A, press the 'AMPLITUDE' Control button. Set 'Scale/Div' field to be .3 dB and the 'Ref Value' field to be -9 dBm. The display shown above should appear. The expected PVT limits are: $<\pm$.6 dB flatness

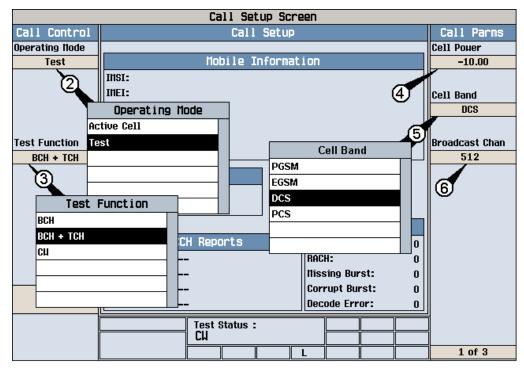


On the E4406A, press the 'Phase & Freq' button. The display shown above should appear. The expected limits for Phase & Frequency are:

Peak Phase Error	-	<± 4 Degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
		<± 6 Degrees in DCS and PCS Bands
RMS Phase Error	-	<± 2 Degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
Frequency Error	-	<± .04 ppm (18 Hz)

GSM Generator tests check to insure that the 8960 has a GSM Digital signal within a reasonable specification. The test is run by setting the 8960 to a traffic channel of 30 and power level of -10 dBm. The E4406A is then set in a digital measurement mode and checks the 8960 GSM signal for Amplitude Flatness (PVT), Peak Phase Error, RMS Phase Error, and Frequency Error. The expected limits are:

Amplitude Flatness	-	< ± .6 dBm
Peak Phase Error	-	< ± 8 degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
		< ± 12 degrees in DCS and PCS Bands
RMS Phase Error	-	< ± 2 degree in PGSM and EGSM Bands
Frequency Error	-	< ± .04 ppm + TB



On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

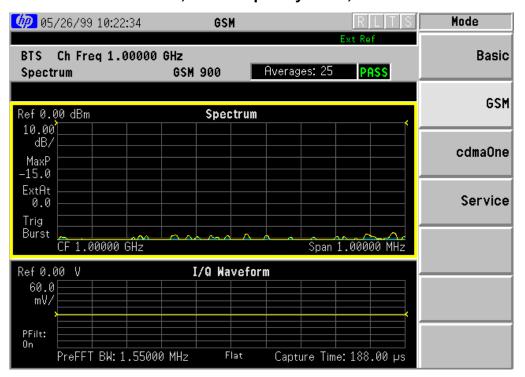
- 1. Press the blue '**SHIFT**' button and the '**PRESET**' button (front panel buttons not shown above).
- 2. Press the display 'Operating Mode' button and set mode to Test using the knob.
- Press the display 'Test Function' button and set function to BCH+TCH using the knob.
- 4. Press the ' **Cell Power**' button and set power to **-10 dBm** using the number keypad and the knob.
- 5. Press the 'Cell Band' button and set the cell band type to DCS using the knob.
- 6. Press the '**Broadcast Chan**' button and set the channel to **512** using the number keypad and the knob.

Call Setup Screen							
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms					
Operating Node		Traffic Band					
Test	Mobile Information	PGSM					
Test Function	INSI: INEI: Nevision Level: Supported Band: Dever Class:						
BCH + TCH	Called Number:	4					
	Timing Advance 0						
	Counters SACCH Reports Page: 0	IIS TX Level					
		15					
	Timing Adv: RACH: 0 Tx Level: Itissing Burst: 0	Speech					
Cell	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0	Echo					
Info	Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	LGIIO					
	Test Status : Sending BCH + TCH L	2 of 3					

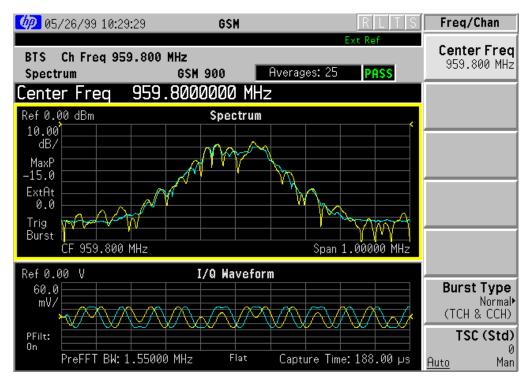
Go to Screen 2 of 3. Set the Traffic Band to PGSM and the Traffic Channel to 124.

Call Setup Screen									
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms							
Operating Node		Receiver Control							
Test	Mobile Information	Auto							
Tank Constitut	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class:								
Test Function BCH + TCH	Called Number:								
	Last Location Burst Timing Error IICC INC Loc TSC0 Counters SRCI TSC1 Timing Adv: Tx Level:	Expected Pouer 13.00							
Cell	Rx Level: TSC4 rupt Burst: 0	Expected Burst							
Info	Rx Qual:TSC5Ode Error: 0	TSCO							
	Test Status :	3 of 3							

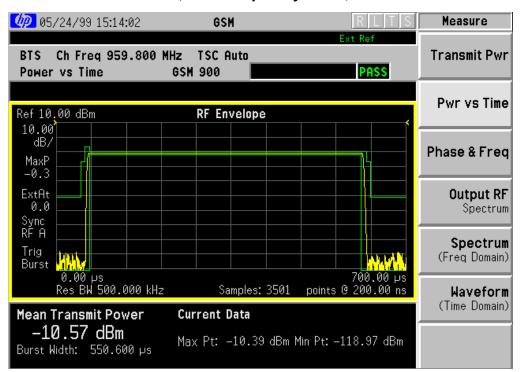
Go to Screen 3 of 3. Set the expected burst to TSC0.



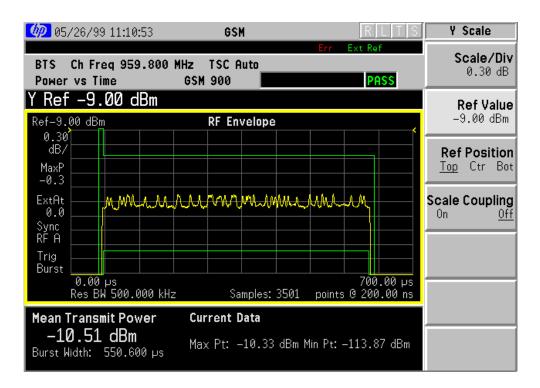
On the E4406A, press the 'MODE' Control button and set Mode field to GSM.



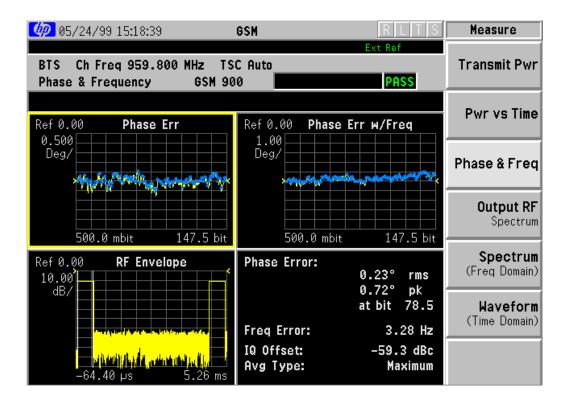
On the E4406A set the Center Frequency to 959.8 MHz (channel 124). The Burst RF Spectrum should appear.



On the E4406A, press the PVTbutton.



On the E4406A, press the 'AMPLITUDE' Control button. Set 'Scale/Div' field to be .3 dB and the 'Ref Value' field to be -9 dBm. The display shown above should appear. The expected PVT limits are: $<\pm$.6 dB flatness



On the E4406A, press the 'Phase & Freq' button. The display shown above should appear. The expected limits for Phase & Frequency are:

Peak Phase Error	-	< ± 4 Degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
		<± 6 Degrees in DCS and PCS Bands
RMS Phase Error	-	<± 2 Degrees in PGSM & EGSM Bands
Frequency Error	-	<± .04 ppm (18 Hz)

8960 Operational Verification Analog Audio Analyzer

The Analog Audio Analyzer is tested to insure that the 8960 can accurately measure an audio signal within a reasonable limit.

The test is run by setting the 8960 into the Audio Analyzer measurement mode. The E4433B is then set to output an Audio signal on the LF Out connector at 1.414 Vp at a frequency of 1 kHz. The Analog Audio Measurement Accuracy expected limit is:

Levels 10mv to 20V Peak - ± 0.04V Frequency 200 Hz to 8 kHz

Connect a BNC cable between the E4433B LF Out connector and the 8960 Audio In Hi connector.

Call Setup Screen							
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms					
Operating Node		Cell Pouer					
Active Cell	Mobile Information	-85.00					
	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class:	Cell Band PGSN Broadcast Chan					
Originate Call	Called Number:	20					
Paging INSI 001012345678901	Last Location HCC HNC LAC T Counters						
	SRCCH ReportsPage:OTiming Adv:RACH:OTx Level:Nissing Burst:O						
Cell Info	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0 Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	flobile Loopback					
	Active Cell Status :]					
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Begin the test procedure by pressing the blue 'SHIFT' button and RESET.

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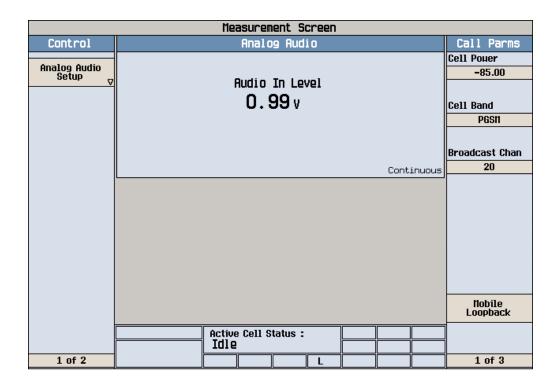
Call Setup Screen							
Control	Call Setup	Call Parms					
Operating Node		Cell Pouer					
Active Cell	Mobile Information	-85.00					
	INSI:						
	INEI:	Cell Band					
	Revision Level:	PGSI1					
	Supported Band:						
	Pouer Class:	Broadcast Chan					
Originate Call	Called Number:	20					
Call		20					
	Loc Measurement Selection						
	Transmit Pouer						
	Pouer vs Time						
	Phase & Frequency Error						
	Fast Bit Error						
	Bit Error						
	Analog Audio						
	Decoded Audio						
Close Nenu		Nobile Loopback					
nenu	Output RF Spectrum	LOOPDOCK					
	Active Cell Status :						
		1 of 3					

Press the 'Measurement Selection' button. Use the knob and select Analog Audio, push the knob to start selection.

FREQUENCY 4.000 000 000 00 GHz EXT REF	AMPLITUDE -135.0 dBm	LF Out Off On LF Out Amplitude 1.414V
	Off ON	LF Out Source (Func Gen) [▶]
Modulation Status Information		LF Out Waveform (Sine) [▶]
MOD STATE DEPTH/DEV SOURCE	RATE WAVEFORM	LF Out Freq 1.0000 kHz
LF Out On 1.414 Vp FuncGen	1.0000 kHz Sine	LF Out Period (N/A) LF Out Width
		(N/A)

On the E4433B press the LF Out button. Set LF Out to <u>On</u>. Set LF Amplitude to 1.414Vp. Set the LF Out Frequency to be 1.0000 kHz.

8960 Operational Verification Analog Audio Analyzer, cont.



The 8960 Analog Audio screen should display a voltage level measurement of the audio signal from the E4433B .

The Analog Audio measurement expected limit is ± 0.04V

The Analog Analyzer RF Power Meter is tested to insure that the 8960 can accurately measure an RF signal within a reasonable limit.

The test is run by setting the 8960 into a manual measurement mode. The E4433B is then set to output a CW RF signal at various levels and frequencies. The Analog RF Power Meter Accuracy expected limits are:

Levels \geq -20 to +43 dBM - < ± 1.60 dB Frequency 810 to 960 MHz

Begin by connecting a cable between the RF Out port of the E4433B and the RF In/Out port of the 8960.

FREQUENCY 939.000 000 00 MHz	AMPLITUDE 13.00 dBm
EXT REF	RF MOD ON ON

Set the E4433B to output a signal at a frequency of 939 MHz, amplitude +13 dBm

Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms
Operating Node		Cell Pouer
Test	Mobile Information	-85.00
2	INSI:	
		Cell Band
1	Operating Mode	PGSH
1	ctive Cell	
Test Function	est	Broadcast Chan
CH		20
3 Test	Burst Timing Error Function	
BCH		
BCH + TCH	Counters	
	CH Reports Page: 0	
СЦ	RACH: O	
	Ilissing Burst: 0	
	Corrupt Burst: 0	
	Decode Error: 0	
	Test Status :	
		1 of 3

On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

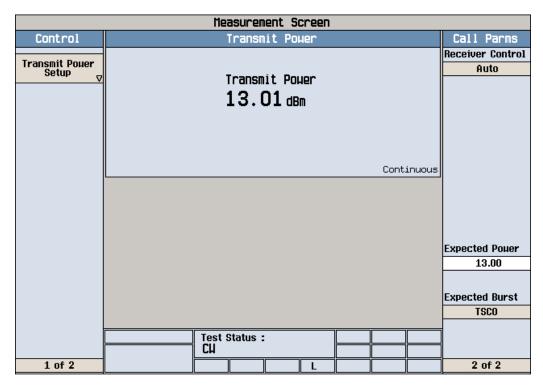
- 1. Press the blue '**SHIFT**' button and the '**PRESET**' button (front panel buttons not shown above).
- 2. Press the display '**Operating Mode**' button and set mode to **Test** using the knob.

3. P		Call Setup Screen		he knob.	
	Control	Call Setup	Call Parms		
	Operating Node		RF Gen Pouer	1	
	Test	Mobile Information	-85.00	1	
		INSI:			
		INEI:	RF Gen Band		
		Revision Level:	PGSII		
		Supported Band:			
	Test Function		RF Gen Channel		
	CH	Called Number:	20		
		Loc Measurement Selection			
	Close	Transmit Pouer	RF Gen Freq		
	Neasurement	Роµer vs Time	939.00		
		Phase & Frequency Error	l 1Hz		
		Fast Bit Error			
		Bit Error			
		Analog Audio			
		Decoded Audio			
	Close Nenu	Output RF Spectrum			
		Background Test Status :	4 . 6 . 9		
		1 of 2			

Press 'Measurement Selection' button and select 'Transmit Power' as the Operating Mode.

Measurement Screen											
Control	Transmit Power							1	Call Parm	ns	
Transmit Pouer Setup V	Transmit Power							Gen Pouer -85.00 Gen Band PGSN			
		Continuous								Gen Chann 20	iel
	Transı	mit Power	n Se	etup			Value	!			
	Multi-Neasuremen	t Count					Off		RF	Gen Freq	
	Trigger Arm Continuous						s	┣—	939.00	liHz	
	Trigger Source Immediate									IIHZ	
	Trigger Delay					(0.000 s				
	Trigger Qualificat	tion					On				
	Neasurement Time	out					Off				
Close Nenu											
		Test Stat CW	us :								
1 of 2											

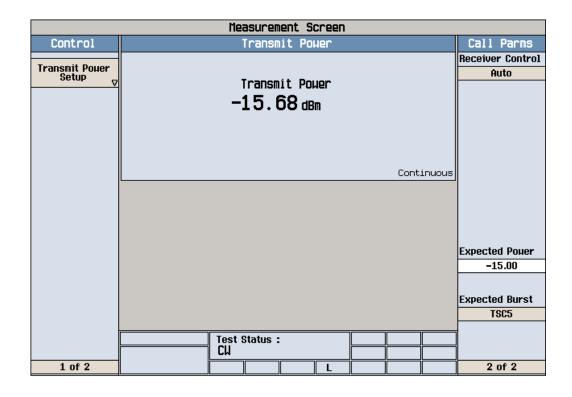
Press 'Transmit Power Setup' button and set Trigger Source to 'Immediate'.



On screen 2 of 2 set Expected Power to +13.00 dBm. RF Power measurement Specification is $< \pm 1.63$ dB.

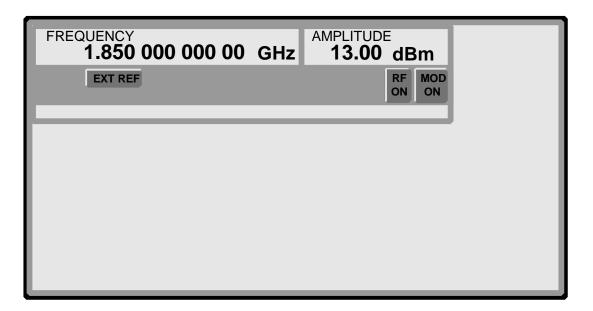
FREQUENCY 939.000 000 00 MHz	AMPLITUDE -15.00 dBm	
EXT REF	RF MOD ON ON	

On the E4433B set the Amplitude to -15 dBm.

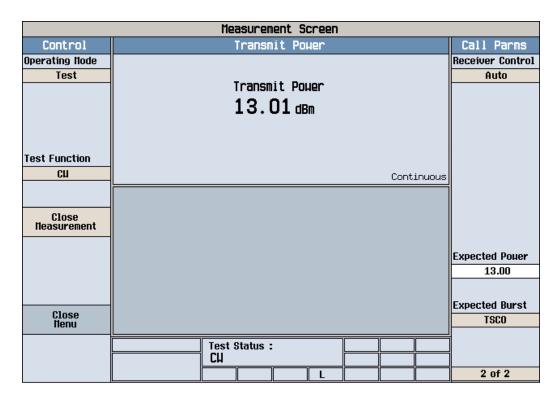


On the 8960 set Expected Power to -15.00 dBm.

RF Power measurement expected limit is $< \pm 1.60$ dB.



Change the E4433B amplitude to +13 dBm and frequency to 1.85 GHz .



On screen 2 of 2 of the 8960 set expected power to +13.00 dBm.

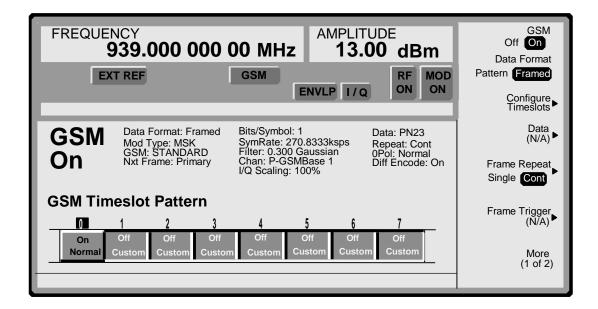
RF Power measurement expected limit is $< \pm 1.60$ dB.

8960 Operational Verification GSM Analyzer

The GSM Analyzer is tested to insure that the 8960 can accurately measure a GSM burst signal within a reasonable limit.

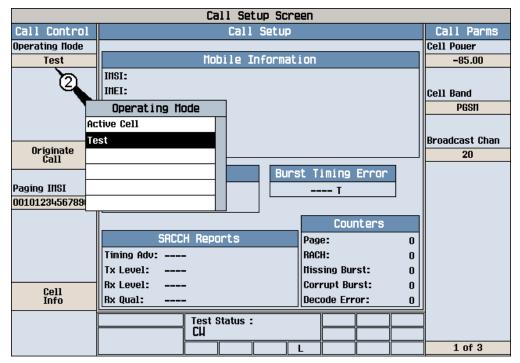
The test is run by setting the 8960 into GSM Analyzer manual measurement mode. The ESG E4433B is then set to output a GSM burst signal at +15 dBm amplitude. The GSM Analyzer Measurement Accuracy expected limits are:

Frequency Error	
Measurement Accy	< ± 24 Hz + Time Base
Residual Phase Error	
Measurement Accy RMS -	< ± 2 Degree
Measurement Accy. Peak -	< ± 8 Degrees
Power versus Time	
Rel. Measurement Accy at Time Offset -	· ±2dB
ORFS	
Rel. Measurement Accy Freq. Offset -	± 3 dB



Begin by connecting a cable between the RF Out port of the E4433B and the RF In/Out port of the8960. Set the E4433B to output a signal at a frequency of 939 MHz, GSM On, Burst On or Framed Data, and amplitude +13 dBm

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On the 8960 perform the following set up functions:

- 1. Press the blue '**SHIFT**' button and the '**PRESET**' button (front panel buttons not shown above).
- 2. Press the display 'Operating Mode' button and set mode to Test using the

	Call Setup Screen			
Call Control	Call Setup	Call Parms		
Operating Node		Receiver Control		
Test	Mobile Information	Hanual		
Test Function BCH	INSI: INEI: Revision Level: Supported Band: Pouer Class: Called Number: Last Location NCC NNC LAC T	Manual Band PGSM Manual Channel 30 Manual Freq 939.00		
	Counters	IHz Expected Pouer		
	SACCH Reports Page: 0	13.00		
	Timing Adv: RACH: 0			
	Tx Level: Itissing Burst: 0	Expected Burst		
Çell	Rx Level: Corrupt Burst: 0	TSCO		
Info	Rx Qual: Decode Error: 0	1000		
	Test Status :			
		3 of 3		

Select screen 3 of 3. Set 'Receiver Control' field to Manual. Set 'Manual Freq' to 939 MHz. Set 'Expected Power' to +13 dBm. Set 'Expected burst to TSC0.

8960 Operational Verification GSM Analyzer, cont.

	Measurement Screen				
Control	Transmit Power	Call Parms			
Operating flode		Receiver Control			
Test		Manual			
	Transmit Power				
	13.01 dBm	Manual Band			
		PGSI1			
Test Function		Manual Channel			
BCH	Continuous	30			
	Loc Measurement Selection				
01	Transmit Pouer	Manual Freq			
Close Neasurement	Poyer vs Time	939.00			
	Phase & Frequency Error	liHz			
	Fast Bit Error	Expected Pouer			
		13.00			
	Bit Error				
	Analog Audio	Expected Burst			
Close	Decoded Audio	TSCO			
llenu	Output RF Spectrum				
	Test Status :				
	Sending BCH				
		3 of 3			

Press 'Measurement Selection' button and select 'Transmit Power' as the Operating Mode. Transmit Power window should display a reading of approximately +13 dBm

Measurement Screen						
Control	Phase & Frequency Error					Call Parms
Phase & Freg.					Receiver Control	
Setup _v		Peak Phase •	RhS Phase •	Frequency Hz		llanual
Ť	Hinimum	0.12	0.12	1.22		
	Haximum	0.97	0.19	4.64	1	Manual Band
	Average	0.41	0.14	2.18	1	PGSH
					-	Nanual Channel
	50/100			Continu	uous	30
	Iq	nase & Freq So	etup	Value		
	Multi-Neasure	ment Count		10		Manual Freq
	Trigger Arm			Continuous		939.00
	Trigger Sourc	e		Auto		liHz
Suap Hindou	Trigger Delay			0.000 s		Expected Pouer
Positions	Trigger Qualif	ication		On		13.00
	Burst Synchronization II			llidamble		
	Neasurement Timeout			Off		Expected Burst
						TSCO
	Test Status :					
	Sending BCH					
1 of 2						3 of 3

Press 'Measurement Selection' button and select 'Phase & Frequency Error' as the Operating Mode. Press 'Phase & Frequency Setup' button. Select Multi-Measurement Count value to be 10. Close Menu to turn off the Setup window.

8960 Operational Verification GSM Analyzer, cont.

Measurement Screen						
Control		Call Parms				
Phase & Freg.					Receiver Control	
Setup V		Peak Phase •	RMS Phase •	Frequency Hz	Manual	
	Hinimum	0.12	0.12	1.22		
	Haximum	0.97	0.19	4.64	- Manual Band PGSM	
	Average	0.41	0.14	2.18		
					Manual Channel	
				Contin		
		Transmit Power				
		Manual Freq				
		939.00				
		IHz				
Suap Hindou		Expected Pouer				
Positions					13.00	
					E	
					Expected Burst TSC0	
				Continu	uous	
1 of 0		Sending E				
1 of 2					3 of 3	

The Phase and Frequency Error window should appear and display average readings of Peak and RMSPphase error and Frequency error.

The expected measurement limits are:

Peak error is <± 8 Deg, RMS error is <±2 Deg, Frequency error is <±24

Measurement Screen					
PvT Setup	Power vs Time: Numer	ric Scree	n 1	Call Parms	
H				Receiver Control	
Setun	Offset (us) Level (dBc) Of	ffset (us)	Level (dBc)	llanual	
v	-28.00 -84.99	0.00	-0.03		
M	-18.00 -82.83	321.20	0.03	Manual Band	
Offsets	-10.00 -8.31	331.20	0.00	PGSI1	
v					
				Manual Channel	
			Continuc	ous 30	
	Power vs Time Measurement S	Setup	Value		
	Nulti-Neasurement Count	-	10	Manual Freq	
	Trigger Arm		Continuous	939.00	
	Trigger Source		Auto	THz	
	Trigger Delay		0.000 s	Expected Pouer	
	Burst Synchronization		llidamble	13.00	
	lleasurement Timeout		Off		
01				Expected Burst	
nenu				TSCO	
	Toot Ctatus :				
				3 of 3	
	Neasurement Setup Neasurement Offsets ⊽ Close	PvT Setup Power vs Time: Nume Power vs Time: Nume Offset (us) Level (dBc) -28.00 -84.99 -18.00 -82.83 -10.00 -831 Power vs Time Measurement S Hulti-Heasurement Count Trigger Arm Trigger Source Trigger Delay Burst Synchronization Heasurement Timeout	PvT Setup Power vs Time: Numeric Screet Ileasurement Setup Offset (us) Level (dBc) -28.00 -84.99 0.00 -18.00 -82.83 321.20 Offsets -10.00 -8.33 331.20 Power vs Time Measurement Setup Intervent of the set of t	PvT Setup Power vs Time: Numeric Screen 1 Ileasurement Setup Offset (us) Level (dBc) Offset (us) Level (dBc) -28.00 -84.99 0.00 -0.03 -18.00 -82.83 321.20 0.00 Offsets -10.00 -8.31 331.20 0.00 Continue Power vs Time Measurement Setup Value Iulti-fleasurement Count 10 10 Trigger Arm Continuous Trigger Source Auto Trigger Delay 0.000 s 8 0.000 s Burst Synchronization Ilidamble Ilidamble Ileasurement Timeout Off 0ff	

Press 'Measurement Selection' button and select 'Power vs. Time' as the Operating Mode. Press the 'Power vs. Time Setup' button and then the 'Measurement Setup' button, set the Multi-Measurement Count value to be 10. Close menu to turn off measurement setup window.

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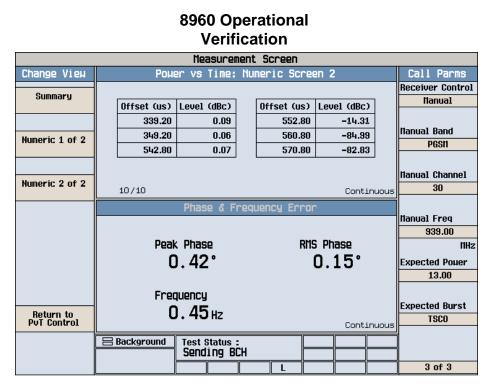
	Measurement Screen						
PvT Setup	Power vs Time: Numeric Screen 1				Call Parms		
lleasurement						Receiver Control	
Setup V	Offset (us)	Level (dBc)	÷	Offset (us)	Level (dBc)] 1	llanual
	-28.00	-84.99		0.00	-0.03	1	· · · · ·
Neasurement	-18.00	-82.83		321.20	0.03	1	Manual Band
Offsets _V	-10.00	-8.31		331.20	0.00	1	PGSH
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						-	· · · · ·
							Manual Channel
	10/10				Contir	iuous	30
		Phase & Fi	requ	lency Error	•		
							Manual Freq
	Deel	Dhase		DMC	Dhace		939.00
		Phase			i Phase		liHz
	0	. 42°			0.15°		Expected Pouer
							13.00
	Freq	uency					* •
Return to	n	. 45 нz					Expected Burst
PvT Control	, U	• TO n2			Contir	uous	TSCO
	Background	Test Status :					
		Sending B					
							3 of 3

Press 'Return to PvT Control' button then press the 'Change View' button.

	Measurement Screen			
Change View	Power vs Time:	Call Parms		
Cummonu		Receiver Control		
Summary	Offset (us) Level (dBc)	Offset (us) Level (dBc)	llanual	
	-28.00 -84.99	0.00 -0.03		
Numeric 1 of 2	-18.00 -82.83	321.20 0.03	Manual Band	
numeric 1 01 2	-10.00 -8.31	331.20 0.00	PGSH	
Numeric 2 of 2			Manual Channel	
numeric 2 of 2	10/10	Continuous	30	
	Phase & F			
			Manual Freq	
			939.00	
	Peak Phase	RMS Phase	liHz	
	0.42°	0.15°	Expected Pouer	
			13.00	
	Frequency			
Return to	0.45 _{Hz}		Expected Burst	
PvT Control	0.40H2	Continuous	TSCO	
	Background Test Status		1	
	Sending B			
			3 of 3	

Press the 'Numeric 1 of 2' button. The Power vs Time Numeric Screen 1 should appear. The expected limits are:

0 usec - 0dBc \pm 2dBc -10 usec - \leq 8dBc



Press the 'Numeric 2 of 2' button. The Power vs Time Numeric Screen 2 should appear. The expected limits are: 542.8usec - 0dBc ± 2 dBc 552.8usec - ≤ 8 dBc

Note on measured values: Power versus Time measurements are depend on the accuracy of the source being measured. In the example above the E4433B had performance of -14 dBc at a 552.8 usec offset on the burst. Variation in burst timing can vary the offset in dBc greatly. This measurement is meant to show consistency between 8960 units using the same identical source for each unit tested.

Measurement Screen			
ORFS Setup	ORFS: Modulation Screer	11	Call Parms
lleasurement	Offset (kHz) Level (dB) Offset (kHz	z) Level (dB)	Cell Pouer
Setup ₇	400.00 -71.13		-85.00
v	600.00 -80.61		
Hadulation			Cell Band
Frequencies 🕁			PGSH
v			
Quitet in a	TX Pouer: 14.88 dBm 30 kHz BU Poue	er: 4.31 dBm	Broadcast Chan
Suitching Frequencies _V		Continuous	20
`	Measurement Setup	Value	
	Nulti-Neasurement Count	20	
	Multi-Neasurement Count (Suitching)	10	
	Trigger Arm	Continuous	
	Trigger Source	Auto	
	Trigger Delay	0.000 s	
	Neasurement Timeout		
Close		Hobile	
llenu			Loopback
	Background Active Cell Status : Connected		
			1 of 3

Press 'Measurement Selection' button and select 'Output RF Spectrum' as the Operating Mode. Press the 'ORFS Setup' and then the 'Measurement Setup' button. Set Multi-Measurement Count value to 20. Close menu to turn off window.

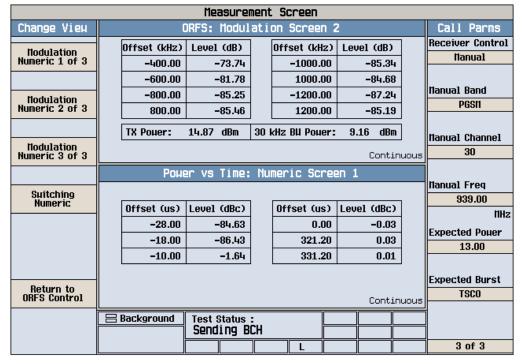
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Measurement Screen			
ORFS Setup	ORFS: Modulation Scree	en 1 Call Parms	
Neasurement	Offset (kHz) Level (dB) Offset (k		
Setup V	400.00 -70.10 -200	1.00 -34.69 Hanual	
	600.00 -79.91 200		
llodulation	-100.00 -9.63 -250		
Frequencies _V	100.00 -4.21 250	1.00 -38.79 PGSI1	
	TX Pouer: 14.88 dBm 30 kHz BU Po	uer: 7.47 dBm Hanual Channel	
Suitching Frequencies _		Continuous 30	
	Modulation Frequencies	Value	
	Nodulation Offset 1	400.0 kHz Hanual Freq	
	Nodulation Offset 2	600.0 kHz 939.00	
	Nodulation Offset 3	-100.0 kHz	
	Nodulation Offset 4	100.0 kHz Expected Pouer	
	Nodulation Offset 5	-200.0 kHz 13.00	
	Nodulation Offset 6	200.0 kHz	
Close	Nodulation Offset 7	-250.0 kHz Expected Burst	
flenu	Nodulation Offset 8	250.0 kHz TSC0	
	Background Test Status : Sending BCH		
		3 of 3	

The ORFS measurement screen must be configured for offset frequency values to make a measurement. Press the 'Modulation Frequencies' button. Load the default frequencies into each offset by rotating the knob to each offset and pressing the 'ON' button. Load frequencies 100 kHz to 1200 kHz. Close the menu.



Press 'Return to ORFS Control' button. Press 'Change View' button and select which modulation numeric screens to view by pressing either the 'Modulation Numeric 1 of 3' or the 'Modulation Numeric 2 of 3' buttons..

Measurement Screen							
Change View	(Call Parms					
Nodulation	Offset (kHz)	Level (dB)	Offset (kHz)	Level (dB)	Receiver Control		
Numeric 1 of 3	-400.00	-73.74	-1000.00	-85.34	Manual		
	-600.00	-81.78	1000.00	-84.68			
llodulation	-800.00	-85.25	-1200.00	-87.24	Manual Band		
Numeric 2 of 3	800.00	-85.46	1200.00	-85.19	PGSH		
	TX Pouer:	14.87 dBm	30 kHz BU Pouer:	9.16 dBm	Manual Channel		
Nodulation Numeric 3 of 3				Contin	20		
	Power vs Time: Numeric Screen 1						
Suitching Numeric	Manual Freq						
	Offset (us)	Level (dBc)	Offset (us)	Level (dBc)	939.00		
	-28.00	-84.63	0.00	-0.03	. IHz		
	-18.00	-86.43	321.20	0.03	Expected Pouer		
	-10.00	-1.64	331.20	0.01	13.00		
	10.00	1.04	001.20	0.01			
Return to					Expected Burst		
ORFS Control				Contin	uous TSCO		
	Background	Test Status	-				
					3 of 3		

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The expected ORFS measurement limits are: (example)

ORFS Offsets	± 100 kHz	-	≤ -6 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 200 kHz	-	\leq -33 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 250 kHz	-	\leq -38 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 400 kHz	-	\leq -67 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 600 kHz	-	\leq -76 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 800 kHz	-	\leq -78 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 1000 kHz	-	≤ -78 dB
ORFS Offsets	± 1200 kHz	-	\leq -79 dB
ORFS Offsets	> 1200 kHz	-	\leq -80 dB

Note: A measured value (example: -79 dB at 600 kHz) is dependent on the performance of the source being measured. In this example a typical E4433B may have ORFS performance of -79 dB at 600 kHz from the carrier. The values may change however according to the source. The measured accuracy of a source should be consistent for every 8960 unit. The measurement done for this test is meant to show test consistency between 8960 units using the same identical source for each unit tested.