

Plug-In Modules Expand The Capability Of The Multiformat Signal Generator Multi Format Video Generator Main Frame

The LT443D Multiformat Video Generator Mainframe can be used for multiformat digital broadcast systems. Various plug-in modules enable the output of SDI signals (i.e. HDTV, SDTV), sync signals, and analog signals. With these signals and genlock functions, timing is settable in increments of frames, lines, pixels or clock intervals. Users can customize the signal generator as desired.

FEATURES

Applicable To Multiformat HDTV

For the SDI signals, a 20 format HDTV module and a 525 line/625 line SDTV module are provided. The NTSC/PAL composite analog video signal generator is available with the 10-field ID signal.

Since each module is capable of simultaneous outputs, a multiformat system can be constructed to include both 74.25 MHz and 74.25/1.001 MHz outputs as the system grows.

• Easy-to-use Sync Signals

For today's digital TV systems, BB (NTSC/PAL) and HDTV trilevel sync signals can be generated simultaneously. Timing is set in intervals of frame, line, pixels or clock.

• ID Character Blinks

A 20-character ID display function is provided with selectable blink on/off times to verify live program channel. A natural picture pattern and logo can be superimposed with a compact flash memory card (containing user bit map data) installed to optional internal RAM.

Various Patterns Include Stress Testing

With the SDI module installed, monoscope, natural picture, and basic color patterns can be output. High-speed pattern switching while scrolling at selectable directions and rates stress tests systems for digital motion artifacts.

• Embedded Audio

Embedded audio in all SDI modules have capabilities to set separate channel level, frequency, click ID, or silence. Setting individual channel levels in 1 dB steps (0 to -60dBfs) allows confirmation of system channel parade order. Choosing from 30 discrete frequencies allows confirmation of Lfe encode/decoders.

Digital Black Outputs

All digital black outputs for SDB and HDB modules can set the raster to 0%/40%/50% flat field, embedded audio has same capabilities as SDI outputs plus separately timeable in frame, line, pixel or clock intervals.

· User-friendly Operability

Leader's traditional design and operability concepts are reflected in this instrument. User-friendly operation includes significantly reduced power-on initialization time required in a highperformance instrument.

Main Frame SPECIFICATIONS

Modules

Number of slots: 4 Identifier function: Modules are automatically recognized. (Plug-Play)

LCD Display

Display Characteristics: 20 letters x 2 lines (Back-light installed)

Internal Clock

Internal reference frequency: 27 MHz

Memory card slot

Flash card: Compact flash *1

(CFA type-1)

Function: Load logo (feature support) and natural picture data *2

External Interface

Ethernet:

10/100Base-T, Transmission active status and Remote Control USB *3
USB 1.1 accommodation

USB 1.1 accommodation (feature support)

- *1 Card is not included as accessory
- *2 Natural picture is available as OP70
- *3 This function will be supported.

General Specifications Operating

Temperature Range: 0°to 40° Humidity Range: ≤90 %RH (without condensation)

Power Requirements

AC 90 - 250V 50/60Hz

Power Consumption

75W max. *4

Dimensions

426 (W) x 44 (H) x 560 (D) mm 16 3/4 (W) x 1 3/4 (H) x 22 (D) in.

Weight

7 kg *⁴ 15.4 lbs. *⁴

*4 When four plug-in units (i.e., LT443D-HD, LT443D-SD, LT443D-BL, LT443D-GL) are installed.

LT443D-HD HD-SDI



The LT443D-HD (HD-SDI Module) can generate 14 formats HD-SDI when used with the mainframe. Available functions include, Logo and ID Character display, embedded audio, simple motion of sixteen test patterns or natural picture. Natural picture display is available as Option70.

SPECIFICATIONS

Output

HD-SDI Video output: 1-system 2-outputs

Standards Supported

SMPTE 240M, SMPTE 274M, SMPTE 296M

SDI Outputs

Bit rate: 1.485, 1.485/1.001 Gbps

Amplitude: 800 mVp-p ± 10%

Overshoot: ≤10 %

Rise / fall time: ≤270 ps (20 % to 80 %)

DC offset: 0 V ± 0.5 V

Output Impedance: 75 Ω

Return loss: ≥15 dB (5 MHz to 742.5 MHz) ≥10 dB (742.5 MHz to 1.485 GHz)

Functions

Video Formats: 1035/60i, 1035/59.94i, 1080/60i, 1080/59.94i, 1080/50i, 1080/30p, 1080/29.97p, 1080/25p, 1080/24p, 1080/23.98p, 1080/24(PsF), 1080/23.98(PsF), 720/60p, 720/59.94p

Test Patterns

Color Bar 100/75 %, Multiformat Color bar, Flat Field 100/50 %, Line Sweep 100 %,

Multiburst 100 %, Bowtie* 100 %

Ramp, Shallow Ramp, 10 Step

Pulse & Bar, Check Field

Red Raster 100 %, Cross & Dot,

Monoscope, Natural Picture*1

*As per Tektronix

*1 Option 70

Timing Adjustment

Any position within frame

Simple Motion Picture

Set speed and direction (H, V)

ID Character

Number of Characters: 20 max.

Embedded Audio

8 Ch (4 Ch x 2 Group)

Sampling: 48 kHz, 20/24-bit

Set frequency and level for each channel

Audio click function

Adjustable frequency, level

Sync with Video signal

Selectable non-frame number or with number

Selectable emphasis (flag only)

Frequency: 50 Hz to 20 kHz Level: -60 to 0 dBFS (1dB step) or Silence.

🔳 LT443D-SD SD-SDI



The LT443D-SD (SD-SDI Module) can generate 525/625 line format for 4:2:2 component signal SDI outputs with the mainframe. Logo & ID Character display function, simple motion of test patterns or picture can be displayed, embedded audio & natural picture display (Option70).

SPECIFICATIONS

Output

SD-SDI Video output : 1-system 2-outputs

Standards Supported

SMPTE 125M, SMPTE 259M, ITU-R BT 601, ITU-R BT 656

SDI Outputs

Bit rate: 270 Mbps

Amplitude: 800 mVp-p ±10%

Overshoot: ≤10%

Rise / fall time: 0.4 to 1.5 ns (from 20% to 80%)

DC offset: 0V ±0.5 V

Output Impedance: 75 Ω

Return loss: ≥15 dB (5 MHz to 270 MHz)

Functions

Video Formats: 525/59.94 - 270MHz, 625/50 - 270MHz

Test Patterns

Color Bar 100/75%, EBU Color Bar, BBC Color Bar, SMPTE Color Bar, Ramp & Color Bar: 525/625, Flat Field 100/50/0 %, Field ID, Cross Hatch, Line Sweep 100/60%, Multi Burst 100/60%, Over Size Ramp, Digital Limit Ramp, Shallow

Ramp, 10 Step,

Check Field: SMPTE RP-178 Monoscope: Normal, Invert

Bowtie 100%

Pulse & Bar

Red Raster

Multi Pulse

Natural Picture*1

Timing Adjustment

Any position within frame

(V: line, 27 MHz per clock)

Simple Motion Picture

Set speed (field, frame) and direction (H, V)

(Video only)

V: 0 to 256 lines, 2 line steps.

H: 0 to 256 dots, 4 dot steps.

ID Character (Video)

Number of Characters: 20 max.

Embedded Audio

8 Ch (4 Ch x 2 Group)

Sampling 48 kHz at 20/24-bit

Adjustable frequency, level for each channel

Audio click function: 1, 2, 3, 4 sec, none.

Sync with Video signal

Selectable non-frame number or with number

Frequency: 50 Hz to 20 kHz

Level: -60 to 0 dBFS (1dB step) Silence.

Selectable emphasis (flag only)

*1 Available in case of mainframe with natural picture option. (LT443D-70)

LT443D-HDB



This generator has all of the features and functions of the LT443D-HD high definition multiformat generator plus two standard HD digital black outputs.

LT443D-SDB



This generator has all of the features and functions of the LT443D-SD standard definition multiformat generator plus two standard SD digital black outputs.

🖿 LT443D-GLA GENLOCK

LT443D-BL ANALOG BLACK



The LT443D-GLA Genlock Module has an external reference loop through and a 3-system independent black signal generator. External analog reference inputs can be NTSC/PAL black burst, 14 formats of HDTV tri-level sync or 525p/625p sync. It can also accept black burst with a 10 field ID as per SMPTE 318M. Output sync signals can be generated in 3-systems, as above, with independent timing. Both genlock and black sync timing have a 5 frame settable range for NTSC/PAL black burst and HDTV analog tri-level sync signal inputs.

The LT443D-BL Analog Black Module can generate 14 formats of HDTV analog tri-level sync, 525p/625p analog sync and NTSC/ PAL black burst signals. It consists of 3-independent systems, each with 2-outputs, to provide simultaneous multiformat black sync signals. Each system can be assigned an output format capable of independent output timing. Also, it accepts a black signal with a 10 field ID conforming to SMPTE 318M. In adjusting timing, the settable range is a frame referenced to a 54 MHz clock for 525p/625p analog sync signal and NTSC/PAL black burst signal, and a frame by 74.25 MHz or 74.25 MHz clock for HDTV analog tri-level sync signal inputs.

SPECIFICATIONS

Genlock

Loop-through Input: BNC 75 Ω

Return loss: ≥30 dB (≥0.3 MHz, ≤30 MHz)

Reference Signal Input

Tri-level sync for HDTV: SMPTE 240M/274M/296M 525p/625p analog sync: SMPTE 293M/ITU-R BT 1358 NTSC black burst: EBU N14/SMPTE RP 154/170M/318M

PAL black burst: ITU-R BT 470-6

Reference Input Level

HDTV: Positive 300 mV, Negative -300 mV 525p/625p: -300 mV, NTSC: -286 mV, PAL: -300 mV

External Lock Range: ±10 ppm

Jitter: \leq 0.5 degree (burst lock), \leq 1 ns with (sync lock)

Mode Switch

INT/EXT: select to AUTO or MANUAL

AUTO: EXT when sync reference is detected INT when sync reference is absent MANUAL: Mode is switched by INT/EXT menu

(INT mode for absent reference)

Genlock

H-PHASE (Fine): Throughout range of H-PHASE (coarse)

H-PHASE (Coarse): ±1/2 line with respect to input signal.

Resolution: 0.0741µs step

V-PHASE: ±1 field with respect to input signal in 1 line steps.

(±1/2 frame in case of progressive)

F-PHASE: \pm 5 frame with respect to input signal in 1 frame steps. NTSC BB input, has same timing as line 1 NTSC and line 4 HDTV

Analog Sync Signal Output

Black1/Black2/Black3

Standards

Tri-level sync for HDTV: SMPTE 240M/274M/296M, 525p/625p

Analog sync signal: SMPTE 293M/ITU-R BT 1358,

NTSC black burst signal: EBU N14/SMPTE RP 154/170M/318M

PAL black burst signal: ITU-R BT 470-6

Sync Level (75Ω)

HDTV: Pos. 300 mV ±6 mV; Neg. -300 mV ±6 mV 525p: -300 mV ±6 mV, 625p: -300 mV ±6 mV NTSC: 40 IRE ±1 IRE; PAL: -300 mV ±6 mV

Blanking Level: 0 mV ±15 mV

Horizontal Sync Width

1125 line format: Positive: 593 ns ±40 ns Negative: 593 ns ±40 ns 750 line format: Positive: 539 ns ±40 ns Negative: 539 ns ±40 ns

525p: 2.35 μ s ± 0.05 μ s; 625p: 2.35 μ s ± 0.1 μ s

NTSC/PAL: 4.7 µs ±0.1 µs (NTSC/PAL)

Vertical Sync Time: 5H (HDTV) / 6H (525p) / 5H (625p) / 3H (NTSC) / 2.5H (PAL)

Output Impedance: 75 Ω, 1-BNC

Return Loss: ≥30 dB (≥0.3 MHz, ≤39 MHz)

Timing Variable Range

H-PHASE: ±1/2 line Resolution: 0.0741 µs V-PHASE: ±1 frame Resolution: 1 line F-PHASE: ±5 frame Resolution: 1 frame

SPECIFICATIONS

Black 1,2/ Black 3,4/ Black 5,6 Outputs

Tri-level Sync For HDTV:

(SMPTE 240M/274M/296M)

525p/625p Analog Sync Signal:

(SMPTE 293M/ITU-R BT 1358) NTSC black burst signal:

(SMPTE 170M/318M/RP 154)

PAL black burst signal: (ITU-R BT 470-6)

Sync Level (75 Ω)

HDTV: Pos. 300 mV ±6 mV, Neg. -300 mV ±6 mV

525p: -300 mV ±6 mV 625p: -300 mV ±6 mV NTSC: 40 IRE ±1 IRE PAL: -300 mV ± 6 mV

Blanking Level: 0 mV ±15 mV Rise, Fall Time

HDTV: 54 ns ±20 ns 525p: 70 ns ±10 ns 625p: 100 ns ±10 ns NTSC: 140 ns ±10 ns

PAL: 200 ns ±10 ns Horizontal Sync Width

1125 line format

Positive: 593 ns ±40 ns Negative: 593 ns ±40 ns

750 line format

Positive: 539 ns ±40 ns Negative: 539 ns ±40 ns 525p: 2.35 µs ±0.05 µs 625p: 2.35 µs ±0.1 µs

NTSC/PAL: 4.7 µs ±0.1 µs (NTSC/PAL)

Vertical Sync Time: 5H (HDTV) / 6H (525p) /

5H (625p) /3H (NTSC) / 2.5H (PAL)

Output Impedance: 75Ω

Return Loss: ≥ 30 dB (≥ 0.3 MHz, ≤ 39 MHz)

Output Connector: 2-BNC (Black 1,2/Black 3,4/Black 5,6)

Timing Variable Range

H-PHASE: ±1 line -1 dot

Resolution: 1 dot

(54 MHz, 74.25 MHz or 74.25/1.001 MHz)

V-PHASE: ±1 frame -1 line

Resolution: 1 line

F-PHASE: ±5 frame (dependant on format)

Resolution: 1 frame

LT443D-AA ANALOG AUDIO MODULE



The LT443D-AA Analog Audio Module fits into the LT443D main frame and generates analog audio test tones. Two 600 Ohm balanced outputs are provided (each on an XLR-3P connector.) Output level and frequency can be independently set for each output. Audio level can be swung from -40 to 4dBm and it is settable in 1dBm steps. Test tones can be set from 50 Hz to 20KHz (30 fixed steps) and silence.

SPECIFICATIONS

Output	
Number of Outputs	2
Output Impedance	600 Ω, balanced
Output Amplitude	0.775 Vrms (into 600Ω at 0 dBm)
Output Amplitude Accuracy	±0.5 dB (at 1 kHz)
Output Amplitude Flatness	±0.5 dB (1 kHz ref.)
Output Connector	XLR-3P x 2
Function	
Sampling Frequency	48 kHz (Sync to video signal)
Frequency	50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 400, 500, 600, 750, 800, 1.0 k, 1.2 k, 1.5 k, 1.6 k, 2.0 k, 2.4 k, 3.0 k, 3.2 k, 4.0 k, 4.8 k, 5.0 k, 6.0 k, 8.0 k, 9.6 k, 10 k, 12 k, 15 k, 16 k, 20 kHz, silence
Level	-40 to 4 dBm (settable in 1 dBm steps)

LT443D-CS ANALOG COMPOSITE MODULE



The LT443D-CS Analog Composite Module adds the NTSC/PAL analog composite signal output. Various functions (e.g., ID character, simple motion pictures, natural picture pattern *1)

*1; The Option LT443D-70 is installed in the mainframe.

SPECIFICATIONS

Output	
Test Signal Output	
Number of Outputs	2
Format	NTSC, NTSC+ID, NTSC+ REFERENCE, NTSC+ID+REFERENCE, PAL, PAL+ID, PAL+REFERENCE, PAL+ID+REFERENCE
Pattern	COLOR BAR, FLAT FIELD, CROSSHATCH, LINE SWEEP, others
Timing Variable	H-PHASE, V-PHASE, F-PHASE

🛘 LT443D-DA DIGITAL AUDIO MODULE



The LT443D-DA Digital Audio Module fits into the LT443D main frame and generates digital audio test signals. 4 pairs of AES/EBU audio signals are provided for a total of 8 channels; each pair is output onto a 75 Ohm BNC. Output level, frequency and audio click can be independently set for each output. Digital audio level can be swung from -60 to 0 dBFS and it is settable in 1dB steps. Test tones can be set from 50Hz to 20KHz (30 fixed steps) and silence. Sampling frequency is fixed at 48KHz and it is synced to the video signal from the LT443D; audio to video timing can be varied. 20 and 24 bit resolutions are supported.

The module also provides a word clock output, as well, a separate output (1 BNC, 2 channels) of silence signal (DARS grade 2) is also provided.

SPECIFICATIONS

Output		
Output		
AES/EBU Digital Audio Output		
Number of Outputs:	4 (2-channel outputs)	
Output Impedance:	75Ω, unbalanced	
Output Amplitude:	1 Vp-p ±0.1 V (into 75Ω)	
Output Connector: BNC		
Silence Signal (DARS grade 2) Output		
Number of Outputs:	1 (2-channel outputs)	
Output Impedance:	75Ω, unbalanced	
Output Amplitude:	1 Vp-p ±0.1 V (into 75Ω)	
Output Connector:	BNC	
48 kHz Word Clock		
Number of Outputs:	1	
Output Impedance:	75Ω, unbalanced (1 Vp-p output)	
Output Amplitude:	1 Vp-p ±0.1 V (into 75 Ω), 5 V CMOS,	
	selectable	
Output Connector:	BNC	
Signal Specifications		
Specifications	ANSI S4.40 (AES3-1992), AES11-1997	
	SMPTE 276M, AES-3id-2001	
Function		
Sampling Frequency	48 kHz (sync to video signal)	
Resolution	20 bits, 24 bits, selectable	
Preemphasis	OFF, 50/15 µs, CCITT, selectable(CS bit	
-	can only be selected.)	
Frequency	50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 400, 500,	
	600, 750, 800,1.0 k, 1.2 k, 1.5 k, 1.6 k, 2.0	
	k, 2.4 k, 3.0 k, 3.2 k, 4.0 k, 4.8 k, 5.0 k,6.0	
	k, 8.0 k, 9.6 k, 10 k, 12 k, 15 k, 16 k, 20	
	kHz, silence	
Level	-60 to 0 dBFS (settable in 1 dB steps)	
Audio Click	1, 2, 3, 4 sec, none	
Output ON/OFF	Selectable	
Timing	Variable Range: ±1 AES/EBU frame	
3	Settable in 512 fs (24.576 MHz) steps	
	* The timing can be varied with respect to the	
	Video Unit installed in the LT443D mainframe.	
	The settings are common to the digital audio, silence and word clock signals.	
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^{*} Frequency, level, and audio click can be set to each channel. Other items (except timing) can be respectively set to the 2-channel outputs.