Keysight PNA/PNA-L Series Microwave Network Analyzers

PNA E8362C PNA E8363C PNA E8364C PNA E8361C PNA-L N5230C 10 MHz to 20 GHz 10 MHz to 40 GHz 10 MHz to 50 GHz 10 MHz to 67 GHz 300 kHz to 6, 13.5, or 20 GHz 10 MHz to 20, 40, or 50 GHz

Configuration Guide





Introduction

This guide describes standard configurations, for the PNA (E836xC) and PNA-L (N5230A) Series microwave network analyzers. This guide should be used with the Keysight Technologies, Inc. PNA family data sheets for a complete description of these analyzers.

For applications, measurement accessories, and general accessories please see *Keysight PNA Family Network Analyzers Configuration Guide*, part number 5990-7745EN.

Keysight offers the following options for all PNA family network analyzers

Certification options

□ Commercial calibration certification with test data (Option UK6) Complete set of measurements which tests unit to manufacturer's published specifications. Includes calibration label, calibration certificate, and data report. Conforms to ISO 9001.

□ ISO 17025 compliant calibration (Option 1A7)

Complete set of measurements which tests unit to manufacturer's published specifications. Includes calibration label, ISO 17025 calibration certificate, and data report, measurement uncertainties and guardbands on all customer specifications. Conforms to ISO 17025 and ISO 9001.

□ ANSI Z540 compliant calibration (Option A6J)

Complete set of measurements which tests unit to manufacturer's published specifications. Includes pre- and post-adjustment data with measurement uncertainty information compliant to the ANSI/ NCSL Z540 standard.

Documentation

The PNA Series instruments are equipped with an Online Help system available within the instrument in the following languages: English, Japanese, Chinese, German, Spanish, and French. Service guides and the Online Help system are available on the web: www.na.tm.keysight.com/pna

Calibration Software Licenses

Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for Keysight inclusive cal (Option 897)

Adds built-in performance testing and calibration software for self-maintainers. Requires additional equipment. See the analyzer's Service Guide for more information on equipment required.

Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for Standards compliant cal (Option 898)

Adds built-in performance testing and calibration software for self-maintainers. Requires additional equipment. See the analyzer's Service Guide for more information on equipment required.

PNA Series Network Analyzer

E8362C	10 MHz to 20 GHz E8	363C 10 MH	Iz to 40 GHz	E8364C	10 MHz to	o 50 GHz	E8361C	10 MHz to 67 GHz
Option configurations								
To add opt	ions to a product, order t	ne correspo	nding item num	ıber.				
Test set	Description	For E8	362C For E83	63C For	E8364C	For E8361C	Ac	ditional information
Option 014	Configurable test set	E8362C	-014 E8363C-	-014 E83	64C-014	E8361C-014		
Power con	figuration							
Option UN	L Extended power rang and bias-tees	e E8362C	-UNL E8363C-	UNL E83	64C-UNL	E8361C-UNL	Only E	8361C requires 014
Option 016	6 Add receiver attenuat	ors E8362C	-016 E8363C-	-016 E83	64C-016	E8361C-016	Requir also re	es UNL (only E8361C equires 014)
Option H8	5 ¹ High-power configuration	E8362C	H85 E8363CI	H85 E83	64CH85		Includ 081	es 014, 016, UNL ² , 080,
Measurem	ent applications							
Option 010	Time-domain capabilit	y E8362C	-010 E8363C-	010 E83	64C-010	E8361C-010		
Option 080) Frequency offset	E8362C	-080 E8363C-	-080 E83	64C-080	E8361C-080	Requir 081 re purcha	es 014 (E8361C only, quired if UNL is also Ised)
Option 081	Reference receiver switch	E8362C	-081 E8363C-	-081 E83	64C-081	E8361C-081	Requir E8361	es 014, 080 (only C also requires UNL)
Option 082	2 Scalar-calibrated cor verter measurements	- E8362C	-082 E8363C-	-082 E83	64C-082	E8361C-082	Requir	es 014, 080
Option 083	3 Vector- and scalar- calibrated converter measurements	E8362C	-083 E8363C-	-083 E83	64C-083	E8361C-083	Requir E8361	es 014, 080, 081(only C also requires UNL)
Option 084	³ Embedded LO measurements	E8362C	-084 E8363C-	084 E83	64C-084	E8361C-084	Requir	es 082 or 083
Option 550) ⁴ 4-port measurement application	E8362C	-550 E8363C-	-550 E83	64C-550	E8361C-550	Requir	es 014
Option 551	4 N-port capabilities	E8362C	-551 E8363C-	-551 E83	64C-551	E8361C-551	Requir	es 014
Pulse, ante	enna, mm-wave							
Option H08	8 Pulsed-RF measurem capability	ent E8362C	-H08 E8363C-	-H08 E83	64C-H08	E8361C-H08	Requir recomr	es 014, 080 (Option H11 nended)
Option H11	IF access (for antenna pulsed-RF and mm- wave measurements)	, E8362C	-H11 E8363C-	-H11 E83	64C-H11	E8361C-H11	Requir 081	es 014, UNL, 080, and
Accessorie	S							
Option 1CN	M Rack mount kit for us without handles	e E8362C	-1CM E8363C-	1CM E83	64C-1CM	E8361C-1CM		
Option 1CF	P Rack mount kit for us with handles	e E8362C	-1CP E8363C-	-1CP E83	64C-1CP	E8361C-1CP		
Calibration documentation								
Option 1A7	7 ISO 17025 compliant calibration	E8362C	-1A7 E8363C-	-1A7 E83	64C-1A7	E8361C-1A7		
Option UK	6 Commercial calibratio certificate with test d	n E8362C ata	-UK6 E8363C-	-UK6 E83	64C-UK6	E8361C-UK6		
Option A6.	J ANSI Z540 compliant calibration	E8362C	-A6J E8363C-	-A6J E83	64C-A6J	E8361C-A6J		
Calibration software for self-maintainers								
Option 897	75 Perpetual license of buil performance test softw	t-in E8362C are for Keysigh	-897 E8363C- t exclusive calibrat	-897 E83 ion	64C-897	E8361C-897		
Option 898	35 Perpetual license of buil performance test softw	t-in E8362C are for standar	-898 E8363C- ds compliant calibr	-898 E83 ration	64C-898	E8361C-898		

Option H85 is ordered as a separate model, as indicated.
UNL up to 67 GHz does not include bias-tees. Only includes source attenuators.
Requires firmware A.07.05 and above, plus 1.1 GHz CPU board.
Option 550 is a subset of 551; therefore they cannot be ordered together. When ordering a test set, select an option to specify the appropriate

5. interconnect jumper cable set between the analyzer and the test set.

6. Additional hardware required. Please refer to the analyzer's Service Guide for required service test equipment.

PNA Series Network Analyzer

The microwave PNA Series instruments are integrated vector network analyzers equipped with a built-in S-parameter test set, synthesized source, a hard disk drive, USB interfaces, and an 8.4" LCD color touch screen display. The E8362C has 3.5 mm male 50-ohm test ports. The E8363C/64C have 2.4 mm male 50-ohm test ports. The E8361C has 1.85 mm male 50-ohm test ports. Included with each instrument is a mouse and a keyboard (U.S.)

Test set and power configuration options

□Configurable test set (Option 014)

Provides six front panel access loops. Three access loops are for port one and three for port two. The loops provide access to the signal path between (a) the source output and the reference receiver, (b) the source output and directional coupler thru arm and (c) the coupled arm of the directional coupler and the port receiver. This option provides the capability to improve instrument sensitivity for measuring low-level signals, to reverse the directional coupler to achieve even more dynamic range or to add components and other peripheral instruments for a variety of measurement applications. (see PNA Series Microwave Data Sheet literature number 5989-7605EN for a basic block diagram)

□ Extended power range and bias-tees (Option UNL)

Adds two 60 dB step attenuators and two bias-tees to the E8362/3/4C. Adds two 50 dB step attenuators and two bias-tees to the E8361C. A step attenuator and bias-tee set is inserted between the source and test port one and another set between the source and test port two. (see PNA Series Microwave Data Sheet literature number 5989-7605EN for a basic block diagram)

□ Add receiver attenuators (Option 016)

An attenuator is added between each test port and its corresponding receiver. Two 35 dB step attenuators are added to the E8362/3/4C. Two 50 dB step attenuators are added to the E8361C (see PNA Series Microwave Data Sheet literature number 5989-7605EN for a basic block diagram).

□ High-power test set (Model E836xCH85)

This configuration combines options that are often necessary for high power measurements (UNL¹, 014, 016, 080, 081). The only difference between ordering Option H85 versus a combination of the options listed above is the source attenuator option UNL. Standard UNL includes two source attenuators and two bias-tees. Option H85 includes the two source attenuators, but not the bias-tees, as the bias-tees are the power-limiting factor in the network analyzer test set. The maximum power at the test port is +43 dBm (< 20 GHz), and +40 dBm (> 20 GHz).

Option 080, frequency-offset mode, is included in Option H85 because it manages the phase-locking internally (instead of depending on the R1 receiver). So if you need to use external components in the path of the R1 receiver, it makes the measurements simpler and more robust.

Measurement applications

□Time-domain capability (Option 010)

For viewing reflection and transmission responses in time or distance domain.

□ Frequency offset (Option 080)

This option enables the PNA Series microwave network analyzers to set the source frequency independently from where the receivers are tuned. This ability is important for two general classes of devices: mixers (and converters) and amplifiers. Option 080 provides a very basic user interface.

□ Reference receiver switch (Option 081)

Option 081 adds a solid-state internal RF transfer switch in the R1 reference-receiver path (see PNA Series Microwave Data Sheet literature number 5989-7605EN for a block diagram). The switch allows the instrument to easily switch between standard S-parameter (non-frequency-offset) measurements and frequency offset measurements such as relative phase or absolute group delay that require an external reference mixer. The user can set the switch manually or remotely, but it is best used with the frequency-converter application (Option 083), where it is controlled automatically during the vector-mixer calibration procedure and subsequent measurements.

□ Scalar-calibrated converter measurements (Option 082)

With a simple setup and calibration, this application provides the highest accuracy for conversion-loss (or gain) measurements by combining one-port and power-meter calibrations to remove mismatch errors. Option 080 required.

□ Vector- and scalar-calibrated converter measurements (Option 083)

This converter measurement adds an intuitive and easy-to-use user interface, advanced calibration choices that provide exceptional amplitude and phase accuracy, and control of external signal sources for use as local oscillators. Mixer calibration techniques include scalar-mixer calibration and vector-mixer calibration (requires Option 081). Finally, the frequency-converter application supports all of Keysight's major signal source families.

□ Embedded LO Measurements (Option 084)

This option tunes the PNA receivers to the output frequency of the converter under test, without the need for access to internal LOs or a common reference signal. For converters with embedded LOs, this option enables measurements of match-corrected conversion loss/gain (requires Option 082 or 083), and absolute group delay (requires Option 083).

□4-port measurement application

(Option 550)

Adds multiport analyzer mode to any PNA network analyzer with Option 014 configurable test set, which enables full 4-port error correction and measurement capabilities using an external test set. Only standard measurement class is available in the multiport analyzer mode.

□N-port capabilities (Option 551)

Adds multiport analyzer mode to any PNA network analyzer with Option 014 configurable test set, which enables full N-port error correction and measurement capabilities using an external test set. Only standard measurement class is available in the multiport analyzer mode.

Pulse, antenna, mm-wave

□ Pulsed-RF measurement capability (Option H08)

Provides software to set up and control pulsed-RF measurements with point-in-pulse capability. The software sets the coefficient of the PNA's digital-IF filter to null out unwanted spectral components, enables the IF gates provided with IF access (Option H11), and controls selected Keysight pulse generators. It can be run on the PNA or an external computer. A ".dll" file containing the IF-filter algorithms is included for automated pulsed-RF testing. The pulsed application is configured to work with the Keysight 81110A series pulse generator.

For more detailed information regarding pulsed measurement capabilities with the microwave PNA refer to the Keysight Web site **www.keysight.com/find/pna** and download the PNA Series MW Network Analyzers Configuration Guide for Pulsed Measurements, literature number 5989-7913EN.

□IF access (Option H11)

Provides hardware to enable antenna, point-in pulse, and broadband millimeter-wave measurements to 110 GHz. For each of the MW PNA's measurement receivers, IF gates (enabled with pulsed measurement capability, Option H08) and external IF inputs are added. In addition, access to the PNA's internal RF and LO source is provided for remote mixing applications. For basic antenna measurements, only Option H11 is necessary. Pulsed antenna applications also require the pulsed measurement capability (Option H08). Broadband measurements to 110 GHz, also requires an N5260A millimeter-wave test set controller.

Note: Use external IF access for up to 20 dB more sensitivity when making antenna measurements with a remote mixing configuration. Add Option H08 (Pulsed-RF Measurement Capability) to enable advanced pulsed measurements. Or upgrade to a broadband (10 MHz to 110 GHz) VNA system simply by purchasing an N5260A controller test set with test heads (Option 110, 120, or 130).

Accessories

□ Rack mount kit without handles

(Option 1CM)

Adds a rack mount (5063-9217) and rail kit (E3663AC) for use without handles.

Configuration Details

Selecting the correct mixer-test configuration:

Most mixer or converter test applications require Options 014, 080, and 082 for conversion loss/gain, or Options 014, 080, 081 and 083 for conversion loss/gain and phase/delay measurements. If you want to create and automate your own custom frequency-offset measurements (for example, intermodulation distortion),

you may only need Options 014 and 080. For converters that require input power below -27 dBm, or for devices that have a large amount of LO feedthrough (like an unfiltered mixer), Option UNL, which adds source attenuators, is highly recommended. Besides allowing lower input power levels, these attenuators improve the isolation between the PNA's internal source and

LO leakage signals, helping to prevent source-unleveled errors. For devices that put out signals near or above the receiver's compression levels (which varies between –3 and +5 dBm, depending on the model and frequency), Option 016 is recommended, which adds receiver attenuators. Finally, Option 010, which adds time-domain analysis, is very useful for gating out unwanted, time-delayed responses which often occur when measuring mixers.

^{1.} The 5063-9237 kit assumes you have the standard handles shipped with the instrument. If you do not have handles, order a 5063-9224 kit.

[□] Rack mount kit with handles (Option 1CP) Adds a rack mount (5063-9237)¹ and rail kit (E3663AC) for use with standard supplied handles.

Simplified test set block diagrams

Standard power range



Extended power range and bias-tees (Option UNL)



1. Source attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 60 dB in 10 dB steps.

2. Source attenuator for E8361C is 50 dB in 10 dB steps.

Simplified test set block diagrams - continued

Configurable test set (Option 014)



Configurable test set with extended power range and bias-tees (Option UNL and 014)



1. Source attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 60 dB in 10 dB steps.

2. Source attenuator for E8361C is 50 dB in 10 dB steps.

Simplified test set block diagrams - continued

Fully optioned, active device or mixer/converter test configuration (Options 014, UNL, 016, 080, 081)



1. Source attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 60 dB in 10 dB steps. Source attenuator for E8361C is 50 dB in 10 dB steps.

2. Receiver attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 35 dB in 5 dB steps. Receiver attenuator for E8361C is 50 dB in 10 dB steps.

Simplified test set block diagrams - continued

High-power configuration (Model E836xCH85)



Power levels shown on the diagram are damage levels. At a minimum, keep power levels 6 dB below damage level. For optimal performance, keep the power level incident upon the receivers -20 dBm or less. This will keep the receivers out of compression.

- 1. Source attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 60 dB in 10 dB steps.
- 2. Receiver attenuator for E8362/3/4C is 35 dB in 5 dB steps.

Simplified test set block diagrams - continued

Fully optioned, pulse-RF, antenna, or mm-wave configuration (Options 014, UNL, 016, 080, 081, H11)



1. Option H11: IF-gate controls and external-IF inputs are accessed on rear panel.

2. IF gates are enabled with Option H08. External-IF input frequency is 8.33 MHz.

Upgrade kits

Upgrade kits for the PNA Series E8361C, E8362C, E8363C, E8364C

Upgrade kits are available to add options after initial purchase. To order an upgrade kit for the PNA series, order the analyzer's model number followed by a "U", then indicate the option to be added (for example, E8362CU-010). The current configuration and serial number of the instrument to be retrofitted are required as part of the order.

- □ Time-domain (Option 010) User installable.
- □ Configurable test set (Option 014) Provides six front-panel RF access loops. Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Receiver attenuators (Option 016) Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Frequency range upgrade to an E8363C (40 GHz) PNA (Option 040/041) Available only for the E8362C. Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Frequency range upgrade to an E8364C (50 GHz) PNA (Option 050/051) Available only for the E8362C and E8363C. Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Frequency range upgrade to an E8361C (67 GHz) PNA (Option 067/068) Available only for the E8363C and E8364C. Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Frequency-offset (Option 080) Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ External reference switch (Option 081) Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- □ Scalar-calibrated converter measurements (Option 082)

User installable. Option 080 required.

- □ Frequency converter measurement application (Option 083) User installable. Option 080 and 081 required.
- □ Embedded LO Measurements (Option 084) Advanced software tuning that provides absolute group delay of converters with embedded LOs without the need for access to a common reference signal. The measurement result is the same as locking the DUT LO to the reference mixer LO. (Options 080 and 083 required) Requires firmware A.07.05 and above plus 1.1 GHz CPU board.

v A/B to C model upgrades Order E8361AU-221, E8362BU-221, E8363BU-221, or E8364BU-221

Note:

 GHz CPU is required to upgrade. Please refer to Customer Support Service Guides for the correct part number http://na.tm.keysight.com/ pna/documents.html

- □ 4-Port measurement application (Option 550) (Available for E8361C, E8362C/3C/4C) Enables full 4-port error correction and differential measurements. Option 014 and external test set required. User installable.
- □ N-port capabilities (Option 551) (Available for E8361C, E8362C/3C/4C) Adds full N-port error correction and measurement capabilities. Option 014 and external test set required. User installable.
- □ Extended power range (Option UNL) Adds a step attenuator and a bias-tee between source and each test port. Includes installation at a Keysight service center.
- Pulsed-RF measurement capability (Option H08)

Provides software to set up and control pulsed-RF measurements using narrowband detection, with point-in-pulse and pulse-profile capability. User installable.

□IF access (Option H11)

Provides hardware for antenna, point-in-pulse, and millimeterwave measurements. Adds rear-panel RF and LO outputs, external IF inputs, and IF gates (gates enabled with Option H08). Includes installation at a Keysight service center.

□ High-power test set (Option H85) Removes bias tees for higher test port power-handling capability. Options UNL, 014, 016, 080, and 081 are required. Includes installation at a Keysight Service Center.

Calibration Software Licenses

Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for Keysight inclusive cal (Option 897)

Adds built-in performance testing and calibration software for self-maintainers. Requires additional equipment. See the analyzer's Service Guide for more information on equipment required.

Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for standards compliant cal (Option 898)

Adds built-in performance testing and calibration software for self-maintainers. Requires additional equipment. See the analyzer's Service Guide for more information on equipment required.

1. Note: For applications, measurement accessories, and general accessories please see Keysight PNA Family Network Analyzers Configuration Guide, part number 5990-7745EN.

PNA-L Series Network Analyzer Configurations

N5230C 400 kHz to 6, 13.5, or 20 GHz 10 MHz to 20, 40, or 50 GHz

PNA-L option configurations

To add options to a product, order the corresponding item number.

	Description	For N5230C	Additional information	
Frequency rang	e and test set (Mandatory, choose only one)			
Option 020	300 kHz–6 GHz 2-port standard test set	N5230C-020		
Option 025	300 kHz-6 GHz 2-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-025		
Option 120	300 kHz–13.5 GHz 2-port standard test set	N5230C-120		
Option 125	300 kHz–13.5 GHz 2-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-125		
Option 140	300 kHz–13.5 GHz 4-port standard test set	N5230C-140		
Option 145	300 kHz–13.5 GHz 4-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-145		
Option 146	300 kHz–13.5 GHz 4-port configurable test set, extended power range and internal second source	N5230C-146	Option 080 recommended	
Option 220	10 MHz–20 GHz 2-port standard test set	N5230C-220		
Option 225	10 MHz–20 GHz 2-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-225		
Option 240	300 kHz–20 GHz 4-port standard test set	N5230C-240		
Option 245	300 kHz–20 GHz 4-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-245		
Option 246	300 kHz–20 GHz 4-port configurable test set, extended power range and internal second source	N5230C-246	Option 080 recommended	
Option 420	10 MHz–40 GHz 2-port standard test set	N5230C-420		
Option 425	10 MHz–40 GHz 2-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-425		
Option 520	10 MHz–50 GHz 2-port standard test set	N5230C-520		
Option 525	10 MHz–50 GHz 2-port configurable test set and extended power range	N5230C-525		
Measurement a	pplications			
Option 010	Time domain for 6 GHz model	N5231C-010		
Option 010	Time domain for 13.5, 20, 40 or 50 GHz model	N5230C-010		
Option 080	Frequency offset measurements	N5230C-080		
Option 082	Scalar-calibrated converter measurements	N5230C-082	Option 080 required	
Option 550 ¹	4-port measurement application	N5230C-550	Not available on 4-port models. Requires test set Option xx5 or xx6	
Option 551 ¹	N-port capabilities for 6, 13.5 or 20 GHz model	N5231C-551	Requires test set Option xx5 or xx6	
Option 551 ¹	N-port capabilities for 40 or 50 GHz model	N5230C-551	Requires test set Option xx5 or xx6	
Accessories				
Option 1CM	Rack mount kit without handles	N5230C-1CM		
Option 1CP	Rack mount kit with handles	N5230C-1CP		
Calibration doc	umentation			
Option 1A7	ISO 17025 compliant calibration	N5230C-1A7		
Option A6J	ANSI Z540 compliant calibration	N5230C-A6J		
Calibration software for self-maintainers				
Option 897 ²	Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for Keysight inclusive calibration	N5230C-897		
Option 898 ²	Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for standards compliant calibration	N5230C-898		

1. Option 550 is a subset of 551; therefore they cannot be ordered together. When ordering a test set, select appropriate interface kit.

Refer to page 23 Multiport Measurements for more details.
Additional hardware required. Please refer to the analyzer's Service Guide for required service test equipment.

PNA-L Series test set and power configuration options

The PNA-L is an integrated vector network analyzer equipped with a built-in S-parameter test set, one or two synthesized sources used for device stimulus, a hard disk drive, USB interfaces, and an 8.4" LCD color touch screen display. 40 and 50 GHz models have 2.4 mm ruggedized male 50-ohm connectors, while all other models have 3.5 mm ruggedized male 50-ohm connectors. Included with each instrument is a mouse and a keyboard (U.S.).

Must choose one test set and power configuration option.

- Standard test set and power range (Option xx0) The 13.5 and 20 GHz versions are available in 2- or 4-ports.
- Configurable test set and extended power range (Option xx5) Adds front panel access loops and one or two 60 dB step attenuators as shown in the figures below. This provides the capability to improve instrument sensitivity for measuring low-level signals, to reverse the directional couplers to achieve even more dynamic range or to add components and other peripheral instruments for a variety of measurement applications. The 13.5 and 20 GHz versions are available in 2- or 4-ports.
- Configurable test set, extended power range and internal second source (Option x46)

Available with 4-port models only, this option adds an internal second source, nine front panel access loops and two 60 dB step attenuators as shown in the figure below. This provides an additional signal (fixed or swept) for two-tone third-order-intercept (TOI) and intermodulation testing of amplifiers; or it can be used as a fast swept-LO signal for fixed-IF testing of mixers and converters. In either case, sweep speed is more than twenty times faster than using an external source (Option 080 recommended. Please note, Option 080 is needed in order to have independent control of the two internal sources.).

2-port standard test set



2-port configurable test set and extended power range



4-port standard test set



4-port configurable test set and extended power range



4-port configurable test set, extended power range and internal second source



PNA-L Series Application Options

Measurement applications

□Time-domain capability (Option 010)

For viewing reflection and transmission responses in time or distance domain.

□Frequency offset (Option 080)

This option enables the PNA Series microwave network analyzers to set the source frequency independently from where the receivers are tuned. This ability is important for two general classes of devices: mixers (and converters) and amplifiers. Option 080 provides a very basic user interface.

□Scalar-calibrated converter measurements (Option 082)

With a simple setup and calibration, this application provides the highest accuracy for conversion-loss (or gain) measurements by combining one-port and power-meter calibrations to remove mismatch errors. Option 080 required.

□4-port measurement application (Option 550)

Adds multiport analyzer mode to any PNA-L network analyzer with Option x25, x45, or x46 configurable test set, which enables full 4-port error correction and measurement capabilities using an external test set. Only standard measurement class is available in the multiport analyzer mode.

□N-port capabilities (Option 551)

Adds multiport analyzer mode to any PNA network analyzer with Option x25, x45, or x46 configurable test set, which enables full N-port error correction and measurement capabilities using an external test set. Only standard measurement

class is available in the multiport analyzer mode.

Accessories

Rack mount kit without handles (Option 1CM)

Adds a rack mount (5063-9217) and rail kit (E3663AC) for use without handles.

□ Rack mount kit with handles (Option 1CP) Adds a rack mount (5063-9237)¹ and rail kit (E3663AC) for use with standard supplied handles.

The 5063-9237 kit assumes you have the standard handles shipped with the instrument. If you do not have handles, order a 5063-9224 kit.

PNA-L upgrade kits

Upgrade kits are available to add options after initial purchase. To upgrade the PNA-L, order the corresponding item number. The model and serial numbers of the instrument to be retrofitted are required as part of the order.

Description	Required option	For PNA-L Series	User installable
Frequency upgrade ¹			
Extend analyzer's frequency range to 13.5 GHz	N5230C-020 or 025	N5230CU-960	No
Extend analyzer's frequency range to 20 GHz	N5230C-140, 145, or 146	N5230CU-966	No
Extend analyzer's frequency range to 40 GHz	N5230C-220	N5230CU-971	No
Extend analyzer's frequency range to 40 GHz	N5230C-225	N5230CU-973	No
Extend analyzer's frequency range to 50 GHz	N5230C-420, or 425	N5230CU-990	No
Test set and power configuration			
Add configurable test set and extended power range to 6 or 13.5 GHz PNA-L	N5230C-020 or 120	N5230CU-901	No
Add configurable test set and extended power range to 20 GHz PNA-L, 2-ports	N5230C-220	N5230CU-922	No
Add configurable test set and extended power range to 40 or 50 GHz PNA-L, 2-ports	N5230C-420 or 520	N5230CU-941	No
Add configurable test set and extended power range to 13.4 or 20 GHz PNA-L, 4-prots	N5230C-140 or 240	N5230CU-926	No
Add internal second source to 13.5 GHz PNA-L, 4-ports	N5230C-145	N5230CU-928	No
Add internal second source to 20 GHz PNA-L, 4-prots	N5230C-245	N5230CU-927	No
Measurement applications			
Time-domain measurements		N5230CU-010 or N5231CU-010 ¹	Yes
Frequency offset		N5230CU-080	Yes
Scalar-calibrated converter measurements	Option 080	N5230CU-082	Yes
4-port measurement application	Option x25	N5230CU-550	Yes
N-port capabilities	Option xx5 or 246	N5230CU-551 or N5231CU-551 ²	Yes
Calibration software			
Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for Keysight inclusive calibra- tion		N5230CU-897	Yes
Perpetual license for built-in performance test software for standard compliant calibration		N5230CU-898	Yes
User interface			
PNA-L A to C model upgrade, 2-ports	N5230A-x2x	N5230AU-221	No
PNA-L A to C model upgrade, 4-ports	N5230A-x4x	N5230AU-241	No



PNA-L upgrade path examples.

- 1. For 6 GHz PNA-L (N5230C-02x), order N5231CU-010. For other
- For 6, 13.5, 20 GHz PNA-L, order N5230CU-010. GHz PNA-L, order N5230CU-0551. For 40 and 50 GHz PNA-L, order N5230CU-010. 2.

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