



MHM 2010

Active Hydrogen Maser

KEY FEATURES

- Patented Magnetic Quadrapole for Superior Atomic Beam Focusing
- Very Low Hydrogen Usage (< 0.01 Mole Per Year) for Extended Maintenance-Free Operation
- Unique, Stand-Alone, Cavity Auto Tuning Feature
- Proprietary Teflon Coating Technique, Eliminating Any Re-Coating Requirement and Extending Maintenance Free Life

Symmetricom's MHM 2010™ is the only commercially available active hydrogen maser with stand-alone cavity switching auto tuning manufactured in the USA. This technique enables the MHM 2010 to deliver long-term stability normally only attributed to the most stable of cesium atomic standards.

Each MHM 2010 is manufactured to exacting quality standards and carefully checked at each stage to insure a top quality product. Once built, the units are subjected to extensive performance testing, verifying all aspects of operation.

Before shipment, each unit goes through rigorous testing and performance monitoring to insure that the unit meets or exceeds all specifications.



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MHM 2010 Specifications

STABILITY

• Allan deviation (measured in 1Hz bandwidth):

 1s
 2.0E-13

 10s
 5.0E-14

 100s
 1.3E-14

 1000s
 3.2E-15

 Floor*
 3.0E-15

• Long term: <2.0E-16 per day*

Auto tuning: no external reference required
 * Achieved after extended period of unperturbed, continuous operation.

ENVIRONMENTAL

Temperature sensitivity: <1.0E-14/° C
 Magnetic sensitivity: <3.0E-14/Gauss
 Power source sensitivity: <1.0E-14

CONTROL

Synthesized frequency resolution: 7.0E-17
 Frequency control range: 7.0E-10

Note: The synthesizer maintains continuous phase throughout frequency change.

AVAILABLE OUTPUTS

Frequency	Amplitude
5 MHz	13dBm (3 each)
10 MHz	13dBm
100 MHz	13dBm
Load impedance:	50Ω

TIMING OUTPUT

Format: 1 PPS (positive going pulse)
 Amplitude: >3 V into 50Ω (TTL compatible)

Pulsewidth: 20 µs
 Rise time: <5 ns
 Jitter: <1 ns RMS

TIMING INPUT

• Auto-sync input: 1 PPS

• Amplitude: >3 V into 50Ω (TTL compatible)

Pulsewidth: ≥20 μs
Rise time: <5 ns
Jitter: <1 ns RMS
Synchronization input to output: <15 ns

PHASE NOISE

• 5 MHz outputs

1 Hz	-90dBc
10 Hz	-110dBc
100 Hz	-130dBc
1 KHz	-140dBc
10 KHz	-150dBc
100 KHz	-155dBc

POWER

• Standby battery:

Operating voltage: 85 to 264 VAC
 Frequency range: 47 to 63 Hz
 Peak power: 150W
 Operating power: 75W
 External DC input: 22 to 28 VDC 3.1A (typical)

8 hours operation

OPTIONS Part No.

100 MHz output/13dBm
 1 PPS
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MHM 2010 Back Panel Configuration



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