

# R&S®HMF2525

# R&S®HMF2550

## Arbitrary Function Generator

## Technical Data



### Key facts

- Frequency range: 10  $\mu$ Hz to 25 MHz [50 MHz]
- Triangle and ramp signal up to 10 MHz
- Pulse: frequency range from 100  $\mu$ Hz to 12.5 MHz [25 MHz]
- Output voltage: 5mV<sub>PP</sub> to 10V<sub>PP</sub> (into 50  $\Omega$  load)
- DC offset:  $\pm$  5mV to 5V
- Output impedance steplessly adaptable (1  $\Omega$  to 10 k $\Omega$ )
- Total harmonic distortion: 0.04% ( $f < 100$  kHz)
- Waveform modes: sine, square, pulse, triangle, ramp and arbitrary waveforms (incl. standard curves: white noise, pink noise, cardiac, exponential rise and fall, etc.)
- Modulation modes: AM, FM, pulse, PWM, FSK (internal and external)
- Arbitrary waveform generator: 250 MSa/s, 14 bit, 256 kSa
- Easily create your own waveforms using standard PC software
- Oscillographic signal display
- Front USB to easily save and recall waveforms and settings, RS-232/USB dual interface for remote control
- BNC connectors: modulation input, sweep output, trigger (input, output), 10 MHz reference (input, output,  $\pm 1$  ppm TCXO)
- Fanless design

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## R&S® Arbitrary Function Generator

**R&SHMF2525: 25MHz**

**R&SHMF2550: 50MHz**

from firmware version 2.145

### Device Characteristics

All specifications valid into  $50\Omega$  load

#### Models

R&S®HMF2525	1 channel, frequency range to 25 MHz
R&S®HMF2550	1 channel, frequency range to 50 MHz

#### Waveforms

standard	sine, square, pulse, ramp, triangle
arbitrary waveforms	up to 256 kSa
predefined waveforms	sine, square (50%), ramp (positive/negative), triangle (50%), noise (white/pink), cardinal sine, exponential (rise/fall)
Operation modes	continuous, modulate, sweep, burst
Modulation types	AM, FM, PM, FSK, PWM
Temperature stability	$1 \times 10^{-6}$ (+18°C to +28°C)
Aging (after one year)	$\pm 1 \times 10^{-6}$ (+25°C)

### Waveform Characteristics

#### Sine

Frequency range	
R&S®HMF2525	10 µHz to 25 MHz
R&S®HMF2550	10 µHz to 50 MHz

#### Amplitude flatness

up to 10 MHz	$\pm 0.15\text{dB}$
10 MHz to 25 MHz	$\pm 0.2\text{dB}$
above 25 MHz	$\pm 0.4\text{dB}$

#### Harmonic distortion

up to 100 kHz	< -70 dBc
100 kHz to 10 MHz	< -55 dBc
10 MHz to 25 MHz	< -40 dBc
above 25 MHz	< -37 dBc

#### Total harmonic distortion (THD) up to 100 kHz

0.04% (typ.)

#### Non-harmonic spurious

up to 1 MHz	< -70 dBc
above 1 MHz	< -70 dBc, increasing +6 dB / decade

#### Phase noise (SSB)

10 kHz Offset 115 dBc / Hz (typ.)

#### Square

Frequency range	
R&S®HMF2525	10 µHz to 25 MHz
R&S®HMF2550	10 µHz to 50 MHz

#### Rise and fall times

8ns, fixed

#### Overshoot

< 3% (typ.)

#### Symmetry

duty cycle: 50%  
accuracy:  $\pm 1\% + 5\text{ns}$

Jitter < 1 ns<sub>rms</sub> (typ.)

#### Pulse

##### Frequency range

R&S®HMF2525 100 µHz to 12.5 MHz

R&S®HMF2550 100 µHz to 25 MHz

##### Rise and fall times

8 ns to 500 ns, variable

##### Overshoot

< 3% (typ.)

##### Duty cycle

0.01% to 99.99%

##### Pulse width

min. 15 ns, resolution 5 ns

##### Jitter

< 500 ps<sub>rms</sub> (typ.)

#### Ramp and Triangle

##### Frequency range

R&S®HMF2525 10 µHz to 5 MHz

R&S®HMF2550 10 µHz to 10 MHz

##### Ramp symmetry

0% to 100%, resolution 0.1%

(0% = negative ramp,

100% = positive ramp, 50% = triangle)

##### Linearity

up to 250 kHz

< 0.1% (typ.)

above 250 kHz

< 2% (typ.)

#### Arbitrary

##### Frequency range

R&S®HMF2525 100 µHz to 12.5 MHz

R&S®HMF2550 100 µHz to 25 MHz

##### Waveform length

up to 256 kSa

##### Sample rate

250 MSa/s

##### Amplitude resolution

14 bits

##### Internal non-volatile memory

up to 4 MB

#### Output Characteristics

##### Waveform output

BNC socket (front panel)

##### Output impedance

50 Ω

##### Signal output

on, off, inverted

##### Overload protection

short-circuit-proof, max.  $\pm 15\text{V}$  of external voltage

#### Amplitude

##### Range

5 mV<sub>pp</sub> to 10 V<sub>pp</sub> (into 50 Ω)

10 mV<sub>pp</sub> to 20 V<sub>pp</sub> (open circuit)

##### Resolution

1 mV

##### Units

V<sub>pp</sub> or dBm, selectable

##### Accuracy

$\pm 1\%$  of setting  $\pm 1\text{mV}_{\text{pp}}$  at 1 kHz

#### DC Offset

##### Range

$\pm 5\text{mV}$  to 5 V (into 50 Ω)

$\pm 10\text{mV}$  to 10 V (open circuit)

##### Resolution

1 mV (into 50 Ω)

##### Units

V

##### Accuracy

$\pm 2\%$  of offset setting  $\pm 0.5\%$  of amplitude setting  $\pm 2\text{mV} \pm 1\text{mV} / \text{MHz}$

#### Burst

##### Waveform signals

all (except pulse)

##### Type

continuous, counted, gated

##### Count

1 to 50,000 cycles, infinite

##### Start/Stop phase

0° to 360° (sine only)

##### Trigger sources

manual, internal or external trigger, via interface

##### Internal trigger period

1 µs to 500 s

#### Sweep

##### Waveform signals

all (except pulse)

##### Type

linear, logarithmic

##### Direction

up ( $f_{\text{start}} < f_{\text{stop}}$ )

down ( $f_{\text{start}} > f_{\text{stop}}$ )

##### Sweep time

1 ms to 500 s, resolution 1 ms

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Trigger sources	immediate (continuous), internal, external (positive or negative slope)	Frequency	10 MHz (norm.)			
Marker	adjustable to any frequency between $f_{\text{start}}$ and $f_{\text{stop}}$	Level	1.65 V <sub>PP</sub> (into 50 Ω)			
<b>Modulation</b>						
Modulation types	AM, FM, PM, FSK, PWM					
Waveform carrier	all (except pulse)					
Internal modulation (waveform)	sine, square (50%), ramp (pos., neg.), triangle (50%), noise (white, pink), cardinal sine, exponential (rise, fall), arbitrary up to 4,096 points					
Internal modulation frequency	10 µHz to 50 kHz					
External modulation bandwidth (-3dB)	DC to 50 kHz (250 kSa/s sampling rate)					
<b>Amplitude modulation (AM)</b>						
Depth	0% to 100%					
Source	internal (basic waveforms, arbitrary), external					
<b>Frequency modulation (FM)</b>						
Deviation	10 µHz to 10 MHz					
Source	internal (basic waveforms, arbitrary), external					
<b>Phase modulation (PM)</b>						
Deviation	-180° to +180°					
Source	internal (basic waveforms, arbitrary), external					
<b>Frequency shift key modulation (FSK)</b>						
Duty cycle	0% to 100%					
Rate	0 Hz to 250 kHz					
Hop	any frequency within the carrier signal's range					
Source	internal (basic waveforms, arbitrary), external					
<b>Pulse width modulation (PWM)</b>						
Deviation	0% to 49.99% of pulse width					
Source	internal (basic waveforms, arbitrary), external					
<b>Connectors</b>						
<b>External trigger / gate</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (front panel)					
Impedance	5 kΩ    100 pF					
Polarity	positive, negative slope					
Level	TTL, protected up to ±30 V					
Pulse width	min. 100 ns					
<b>Trigger output</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (front panel)					
Impedance	50 Ω					
Level	TTL, positive slope					
Frequency	max. 10 MHz					
<b>Modulation input</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (rear panel)					
Impedance	10 kΩ					
Voltage level	max. ±5 V full-scale					
Bandwidth (-3 dB)	DC to 50 kHz (250 kSa/s sampling rate)					
<b>Frequency reference input</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (rear panel)					
Impedance	1 kΩ					
Frequency range	10 MHz ±100 kHz					
Level	TTL					
<b>Frequency reference output</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (rear panel)					
Impedance	50 Ω					
<b>Sweep output</b>						
Connector	BNC socket (rear panel)					
Impedance	200 Ω					
Level	0 V to 5 V ramp synchronous with frequency sweeps					
<b>Interfaces</b>						
for mass storage	1x USB-host (type A), FAT16/32					
for remote control	R&S®HO720 dual interface: RS-232 / USB-device (type B)					
Optional interfaces	R&S®HO732 dual interface: Ethernet (RJ45) / USB-device (type B) R&S®HO740 interface: IEEE-488 (GPIB)					
Save and recall	on internal file system (up to 4 MB) or external USB memory (max. 4 GB)					
<b>General Characteristics</b>						
Display	8.9 cm (3.5") QVGA color TFT					
screen size / type	320 x 240					
resolution	LED					
backlight	date and time					
Real-time clock (RTC)						
Power supply	AC supply					
AC supply	105 V to 253 V, 50 Hz to 60 Hz, CAT II					
power consumption	30 W (typ.)					
Safety	safety class I (EN61010-1)					
Temperature	operating temperature range +5°C to +40°C					
storage temperature range	-20°C to +70°C					
Rel. humidity	5% to 80% (without condensation)					
Mechanical data	dimensions (W x H x D) 285 x 75 x 365 mm					
dimensions (W x H x D)	weight 3.6 kg					
All specifications at 23°C after 30 minutes warm-up						

#### Accessories supplied:

Line cord, Operating manual, Software

#### Recommended accessories:

- R&S®HO732 Dual-Interface Ethernet/USB
- R&S®HO740 Interface IEEE-488 (GPIB), galvanically isolated
- R&S®HZ20 Adapter, BNC to 4mm banana
- R&S®HZ24 Attenuators 50 Ω (3/6/10/20 dB)
- R&S®HZ42 19" Rackmount kit 2RU
- R&S®HZ72 IEEE-488 (GPIB) Cable 2m

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