

Test Equipment Solutions Datasheet

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HP 8591E

HP 8591E, 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E**Specifications**

Specifications apply to any of these analyzers unless otherwise noted.

Frequency**Frequency Range****HP 8591E:**

50 Ω: 9 kHz to 1.8 GHz

75 Ω: 1 MHz to 1.8 GHz

HP 8594E: 9 kHz to 2.9 GHz, dc-coupled; 100 kHz to 2.9 GHz, ac-coupled**HP 8595E:** 9 kHz to 6.5 GHz, dc-coupled; 100 kHz to 6.5 GHz, ac-coupled

	Band	LO harmonic = N	Center frequency
HP 8596E	0	1	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz (dc-coupled)
	0	1	100 kHz to 2.9 GHz (ac-coupled)
	1	1	2.75 to 6.5 GHz
	2	2	6.0 to 12.8 GHz
HP 8593E	0	1	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz
	1	1	2.75 to 6.5 GHz
	2	2	6.0 to 12.8 GHz
	3	3	12.4 to 19.4 GHz
HP 8594E	4	4	19.1 to 22 GHz
	4	4 (Option 026/027)	19.1 to 26.5 GHz

Frequency Reference**Aging:** $\pm 2 \times 10^{-6}/\text{year}$; $\pm 1 \times 10^{-7}/\text{year}$ (Option 004)**Temperature Stability:** $\pm 5 \times 10^{-6}$; $\pm 1 \times 10^{-8}$ (Option 004)**Initial Achievable Accuracy:** $\pm 0.5 \times 10^{-6}$; $\pm 2.2 \times 10^{-8}$ (Option 004)**Frequency Readout Accuracy** (start, stop, center, marker):

$\pm (\text{freq. readout} \times \text{freq. ref error} + \text{span accuracy} + 1\% \text{ of span} + 20\% \text{ of RBW} + 100 \text{ Hz} \times N)$

Marker Count AccuracySpan $\leq 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: $\pm (\text{marker freq.} \times \text{freq. ref error} + \text{counter resolution} + 100 \text{ Hz} \times N)$ Span $> 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: $\pm (\text{marker freq.} \times \text{freq. ref error} + \text{counter resolution} + 1 \text{ kHz} \times N)$ **Counter Resolution**Span $\leq 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: Selectable from 10 Hz to 100 kHzSpan $> 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: Selectable from 100 Hz to 100 kHz**Frequency Span****Range:** 0 Hz (zero span) and**HP 8591E:** 10 kHz to 1.8 GHz; 1 kHz min (Option 130)**HP 8594E:** 10 kHz to 2.9 GHz; 1 kHz min (Option 130)**HP 8595E:** 10 kHz to 6.5 GHz; 1 kHz min (Option 130)**HP 8596E:** [10 x N] kHz to 12.8 GHz; [1 x N] kHz min (Option 130)**HP 8593E:** [10 x N] kHz to 19.25 GHz; [1 x N] kHz min (Option 130)**Resolution:** Four digits or 20 Hz $\times N$, whichever is greater**Accuracy**Span $\leq 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: $\pm 2\%$ of spanSpan $> 10 \text{ MHz} \times N$: $\pm 3\%$ of span**Sweep Time****Range**Span = 0 Hz or $> 1 \text{ kHz}$: 20 ms to 100 sSpan = 0 Hz (Option 101): 20 μs to 100 s**Accuracy**20 ms to 100 s: $\pm 3\%$ 20 μs to $< 20 \text{ ms}$ (Option 101): $\pm 2\%$ **Sweep Trigger:** Free run, single, line, video, external

Resolution Bandwidth: 1 kHz to 3 MHz (3 dB) in 1, 3, 10 sequence; 9 kHz and 120 kHz (6 dB) EMI bandwidths. Option 130 adds 30, 100, and 300 Hz (3 dB) bandwidths and 200 Hz (6 dB) EMI bandwidth.

Accuracy: $\pm 20\%$ **Selectivity (characteristic)**

-60 dB/-3 dB: 3 kHz to 10 kHz, 15:1

100 kHz to 3 MHz, 15:1

1 kHz, 30 kHz, 16:1

-40 dB/-3 dB: 30 Hz to 300 Hz, 10:1

Video Bandwidth Range: 30 Hz to 1 MHz in 1, 3 sequence
(1 Hz to 1 MHz with Option 130)

Stability**Noise Sidebands** (1 kHz RBW, 30 Hz VBW, sample detector)> 10 kHz offset from CW signal: $\leq -90 \text{ dBc/Hz} + 20 \log N$ > 20 kHz offset from CW signal: $\leq -100 \text{ dBc/Hz} + 20 \log N$ > 30 kHz offset from CW signal: $\leq -105 \text{ dBc/Hz} + 20 \log N$ **Residual FM****HP 8591E:**1 kHz RBW, 1 kHz VBW: $\leq 250 \text{ Hz pk-pk}$ in 100 ms30 Hz RBW, 30 Hz VBW: $\leq 30 \text{ Hz pk-pk}$ in 300 ms**HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E:**1 kHz RBW, 1 kHz VBW: $\leq (250 \times N) \text{ Hz pk-pk}$ in 100 ms30 Hz RBW, 30 Hz VBW: $\leq (30 \times N) \text{ Hz pk-pk}$ in 300 ms**System Related Sidebands** (> 30 kHz offset from CW signal): $\leq -65 \text{ dBc} + 20 \log N$ **Comb Generator Frequency** (HP 8593E, 8596E): 100 MHz fundamental frequency; $\pm 0.007\%$ frequency accuracy

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Amplitude**Amplitude Range:** Displayed average noise level to + 30 dBm**HP 8591 Option 001:** Displayed average noise level to + 72 dBmV**Maximum Safe Input Level** (input attenuator $\geq 10 \text{ dB}$)**Average Continuous Power:** + 30 dBm (1 W)**HP 8591E Option 001:** + 72 dBmV (0.2 W)**Peak Pulse Power****HP 8591E:** $\pm 30 \text{ dBm}$ (1 W)**HP 8591E Option 001:** + 72 dBmV (0.2 W)**HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E:** + 50 dBm (100 W) for $< 10 \mu\text{s}$ pulse width and $< 1\%$ duty cycle, input atten. $\geq 30 \text{ dB}$ **DC****HP 8591E:** 25 Vdc**HP 8591E Option 001:** 100 Vdc**HP 8593E:** 0 Vdc**HP 8594E, 8595E, 8596E:** 0 V (dc-coupled); 50 V (ac-coupled)**Gain Compression** (> 10 MHz): $\leq 0.5 \text{ dB}$ (total power at input mixer = -10 dBm)**Displayed Average Noise Level** (input terminated, 0 dB atten., 30 Hz VBW or 1 Hz VBW with Option 130, sample detector)

	30 Hz RBW	1 kHz RBW
HP 8591E		
400 kHz to 1 MHz	$\leq -130 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -115 \text{ dBm}$
1 MHz to 1.5 GHz	$\leq -130 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -115 \text{ dBm}$
1.5 GHz to 1.8 GHz	$\leq -128 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -113 \text{ dBm}$
HP 8591E Option 001		
1 MHz to 1.5 GHz	$\leq -78 \text{ dBmV}$	$\leq -63 \text{ dBmV}$
1.5 GHz to 1.8 GHz	$\leq -76 \text{ dBmV}$	$\leq -61 \text{ dBmV}$
HP 8594E		
400 kHz to 5 MHz	$\leq -122 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -107 \text{ dBm}$
5 MHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -127 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -112 \text{ dBm}$
HP 8595E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -125 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -110 \text{ dBm}$
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -127 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -112 \text{ dBm}$
HP 8596E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -125 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -110 \text{ dBm}$
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -127 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -112 \text{ dBm}$
6.0 to 12.8 GHz	$\leq -115 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -100 \text{ dBm}$
HP 8593E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -127 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -112 \text{ dBm}$
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -129 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -114 \text{ dBm}$
6.0 to 12.8 GHz	$\leq -117 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -102 \text{ dBm}$
12.4 to 19.4 GHz	$\leq -113 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -98 \text{ dBm}$
19.1 to 22 GHz	$\leq -107 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -92 \text{ dBm}$
HP 8593E Option 026/027		
19.1 to 26.5 GHz	$\leq -102 \text{ dBm}$	$\leq -87 \text{ dBm}$

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Spectrum Analyzers, Portable

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HP 8596E

Specifications (cont'd)

Spurious Responses

Second Harmonic Distortion

HP 8591E (5 MHz to 1.8 GHz): < -70 dBc for -45 dBm tone at input mixer
HP 8593E (10 MHz to 2.9 GHz): < -70 dBc for -40 dBm tone at input mixer
HP 8594E, 8595E, 8596E (> 10 MHz): < -70 dBc for -40 dBm tone at input mixer
HP 8593E, 8595E, 8596E (> 2.75 GHz): < -100 dBc for -10 dBm tone at input mixer (or below DANL)

Third-Order Intermodulation

HP 8591E (5 MHz to 1.8 GHz): < -70 dBc for two -30 dBm tones at input and > 50 kHz separation
HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E (> 10 MHz): < -70 dBc for two -30 dBm ones at input and > 50 kHz separation

Other Input-Related Spurious (≥ 30 kHz offset, -20 dBm tone at input mixer)

HP 8591E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E: < -65 dBc

HP 8593E: < -65 dBc (applied frequency ≤ 18 GHz); < -60 dBc (applied frequency ≤ 22 GHz)

Residual Responses (input terminated, 0 dB attenuation)

1 MHz to 1.8 GHz (HP 8591E Option 001): < -38 dBmV
150 kHz to 1.8 GHz (HP 8591E): < -90 dBm
150 kHz to 2.9 GHz (HP 8594E): < -90 dBm
150 kHz to 6.5 GHz (HP 8593E, 8595E, 8596E): < -90 dBm

Display Range

Log Scale: 0 to -70 dB from ref level is calibrated; 0.1, 0.2, 0.5 dB/div and 1 to 20 dB/div in 1 dB steps; 8 div displayed

Linear Scale: 8 divisions

Scale Units: dBm, dBmV, dB μ V, V, W

Marker Readout Resolution

Log Scale: 0.05 dB

Linear Scale: 0.05% of ref level

Fast Time Sweep for Zero Span (Option 101 or 301, 20 μ s to 20 ms)

≤ 1 GHz: 0.7% of ref level for linear scale

> 1 GHz: 1.0% of ref level for linear scale

Reference Level

Range: Same as amplitude range

Resolution: ± 0.01 dB for log scale; $\pm 0.12\%$ of ref level for linear scale

Accuracy: ± 0.3 dB at -20 dBm; 0 to -59.9 dBm: $\pm (0.3 \text{ dB} + 0.01 \times \text{dB})$ from -20 dBm

Frequency Response (10 dB input attenuation)

Absolute (referenced to 300 MHz CAL OUT)

HP 8591E, 8594E: ± 1.5 dB

HP 8595E: ± 1.5 to ± 2.0 dB

HP 8596E: ± 1.5 to ± 2.5 dB

HP 8593E: ± 1.5 to ± 5.0 dB (preselector peaked)

Relative Flatness (referenced to midpoint between highest and lowest frequency response deviations)

HP 8591E, 8594E: ± 1.0 dB

HP 8595E: ± 1.0 to ± 1.5 dB

HP 8596E: ± 1.0 to ± 2.0 dB

HP 8593E: ± 1.0 to ± 2.0 dB (preselector peaked)

Calibrator Output Amplitude: -20 dBm ± 0.4 dB; +28.75 dBmV ± 0.4 dB, HP 8591 Option 001

Resolution Bandwidth Switching Uncertainty (ref to 3 kHz RBW, at ref level)

3 kHz to 3 MHz RBW: ± 0.4 dB

1 kHz RBW: ± 0.5 dB

30 Hz to 300 Hz RBW: ± 0.6 dB

Log to Linear Switching: ± 0.25 dB at ref level

Display Scale Fidelity

Log Incremental Accuracy (0 to -60 dB from ref level): ± 0.4 dB/4 dB

Log Maximum Cumulative (0 to -70 dB from ref level)

3 kHz to 3 MHz RBW: $\pm (0.3 + 0.01 \times \text{dB})$ from ref level

30 Hz to 1 kHz RBW: $\pm (0.4 + 0.01 \times \text{dB})$ from ref level

Linear Accuracy: $\pm 3\%$ of ref level

General Specifications

MIL-T-28800: Has been type-tested to the environmental specifications of MIL-T-28800 Class 5

Temperature

Operating: 0° to +55° C

Storage: -40° to +75° C

EMI Compatibility: Conducted and radiated interference CISPR Pub. 11 and Messempfaenger Postverfuegung 526/527/79

Audible Noise: < 37.5 dBA pressure and < 5.0 Bel's power (ISODP7779)

Power Requirements

On (line 1): 90 to 132 V rms, 47 to 440 Hz

195 to 250 V rms, 47 to 66 Hz

Power consumption < 500 VA; < 180 W

Standby (line 0): Power consumption < 7 W

User Program Memory (nominal): 238 KB nonvolatile RAM

Data Storage (nominal)

Internal: 24 traces or 32 states

External: 50 traces, 8 states

Memory Cards: HP 85700A (32 KB), 24 traces or 32 states;

HP 85702A (128 KB), 99 traces or 128 states

Video Cassette Recorder (VCR): Continuous video recording of display supported through composite video output

Size (nominal, without handle, feet, or cover): 325 mm W x

163 mm H x 427 mm D

Weight: 14.5 kg (HP 8591E); 16.4 kg (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Option 010 and 011 Built-In Tracking Generators

Option 010 ($50\ \Omega$) is available for all HP 8590 series spectrum analyzers except the HP 8592L. Option 011 ($75\ \Omega$) is available for the HP 8590L and 8591E only.

Frequency Range

Option 010: 100 kHz to 1.8 GHz (HP 8590L, 8591E); 9 kHz to 2.9 GHz (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Option 011: 1 MHz to 1.8 GHz (HP 8590L, 8591E)

Output Level

Range

Option 010: 0 to -15 dBm (HP 8590L); 0 to -70 dBm (HP 8591E);

-1 to -66 dBm (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Option 011: +42.8 to +27.8 dBmV (HP 8590L);

+42.8 to -27.2 dBmV (HP 8591E)

Resolution

0.1 dB

Absolute Accuracy: ± 1.5 dB (HP 8590L); ± 1.0 dB (HP 8591E);

± 0.75 dB (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

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Range: 15 dB (HP 8590L); 10 dB (HP 8591E);

9 dB (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Accuracy: ± 0.1 dB (HP 8590L); ± 0.75 dB (HP 8591E);

± 0.5 dB (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Output Flatness: ± 1.75 dB (HP 8590L, 8591E); ± 2.0 dB, > 10 MHz (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Spurious Output

Harmonic Spurs: 0 dBm + 42.8 dBmV output, < -25 dBc (HP 8590L, HP 8591E); -1 dBm output, < -25 dBc (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Nonharmonic Spurs: < -30 dBc (HP 8590L, 8591E); ≤ -27 dBc, 300 kHz to 2.0 GHz, ≤ -23 dBc, 2.0 GHz to 2.9 GHz (HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Dynamic Range (characteristic; max. output level -TG feedthrough)

Option 010: 106 dB (HP 8590L, 8591E); 106 dB (HP 8594E, > 400 kHz);

109 dB (HP 8595E, 8596E, > 400 kHz); 111 dB (HP 8593E, > 400 kHz)

Option 011: 100 dB

Power Sweep

Range

Option 010: -15 dBm to 0 dBm (HP 8590L); -75 dBm to 0 dBm (HP 8591E); -66 dBm to -1 dBm in 8 dB increments (HP 8593E,

8594E, 8595E, 8596E)

Option 011: +27.8 dBmV to +42.8 dBmV (HP 8590L);

-32.2 to +42.8 dBmV (HP 8591E)

Resolution: 0.1 dB

- Low-cost general purpose spectrum analysis with frequency accuracy



HP 8590L and 8592L Specifications

Specifications apply to either analyzer unless otherwise noted.

Frequency

Frequency Range

HP 8590L:

50 Ω: 9 kHz to 1.8 GHz

75 Ω (Option 001): 1 MHz to 1.8 GHz

HP 8592L:

9 kHz to 22 GHz

HP 8592L (Option 026/027):

9 kHz to 26.5 GHz

Band	LO harmonic=N	Center frequency
0	1	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz
1	1	2.75 to 6.5 GHz
2	2	6.0 to 12.8 GHz
3	3	12.4 to 19.4 GHz
4	4	19.1 to 22.0 GHz
4	4 (Option 026/027)	19.1 to 26.5 GHz

Frequency Reference

Aging: $\pm 2 \times 10^{-6}$ /year

Temperature Stability: $\pm 5 \times 10^{-6}$

Initial Achievable Accuracy: $\pm 0.5 \times 10^{-6}$

Frequency Readout Accuracy (start, stop, center, marker):

\pm (freq. readout \times freq. ref. error + span accuracy + 1% of span + 20% of RBW + 100 Hz \times N)

Marker Count Accuracy

Span \leq 10 MHz \times N: \pm (marker freq. \times freq. ref. error + counter resolution + 100 Hz \times N)

Span $>$ 10 MHz \times N: \pm (marker freq. \times freq. ref. error + counter resolution + 1 kHz \times N)

Counter Resolution

Span \leq 10 MHz \times N, selectable from 10 Hz to 100 kHz

Span $>$ 10 MHz \times N, selectable from 100 Hz to 100 kHz

Frequency Span

Range

HP 8590L: 0 Hz (zero span), 10 kHz to 1.8 GHz

HP 8592L: 0 Hz (zero span), [50 kHz \times N] to 19.25 GHz

Resolution:

Four digits

Accuracy:

HP 8590L: $\pm 3\%$ of span

HP 8592L: Span \leq 10 MHz \times N: $\pm 2\%$ of span; span $>$ 10 MHz \times N: $\pm 3\%$ of span

Sweep Time

Range: 20 ms to 100 s

Accuracy: $\pm 3\%$

Sweep Trigger: Free run, single, line, video, external

Resolution Bandwidth (characteristic): 1 kHz to 3 MHz (3 dB) in 1, 3, 10 sequence, 9 kHz and 120 kHz (6 dB) EMI bandwidths

Accuracy: $\pm 20\%$

Video Bandwidth Range: 30 Hz to 1 MHz in 1, 3, 10 sequence

Stability (same as for HP 8590E series)

Noise Sidebands (1 kHz RBW, 30 Hz VBW and sample detector):

$\leq -105 \text{ dBc}/\text{Hz} + 20 \log N$ at $> 30 \text{ kHz}$ offset from CW signal

System-Related Sidebands: $\leq -65 \text{ dBc} + 20 \log N$ at $> 30 \text{ kHz}$ offset from CW signal

Comb Generator Frequency (HP 8592L): 100 MHz fundamental frequency
Accuracy: $\pm 0.007\%$

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Amplitude

Amplitude Range

HP 8590L, 8592L: Displayed average noise level to +30 dBm

HP 8590L Option 001: Displayed average noise level to +75 dBmV

Maximum Safe Input Level (input attenuator $\geq 10 \text{ dB}$)

Average Continuous Power

HP 8590L, 8592L: +30 dBm (1 W)

HP 8590L Option 001: +75 dBmV (0.4 W)

Peak Pulse Power

HP 8590L: +30 dBm (1 W); +75 dBmV (0.4 W) (Option 001)

HP 8592L: +50 dBm (100 W) for $< 10 \mu\text{s}$ pulse width and $< 1\%$ duty cycle, input atten. $\geq 30 \text{ dB}$

DC

HP 8590L: 25 Vdc; 100 Vdc (Option 001)

HP 8592L: 0 Vdc

Gain Compression ($> 10 \text{ MHz}$): $\leq 0.5 \text{ dB}$ (total power at input mixer = -10 dBm)

Displayed Average Noise Level (input terminated, 0 dB atten., 1 kHz RBW, 30 Hz VBW, sample detector)

HP 8590L: ≤ -115 to $\leq -113 \text{ dBm}$; ≤ -63 to $\leq -61 \text{ dBmV}$ (Option 001)

HP 8592L: ≤ -112 to $\leq -92 \text{ dBm}$; ≤ -112 to $\leq -87 \text{ dBm}$ (Option 026)

Spurious Responses

Second Harmonic Distortion

HP 8590L: ($> 5 \text{ MHz}$) $< -70 \text{ dBc}$ for -45 dBm tone at input mixer

HP 8592L (10 MHz to 2.9 GHz): $< -70 \text{ dBc}$ for -40 dBm tone at input mixer; ($> 2.75 \text{ GHz}$): $< -100 \text{ dBc}$ for -10 dBm tone at input mixer (or below DANL)

Third-Order Intermodulation Distortion

HP 8590L

Distortion ($> 5 \text{ MHz}$): $< -70 \text{ dBc}$ for two -30 dBm tones at input mixer and $> 50 \text{ kHz}$ separation

Other Input-Related: $< -65 \text{ dBc}$ at $\geq 30 \text{ kHz}$ offset, for -20 dBm tone at input mixer

HP 8592L

Distortion ($> 10 \text{ MHz}$): $< -70 \text{ dBc}$ for two -30 dBm tones at input mixer and $> 50 \text{ kHz}$ separation

Other Input-Related: $< -65 \text{ dBc}$ at $\geq 30 \text{ kHz}$ offset, for -20 dBm tone at input mixer, $\leq 18 \text{ GHz}$; $< -60 \text{ dBc}$ for -20 dBm tone at input mixer, $\leq 22 \text{ GHz}$

Display Range

Log Scale: 0 to -70 dB from ref. level is calibrated; 0.1, 0.2, 0.5 dB/div. and 1 to 20 dB/div. in 1 dB steps; 8 div. displayed

Linear Scale: 8 divisions

Scale Units: dBm, dBmV, dBμV, V, W

Marker Readout Resolution: 0.05 dB for log scale; 0.05% of reference level for linear

Reference Level

Range: Same as amplitude range

Resolution: 0.01 dB for log scale; 0.12% of ref. level for linear

Accuracy: $\pm 0.3 \text{ dB}$ @ -20 dBm ; 0 dBm to -59.9 dBm : $\pm (0.3 \text{ dB} + 0.01 \times \text{dB}$ from -20 dBm)

Frequency Response (10 dB input attenuation)

Absolute (referenced to 300 MHz CAL OUT)

HP 8590L: $\pm 1.5 \text{ dB}$

HP 8592L (presselector peaked in band > 0): ± 1.5 to $\pm 5.0 \text{ dB}$

Relative: Referred to midpoint between highest and lowest frequency response deviations

HP 8590L: $\pm 1.0 \text{ dB}$

HP 8592L (presselector peaked in band > 0): ± 1.0 to $\pm 2.0 \text{ dB}$

Calibrator Output Amplitude

$-20 \text{ dBm} \pm 0.4 \text{ dB}$

HP 8590L Option 001: $+28.75 \text{ dBmV} \pm 0.4 \text{ dB}$

Resolution Bandwidth Switching Uncertainty (ref. to 3 kHz RBW, at ref. level): $\pm 0.4 \text{ dB}$ for 3 kHz to 3 MHz RBW; $\pm 0.5 \text{ dB}$ for 1 kHz

Log to Linear Switching: $\pm 0.25 \text{ dB}$ at ref. level

Display Scale Fidelity

Log Incremental Accuracy: $\pm 0.4 \text{ dB}/4 \text{ dB}$, 0 to -60 dB from ref. level

Log Maximum Cumulative: $\pm (0.4 \text{ dB} + 0.01 \times \text{dB}$ from ref. level), 0 to -70 dB from ref. level

Linear Accuracy: $\pm 3\%$ of ref. level

General

Same as for HP 8590 E-series

Built-in tracking generator (see page 238)

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Low-Cost Spectrum Analyzers, Portable

HP 8590
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Ordering Information

HP 8590L Spectrum Analyzer (9 kHz to 1.8 GHz)
HP 8592L Spectrum Analyzer (9 kHz to 22 GHz)

Options¹

- Opt 001 75 Ω Input (HP 8590L only)
- Opt 003 Memory Card Reader
- Opt 010 Tracking Generator (100 kHz to 1.8 GHz, HP 8590L only)
- Opt 011 Tracking Generator (75 Ω, HP 8590L only)
- Opt 015 Soft Tan Carrying/Operating Case
- Opt 016 Soft Yellow Carrying/Operating Case
- Opt 041 HP-IB and Parallel Printer Interfaces
- Opt 043 RS-232 and Parallel Printer Interfaces
- Opt 026 26.5 GHz Frequency Extension, APC-3.5 mm Connector (HP 8592L only)
- Opt 027 26.5 GHz Frequency Extension, Type-N Connector (HP 8592L only)
- Opt 040 Front Panel Protective Cover With Storage
- Opt 042 Protective Soft Carrying Case/Backpack
- Opt 711 50/75 Ω Matching Pad/100 Vdc Block
- Opt 008 Factory Service Training
- Opt UK6 Commercial Calibration Certificate with Test Data
- Opt ABX Quick Reference Guide in Local Languages
- Opt 908 Rackmount Without Handles
- Opt 909 Rackmount With Handles
- Opt 910 Additional Manual Set
- Opt 915 Component Level Information and Service Guide
- Opt W30 Two Additional Years Return-to-HP Service
- Opt W32 Two Additional Years Return-to-HP Calibration
- HP 8591E** Spectrum Analyzer, 9 kHz to 1.8 GHz
- HP 8594E** Spectrum Analyzer, 9 kHz to 2.9 GHz
- HP 8595E** Spectrum Analyzer, 9 kHz to 6.5 GHz
- HP 8596E** Spectrum Analyzer, 9 kHz to 12.8 GHz
- HP 8593E** Spectrum Analyzer, 9 kHz to 22 GHz

Options¹

- Opt 001 75 Ω Input (HP 8591E only)
- Opt 004 Precision Frequency Reference
- Opt 009 LO and Sweep + Tune
- Opt 010 Tracking Generator (100 kHz to 1.8 GHz, HP 8591E only)
- Opt 010 Tracking Generator (9 kHz to 2.9 GHz)
- Opt 011 Tracking Generator (75 Ω, HP 8591E only)
- Opt 012 Source for DECT Receiver Test
- Opt 015 Soft Tan Carrying/Operating Case
- Opt 016 Soft Yellow Carrying/Operating Case
- Opt 026 26.5 GHz Frequency Extension, APC-3.5 mm Connector (HP 8593E only)
- Opt 027 26.5 GHz Frequency Extension, Type-N Connector (HP 8593E only)
- Opt 040 Front Panel Protective Cover With Storage
- Opt 041 HP-IB and Parallel Printer Interfaces
- Opt 042 Protective Soft Carrying Case/Backpack
- Opt 043 RS-232 and Parallel Printer Interfaces
- Opt 050 Improved Amplitude Accuracy (NADC-TDMA bands)
- Opt 051 Improved Amplitude Accuracy for PDC Bands
- Opt 052 Improved Amplitude Accuracy for PHS Band
- Opt 053 Improved Amplitude Accuracy for CDMA Bands
- Opt 101 Fast Time-Domain Sweeps and Analog+ Display
- Opt 102 AM/FM Demodulator and TV Sync Trigger (TV Sync requires Option 101)
- Opt 103 Quasi-Peak Detector, AM/FM Demodulator
- Opt 105 Time-Gated Spectrum Analysis
- Opt 107 TV Receiver Video Tester
- Opt 110 CT2 Demodulator

Opt 111 Group Delay and Amplitude Flatness (HP 8593/4/5/6E only)

Opt 112 DECT Demodulator

Opt 119 Noise Figure

Opt 130 Narrow Resolution Bandwidths (30 to 300 Hz and 200 Hz EMI)

Opt 140 Narrow Bandwidths and Precision Frequency Reference

Opt 151 DSP, FAST ADC, and Digital Demodulator

Opt 160 PDC, PHS, NADC, and CDMA Firmware for Option 151

Opt 163 GSM900/DCS1800 Firmware for Option 151

Opt 180 TV Picture NTSC/PAL/SECAM

Opt 301 TV Sync Trigger, Fast Time-Domain Sweeps, AM/FM Demodulator, Analog+ Display

Opt 711 50/75 Ω Matching Pad/100 Vdc Block

Opt 008 Factory Service Training

Opt UK6 Commercial Calibration Certificate with Test Data

Opt ABX Quick Reference Guide in Local Languages

Opt W30 Two Additional Years Return-to-HP Service

Opt W32 Two Additional Years Return-to-HP Calibration

Application Measurement Cards/Personalities^{2,3}

HP 11770A Link Measurement Personality

HP 85700A Blank 32-KB Memory Card

HP 85702A Blank 128-KB Memory Card

HP 85704A Blank 256-KB Memory Card

HP 85705A Blank 512-KB Memory Card

HP 85712D EMC Measurement Personality

HP 85713A Digital Radio Measurement Personality

HP 85714A Scalar Measurement Personality

HP 85715B GSM900 Measurement Personality

HP 85717A CT2-CAL Measurement Personality

HP 85718B NADC-TDMA Measurement Personality

HP 85719A Noise-Figure Measurement Personality

HP 85720C PDC Measurement Personality

HP 85721A Cable TV Measurement Personality

HP 85722B DCS1800 Measurement Personality

HP 85723A DECT Measurement Personality

HP 85724A Broadcast Measurement Personality

HP 85725C CDMA Measurement Personality

HP 85726B PHS Measurement Personality

Printers and Accessories

HP DeskJet 340 (C2655A) portable monochrome/color printer

HP DeskJet 400 (C2642A) monochrome/color printer

HP DeskJet 680C (C4549A) color printer

HP DeskJet 690C (C4562A) color printer

HP DeskJet 693C (C4589A) color printer

HP DeskJet 870C (C4565A, C4555A) color printer

HP C1405B Keyboard (requires C1405-60015 Adapter)

HP 10833A HP-IB Cable (1 m)

HP 24542U RS-232 Cable 3 Meter (9 Pin F to 9 Pin F)

Option 043 Only (for RS-232 9 Pin PC Connection to Analyzer)

HP 24542G RS-232 Cable 3 Meter (25 Pin M to 9 Pin F)

Option 043 Only (for RS-232 25 Pin PC or Printer Connection to Analyzer)

HP C2932A RS-232 Cable 3 Meter (9 Pin M to 9 Pin F)

Option 043 Only (for Serial 9 Pin LaserJet 4P/4Plus Connection to Analyzer)

HP C2950A HP IEEE-1284 A-B Parallel Cable (2 m)

HP ITEL-45CHVUB HP-IB/Parallel Converter (U.S./Canada)

HP ITEL-45CHVEB HP-IB/Parallel Converter (International) (requires HP F101A ac adapter)

Key Literature

HP 8590 Series Configuration Guide, p/n 5963-6858E

HP 8590 E-Series Data Sheet, p/n 5963-6909E

HP 8590 L-Series Product Overview, p/n 5962-7575E

HP 8590 Series Brochure, p/n 5963-6908E

¹Most options can be retrofitted. Please contact your local HP sales representative.

²Some measurement personalities are not supported by all HP 8590 series models.

³For complete information, please contact your local HP sales representative.

⁴HP 8590L series requires Option 003 memory card reader.