

JD746A

RF Analyzer



Spectrum Analyzer: 100 kHz to 4 GHz

Cable and Antenna Analyzer: 5 MHz to 4 GHz

Power Meter: 10 MHz to 4 GHz

Conditions of Specifications

The JD746A specifications apply under the following conditions.

- After 30 minute warm-up and then two hours of operation temperature.
- The instrument is operating within a valid calibration period.
- Data with no tolerance is considered as typical values.
- The 'typical' or 'nominal' values are defined as follows:
 - $-\,$ Typical: Expected performance of the instrument operating under 20 °C to 30 °C after being at this temperature for two hours.
 - Nominal: A general, descriptive term or parameter..

Spectrum Analyzer (Standard)

Carrier offset:

30 kHz

100 kHz

1 MHz

Supplemental Information

Frequency		
Frequency range	100 kHz to 4 GHz	
Internal 10 MHz Freque	ency Reference	
Accuracy	\pm 0.05 ppm (25°C \pm 25°C) + aging	
Aging	± 0.5 ppm/year	
Frequency Span		
Range	0 Hz (Zero Span)	
	10 Hz to 4 GHz	
Resolution	1 Hz	
Resolution Bandwidth	(RBW)	
-3 dB bandwidth	1 Hz to 3 MHz	1-3-10 sequence
Accuracy		± 10% (nominal)
Video Bandwidth (VBV	V)	
-3 dB bandwidth	1 Hz to 3 MHz	1-3-10 sequence
Accuracy		± 10% (nominal)
Single sideband (SSB)	Phase Noise	
RBW 10 kHz, VBW 1 kHz,	RMS Detector	

< -90 dBc/Hz

< 95 dBc/Hz

<-102 dBc/Hz

Typical

Measurement Range	
DANL to +30 dBm	
Input attenuator range	0 to 50 dB, 5 dB steps
Maximum Input Level	
Average continuous power	+ 20 dBm
DC voltage	± 50 VDC
Displayed Average Noise Le	evel (DANL)
1 Hz RBW, 1 Hz VBW, 50 Ω Ter	mination, 0 dB Attenuation, RMS Detector
Preamplifier Off:	
10 MHz to 2.3 GHz	–140 dBm
>2.3 to 3.0 GHz	–138 dBm
>3.0 to 4.0 GHz	–135 dBm
Preamplifier On:	
10 MHz to 2.3 GHz	–155 dBm
>2.3 to 3.0 GHz	–153 dBm
>3.0 to 4.0 GHz	–150 dBm
Display Range	
Log scale and units	1 to 20 dB/division in 1 dB steps 10 divisions displayed dBm, dBV, dBmV, dBμV
Linear scale and units	10 divisions displayed V, mV, mW, W
Detectors	Normal, Positive Peak, Sample, Negative Peak, RMS

Total Absolute Amplitude Accuracy

Number of traces

Trace functions

Preamplifier off, power level > -50 dBm , auto coupled (25°C \pm 5°C) 5 MHz to 4 GHz \pm 1.25 dB, \pm 0.5 dB (typical) Attenuation < 40 dB \pm 1.55 dB, \pm 1.0 dB (typical) Attenuation \ge 40 dB

View On/Off

Clear/Write, Maximum Hold

Minimum Hold, Capture, Load

Reference Level		
Setting range	-120 dBm to +100 dBm	
Setting resolution		
Log scale	0.1 dB	
Linear scale	1% of reference level	

Markers	
Marker types	Normal, Delta, Delta Pair Noise, Frequency count marker
Number of markers	6
Marker functions	Peak, Next Peak, Peak Left, Peak Right, Minimum Search Marker to Center/Start/Stop

RF Input VSWR

1.5:1	Typical
20 MHz to 4.0 GHz	

Second Harmonic Distortion (Second Harmonic Intercept: SHI	
Mixer level = -25 dBm	

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10 MHz to 1.3 GHz	< -65 dBc	Typical	
1.3 to 4.0 GHz	< -70 dBc	Typical	

Third Order Inter-modulation (Third Order Intercept: TOI)

200 MHz to 2 GHz	+10 dBm	Typical
2 to 4 GHz	+12 dBm	Typical

Spurious

20 MHz to 3 GHz -90 dBm Nominal
3 to 4 GHz -85 dBm Nominal
Exceptions <-85 dBm @ 2497.8 MHz
Input related spurious <-70 dBc

Dynamic Range

> 95 dB	2/3 (TOI-DANL) in 1Hz RBW	

Sweep Time

Range	80 ms to 1000 s	
	24 μs to 200 s	Span = 0 Hz (zero span)
Sweep mode	Continuous, single	

Gated Sweep

Trigger source	External
Gate length	1 μs to 100 ms
Gate delay	0 to 100 ms

Trigger		
Trigger source	Free run, video, external	
Trigger delay		
Range	0 to 200 s	
Resolution	6 μs	

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Measurements	
Channel Power	
Occupied BW	
Spectrum Emission Mask	
Adjacent Channel Power	
Spurious Emissions	
Field Strength	
AM/FM Audio Demodulation	Can be set up CW signal generator simultaneously

Cable and Antenna Analyzer (Standard)

Supplemental Information

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Frequency			
Range	5 MHz to 4 GHz		
Resolution	10 kHz		
Accuracy	± 25 ppm		
Data Points			
126, 251, 501, 1001			
Measurement speed	1.65 ms/point	Nominal	
Measurement Accuracy	у		
Causasta d dinasticito	40 dD (4:aal)		

corrected directivity	TO GD (typical)	
Reflection uncertainty	0.3 + 20log (1+10 ^{-EP/20})	EP is calibration
		return loss value
		minus measured
		return loss value.

Output Power		
High	+ 0 dBm	Typical
Low	–30 dBm	Typical
Dynamic Rang	e	
Pofloction	60 dB	

Maximum Input Level		
Average continuous power	+25 dBm	
DC voltage	± 50 VDC	
Interference immunity	+17 dBm on channel	
	0 dBm on frequency	Nominal

Measurements

Reflection (VSWR):

VSWR range	1 to 65
Return Loss range	0 to 60 dB
Resolution	0.01

Distance to Fault (DTF):

Vertical VSWR range	1 to 65	
Vertical return loss range	1 to 60 dB	
Vertical resolution	0.01	
Horizontal range	0 to (# of data points -1) x hori- zontal resolution	Maximum = 1500 m (4921 ft)
Horizontal resolution	(1.5x10 ⁸)x(Vp)/ (Delta)x0.95	Vp=Propagation Velocity Delta= Stop Freq – Start Freq [Hz]

Cable Loss (1 port):

Range	0 to 30 dB	
Resolution	0.01 dB	
1 Port Phase		
Range	-180° to +180°	
Resolution	0.01°	

Smith Chart:

Resolution	0.01	

Power Meter (Standard)

Power Meter		
Display range	-100 dBm to +100 dBm	
Offset range	0 to 60 dB	
Resolution	0.01 dB or 0.1xW	x = m, u, p

Internal Power Sen	sor
Display range	10 MHz to 4 GHz
Span	100 kHz to 100 MHz
Dynamic range	-120 dBm to +20 dBm
Maximum power	+20 dBm
Accuracy	Same as Spectrum Analyzer

External Power Sensor					
Directional Power Sensors	JD731A			JD733A	
Frequency range	300 MHz to	3800 MHz		150 MHz to 3800 MHz	
Dynamic range	Average	0.15 W to 150 W		Average	0.1 W to 50 W
	Peak	4 W to 400 W		Peak	0.1 W to 50 W
Connector type	Type N (f) o	Type N (f) on both ends			
Measurement type	Forward/rev	Forward/reverse average power, forward peak power, VSWR			
Accuracy	± 4 % + 0.05	$\pm 4\% + 0.05 \text{ W}^{1}$			
Terminating power sensors	JD732A		JD734A		JD736A
Frequency range	20 to 3800 N	20 to 3800 MHz		lz	20 to 3800 MHz
Dynamic range	-30 to 20 di	-30 to 20 dBm			-30 to 20 dBm
Connector type	Type N (m)	Type N (m) Type			Type N (m)
Measurement type	Average		Peak		Average and peak
Accuracy	±7 %¹		±7 %1		±7 %¹

 1 CW condition at 25°C \pm 10°C

Resolution

2 port Phase Range

Resolution

2 Port Transmission Measurements (Option 001)

0.01 dB

0.01°

 -180° to $+180^{\circ}$

Frequenc	у		
			Supplemental Information
Frequenc	y range	5 MHz to 4 GHz	
Frequenc	y resolut	ion 10 kHz	
Output Po	ower		
High 0	dBm	Typical	
Low -	-30 dBm	Typical	
Measurer	nent Spe	eed	
2.2 ms/pc	oint		Nominal
Dynamic	Range		
5 MHz to	3 GHz	80 dB	
3 GHz to	4 GHz	75 dB	
Measurer	nents		
Insertion	Loss/Ga	in	
Range		-120 to 100 dB	

Bias Tee (Option 002)

Voltage		
		Supplemental Information
Voltage range	+12 to +32 V	
Voltage resolution	0.1 V	
Power		
8 W Max		

CW Signal Generator (Option 003)

Frequency		
		Supplemental Information
Frequency range	25 MHz to 4 GHz	
Frequency reference	< ±25 ppm	
Frequency resolution	10 kHz	
Output Power		
Range	0 dBm, -30 dBm to	-80 dBm
Step	1 dB	
Accuracy	± 1.5 dB	

GPS Receiver and antenna (Option 010)

GPS Indicator Supplemental Information Latitude, Longitude, Altitude High Frequency Accuracy Spectrum, Interference, and Signal Analyzer GPS lock ± 25 ppb Hold over ± 50 ppb 3 minutes after satellite locking Connector SMA, Female

Interference Analyzer (Option 011)

Measurement	:s	
		Supplemental Information
Spectrum analyzer	Sound Indication, AM/FM au ference ID	udio demodulation, inter-
Spectrogram	Collect data up to 72 hours	
RSSI	Collect data up to 72 hours	Received signal strength indicator

Channel Scanner (Option 012)

Frequency Range		
		Supplemental Information
100 kHz to 4 GHz		
Measurement Rang	je	
-110 dBm to +20 dB	3m	
Measurements		
Channel scanner	1 to 20 channels	
Frequency scanner	1 to 20 frequencies	
Custom scanner	1 to 20 channels or fr	eauencies

General Information

Inputs and Outp	outs	
		Supplemental Information
RF in		Spectrum analyzer
Connector	Type-N, female	
Impedance	50 Ω (nominal)	
Damage level	> +40 dBm, >± 50 VDC	Nominal (3 minutes maximum)
Reflection/RF Out		Cable and antenna analyzer
Connector	Type-N, female	
Impedance	50 Ω (nominal)	
Damage level	>+37 dBm, >± 50 VDC	Nominal (3 minutes maximum)
RF in		Cable and antenna analyzer
Connector	Type-N, female	
Impedance	50 Ω (nominal)	
Maximum level	>+25 dBm, >±50 VDC	
External Trigger, GPS		
Connector	SMA, female	
Impedance	50 Ω (nominal)	
External Ref		
Connector	SMA, female	
Impedance	50 Ω (nominal)	
Input fre- quency	10 MHz, 13 MHz, 15 MHz	
Input range	-5 dBm to +5 dBm	
USB		
USB host	Type A, 1 port	Connects flash drive and power sensor
USB client	Type B, 1 port	Connects to PC for data transfer
LAN	RJ45, 10/100 Base-T	Connects to PC for data transfer
GPIO	RJ48C	
Audio jack	3.5 mm headphone jack	
External power	5.5 mm barrel con- nector	
Speaker	Built-in speaker	
Display		
Size	8 inch, LED backlight	

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Resolution	800 x 600



Power		
External DC input	12 VDC to 19 VDC	
Power Consumption	32.5 W	45 W maximum when battery charging
External AC/ DC Adapter		
Input	100 to 240 VAC 50 to 60 Hz, 1.5 A	
Output	19 VDC, 4.74 A	

Battery		
	10.8 V, 7200 mA-h	Lithium Ion
Operating time	> 3 hours	Typical
Charge time	A fully discharged bat- tery takes about 2.5 hours to recharge to 80 %, 3.5 hours to 100 %	
Storage tem- perature	-20 to 50 °C, ≤ 85 % RH -4 to 122 °F, ≤ 85 % RH	The battery pack should be stored in an environment with low humidity.

Data Storag	e	
Internal	Minimum 20 MB	Up to 200 instrument states and trace
External		Supports USB 2.0 compatible memory devices

Extended exposure to temperature above 45 °C could degrade battery performance and life

Environmenta		
Operating temperature	–10 to 55°C (14 to 131°F)	
Maximum humidity	85 %	
Shock and vibration	MIL-PRF-28800F Class 2	
Storage tem- perature	–55 to 71°C (–67 to 160°F)	With the battery pack removed

EMC	
EN 61326-2-1	Complies with European EMC
Safety	
EN 61010-1 2nd	1

Size and Weight		
Weight	< 4 kg (8.8 lbs) with battery	With standard configuration
Size	295 x 195 x 82 (mm) (11.6 x 7.7 x 3.2 (lnch))	Approximately (W x H x D)

Warranty	
2 years	
Calibration Cycle	
1 year	

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Order information

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10 MHz to 4 GHz	RF Power Meter Internal mode

Options

NOTE: Upgrade options for the JD746A use the designation JD746AU before the respective last three digit option number.

JD746A001	2 Port Transmission Measurement ²
JD746A002	Bias Tee (Requires option 01)
JD746A003	CW Signal Generator
JD746A010	GPS Receiver and Antenna
JD746A011	Interference Analyzer 3,4
JD746A012	Channel Scanner

Standard Accessories

G710550322	AC/DC Power Adapter⁵
G710550335	Cross LAN Cable (1.5 m) ⁵
GC73050515	USB A to B Cable (1.8 m) ⁵
GC72450518	> 1 G Byte USB Memory ⁵
G710550325	Rechargeable Lithium Ion Battery ⁵
G710550323	Automotive Cigarette Lighter 12 VDC Adapter ⁵
JD746A361	JD746A User's Manual and Application Software – CD

 $^{^5\}mbox{Standard}$ accessories can be purchased separately.

Optional Power Sensors

JD731A	Directional Power Sensor (peak and average power) Frequency: 300 MHz to 3.8 GHz Power: Average 0.15 to 150 W, Peak 4 to 400 W
JD733A	Directional Power Sensor (peak and average power) Frequency: 150 MHz to 3.5 GHz Power: Average/Peak 0.1 to 50 W
JD732A	Terminating Power Sensor (average power) Frequency: 20 MHz to 3.8 GHz Power: –30 to 20 dBm
JD734A	Terminating Power Sensor (peak power) Frequency: 20 MHz to 3.8 GHz Power: –30 to 20 dBm
JD736A	Terminating Power Sensor (peak and average power) Frequency: 20 MHz to 3.8 GHz Power: –30 to 20 dBm

¹Requires Calibration Kit ²Requires Dual port Calibration kit 3Highly recommends adding JD746A010 ⁴Highly recommends adding G70005035x and/or G70005036x



Order information

Optional Cali	Optional Calibration Kits		
JD72450509	One Port N Type Calibration Kit Open/Short/Load N(m), 40 dB, 4 GHz, 50 Ω		
JD72450510	One Port DIN Type Calibration Kit Open/Short/Load DIN(m), 40 dB, 4 GHz, 50 Ω		
JD71050507	Dual Port N Type Calibration Kit, 50 Ω – Open/Short/Load N(m), 40 dB, 4 GHz, 50 Ω – Two Adapters N(f) to N(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω – Two 1 m (3.28 ft) RF Test Cables, N(m) to N(m), DC to 18 GHz, 50 Ω		
JD71050508	Dual Port DIN Type Calibration Kit, 50 Ω - Open/Short/Load DIN(m), 40 dB, 4 GHz, 50 Ω - Two 1 m (3.28 ft) RF Test Cables, N(m) to N(m), DC to 18 GHz, 50 Ω - Adapter N(f) to DIN(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω - Adapter N(f) to DIN(m), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω - Adapter DIN(f) to DIN(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω - Adapter DIN(m) to DIN(m), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω		

Optional RF Cables

G710050531	1.5 m (4.92 ft) RF Cable, DC to 18 GHz, N(m)-N(f), 50 Ω
G710050532	3.0 m (9.84 ft) RF Cable, DC to 18 GHz, N(m)-N(f), 50 Ω

Optional Omni Antennas

G700050351	RF Omni Antenna 400 MHz to 450 MHz
G700050352	RF Omni Antenna 450 MHz to 500 MHz
G700050353	RF Omni Antenna 806 MHz to 896 MHz
G700050354	RF Omni Antenna 870 MHz to 960 MHz
G700050355	RF Omni Antenna 1710 MHz to 2170 MHz

Optional Yaggi Antennas

G700050364	RF Yaggi Antenna 806 MHz to 896 MHz
G700050365	RF Yaggi Antenna 866 MHz to 960 MHz
G700050363	RF Yaggi Antenna 1750 MHz to 2390 MHz

Optional Adapters

G710050571	Adapter N(m) to DIN(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050572	Adapter DIN(m) to DIN(m), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050573	Adapter N(m) to SMA(f), DC to 18 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050574	Adapter N(m) to BNC(f), DC to 1.5 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050575	Adapter N(f) to N(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050576	Adapter N(m) to DIN(m), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050577	Adapter N(f) to DIN(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050578	Adapter N(f) to DIN(m), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω
G710050579	Adapter DIN(f) to DIN(f), DC to 4 GHz, 50 Ω



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Optional Miscellaneous	
G710050581	Attenuator 40 dB, 100 W, DC to 4 GHz (Unidirectional)
JD74050341	Soft Carrying Case
JD71050342	Hard Carrying Case
JD71050343	Backpack Carrying Case
G710550324	External Battery Charger
JD746A362	JD746A User's Manual – Printed Version

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