

GPIB

494/494P



The 494P complies with IEEE Standard 488-1978, and with Tektronix Standard Codes and Formats.

Built-in Frequency Counter to 325 GHz

HELP Manual in ROM

Nonvolatile Memory Storage

Keypad Data Entry

Direct Plot Capability

Alternate Language Options

GPIB/Fully Programmable (494P)

Full Three Year Warranty

The TEK 494 and fully programmable 494P offer portability, ease of use, and the widest amplitude calibrated frequency range of any spectrum analyzers available—10 kHz to 21 GHz in coax, and 18 GHz to 325 GHz using one or more of ten WM 490 Series waveguide mixers.

Counter Center Frequency Accuracy, Zero Long-Term Drift, Superior Range and Resolution in a Compact, Portable Package

A 4 GHz signal can be measured to within 41 Hz with 1 Hz readout resolution 30 minutes after turn on. And the 494's zero drift will ensure long term measurement repeatability on that frequency.

You get 30 Hz resolution bandwidth to 60 GHz, 100 Hz resolution bandwidth to 220 GHz and 1 kHz bandwidth to 325 GHz with excellent sensitivity and low phase noise. Popular features common to other 490 Series spectrum analyzers are standard on the 494, including digital storage, manual to programmable convertibility, and environmentalization per MIL-T-28800C, Type III, Class 3, Style C.

An exclusive pushbutton *HELP mode* makes the 494 accessible to operators of widely varying skills and experience. At the touch of a button or twist of a knob the 494 tells you what to expect from nearly every control—in plain English. Plus optional French, German, or Spanish. Pull-out reference cards supply an additional level of detail. Having answers available at your fingertips minimizes training time and reduces complexity.

Center Frequency, Span/Division, Amplitude Scaling and Reference Level Selected Either by μ P-Aided Three Knob Operation or Direct Pushbutton Entry

In pushbutton mode, variables can be set to nonstandard values, i.e., 7 dB/div vertical mode or 9.2 kHz/div frequency span.

Nonvolatile memory retains up to ten set-ups and nine displays—for rapid measurements and easy data comparison. One memory location stores on-screen settings to quickly bring the analyzer back if power is turned off.

The fully programmable 494P provides easy-to-implement automated measurements. The 494P is straightforward to interface to our GPIB controllers... or yours. If you want to free your controller but still get graphics output, a convenient front panel *PLOT* button will send display data to a plotter.

Now increase your ATE capabilities with the TekSPANS general RF applications software in IBM PC, HP or Tek controller versions. Automate your EMI verification testing with the NEWTekSPANS EMI software. See page 173.

In strong testimony of the incomparable reliability of the 494 and 494P, Tek offers the first spectrum analyzer three year warranty. Beyond the first three years of warranty coverage, Tek will extend your service coverage for two years, providing all your calibration and maintenance needs for the first five years.

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The following characteristics and features apply after a 30-minute warm-up period unless otherwise noted.

FREQUENCY RELATED

Center Frequency Range — 10 kHz to 21 GHz standard; amplitude specified coverage to 325 GHz with optional Tektronix WM 490 Series Waveguide Mixers.

Center Frequency Accuracy — Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div >200 kHz and bands 2-4 with span/div > 100 kHz.

$\pm[(20\% \text{ of span/div or res BW, whichever is greater}) + (\text{CF} \times \text{Ref Freq Error}) + (\text{N} \times 15 \text{ kHz})]$. Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div ≤ 200 kHz and Bands 2-4 with span/div ≤ 100 kHz.

$\pm[(20\% \text{ of span/div or res BW, whichever is greater}) + (\text{CF} \times \text{Ref Freq Error}) + (2\text{N} + 25 \text{ Hz})]$.

Center Frequency Readout Resolution — At least 10% of span/div.

Signal Counter Accuracy — $\pm[(\text{Counter Frequency} \times \text{Ref Freq Error}) + (10 + 2\text{N}) \text{ Hz} + 1 \text{ LSD}]$.

Counter Sensitivity — Center Screen S/N ≥ 20 dB.

Counter Frequency Readout Resolution — 1 Hz through 1 GHz.

Reference Frequency Error (Aging Rate) — 1×10^{-9} /day, 1×10^{-7} /year.

Frequency Span/Division Range — 50 Hz/div to 500 MHz/div in coaxial bands (10 kHz through 21 GHz) and 50 Hz/div to 10 GHz/div in waveguide bands (18 GHz through 325 GHz), plus zero span and maximum span. Any span to two significant digits (within 50 Hz and up to 10 GHz) can also be selected with the Data Entry Keyboard.

Frequency Span/Division Accuracy — Within 5% of the selected span/div over the center eight divisions of the ten division CRT display.

Resolution Bandwidth (6 dB) — 30 Hz then 100 Hz to 1 MHz in decade steps plus auto. Accuracy: Within 20%.

Resolution Shape Factor (60 dB/6 dB) — 7.5:1 or less, 100 Hz through 1 MHz and 15:1 or less for 30 Hz.

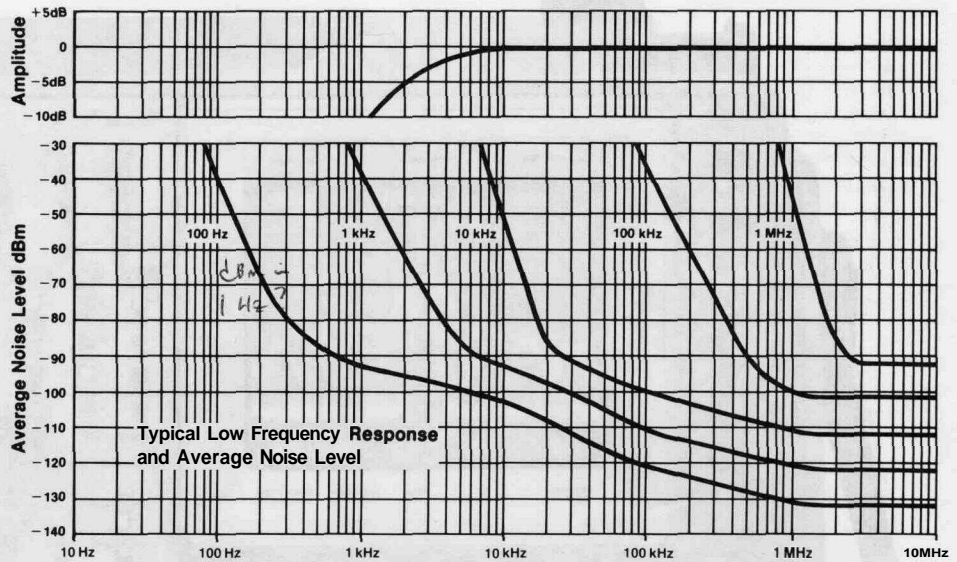
Residual FM (After One Hour Warm-Up) — Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div >200 kHz, and bands 2-4 with span/div >100 kHz: $\leq (7 \text{ kHz}) \text{ N}$ total excursion in 20 ms.

Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div ≤ 200 kHz, and bands 2-4 with span/div ≤ 100 kHz: $\leq (10 + 2\text{N}) \text{ Hz}$ total excursion in 20 ms.

Long Term Drift (at Constant Temperature and Fixed Center Frequency and After One-Hour Warm-Up) — Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div >200 kHz, and bands 2-4 with span/div > 100 kHz: $\leq (5 \text{ kHz}) \text{ N}$ per minute of sweep time.

Bands 1 and 5-12 with span/div ≤ 200 kHz, and Bands 2-4 with span/div ≤ 100 kHz: $\leq 50 \text{ Hz}$ per minute of sweep time.

Noise Sidebands — At least -75 dBc at 30 times the resolution bandwidth offset from the center frequency (-70 dBc for 100 Hz resolution bandwidth or less).



SENSITIVITY AND FREQUENCY RESPONSE

Frequency Range	LO Harmonic Number	Ave Noise Level for 1 kHz Res BW	Minimum Frequency Counter Sensitivity Minimum Res BW	Freq Response Referenced to 100 MHz With 10 dB Attn	Freq Response About the Mid-Point Between Two Extremes
10 kHz-1.8 GHz	1	-110 dBm	-101 dBm	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.0 \text{ dB}$
50 kHz-1.8 GHz	1	-110 dBm	-101 dBm	$\pm 2.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 1.5 \text{ dB}$
1.7 GHz-5.5 GHz	1	-110 dBm	-101 dBm	$\pm 3.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.5 \text{ dB}$
3.0 GHz-7.1 GHz	1	-110 dBm	-101 dBm	$\pm 3.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.5 \text{ dB}$
5.4 GHz-18.0 GHz	3	-95 dBm	-86 dBm	$\pm 4.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.5 \text{ dB}$
5.4 GHz-12 GHz		-90 dBm	-81 dBm		
12 GHz-18 GHz					
15.0 GHz-21.0 GHz	3	-85 dBm	-76 dBm	$\pm 6.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 5.0 \text{ dB}$

WITH TEKTRONIX OPTIONAL HIGH PERFORMANCE WM 490 SERIES WAVEGUIDE MIXERS

Frequency Range	LO Harmonic Number	Ave Noise Level for 1 kHz Res BW	Minimum Frequency Counter Sensitivity Minimum Res BW	Freq Response Referenced to 100 MHz With 10 dB Attn	Freq Response About the Mid-Point Between Two Extremes
18.0 GHz-26.5 GHz WM 490K	6	-100 dBm	-91 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.0 \text{ dB}$
26.5 GHz-40 GHz WM 490A	10	-95 dBm	-86 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.0 \text{ dB}$
33 GHz-50 GHz WM 490Q	10	-95 dBm	-86 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.0 \text{ dB}$
40 GHz-60 GHz WM 490U	10	-95 dBm	-86 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 2.5 \text{ dB}$
50 GHz-75 GHz* WM 490V	15	-95 dBm @ 50 GHz -90 dBm @ 75 GHz	-86 dBm -81 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
60 GHz-90 GHz* WM 490E	15	-95 dBm @ 60 GHz -85 dBm @ 90 GHz	-89 dBm -79 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
75 GHz-110 GHz* WM 490W	23	-90 dBm @ 75 GHz -80 dBm @ 110 GHz	-84 dBm -74 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
90 GHz-140 GHz* WM 490F	23	-85 dBm @ 90 GHz -75 dBm @ 140 GHz	-79 dBm -69 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
110 GHz-170 GHz* WM 490D	37	-80 dBm @ 110 GHz -70 dBm @ 170 GHz	-74 dBm -64 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
140 GHz-220 GHz* WM 490G	37	-75 dBm @ 140 GHz -65 dBm @ 220 GHz	-69 dBm -59 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$
220 GHz-325 GHz* 119-1728-00	56	-65 dBm @ 220 GHz -50 dBm @ 325 GHz	-50 dBm -35 dBm	$\pm 6.0 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 3.0 \text{ dB}$

* Typical values and with frequency response indicated over any 5 GHz range.

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AMPLITUDE RELATED

Reference Level Range (Full Screen, Top of Graticule) — -117 dBm to +40 dBm (+40 dBm includes maximum safe input of +30 dBm and 10 dB gain of IF gain reduction) for 10 dB/div and 2 dB/div log modes. 1 W maximum safe input in the linear mode.

Reference Level Accuracy — Accuracy is a function of the characteristics listed below.

Calibrator: (Cal out) See output signal characteristics on page 158.

Input Attenuator Accuracy: DC to 1.8GHz: 0.5 dB/10 dB, 1 dB max accumulative. 1.8GHz to 18 GHz: 1.5 dB/10 dB, 3 dB max accumulative. 18 GHz to 21 GHz: 3.0 dB/10 dB, 6 dB max accumulative.

Frequency Response: See Frequency Response Table on page 164.

Display Amplitude Accuracy, Resolution Bandwidth Gain Variation and IF Gain Variation — Same as 495 (see page 158).

SPURIOUS RESPONSES

Residual (No Input Signal Referenced to Mixer Input) — -100 dBm or less. Fundamental mixing Bands 1-3.

Harmonic Distortion (CW Signal Minimum Distortion Mode) — Typically -60 dBc for -40 dBm signal in the minimum distortion mode to 21 GHz. At least -100 dBc for preselected bands 1.7 GHz to 21 GHz.

Third-Order Intermodulation Distortion (Minimum Distortion Mode) — At least 70 dB down from two full screen signals within any frequency span. At least 100 dB down for two signals spaced more than 100 MHz apart from 1.7 GHz to 21 GHz for preselected bands.

LO Emissions (No RF Attenuation) — -70 dBm maximum to 21 GHz.

INPUT SIGNAL

RF Input — Type N female connector.

Input Impedance — 50 Ω.

Maximum VSWR*1 With ≥ 10 dB Attenuation

Frequency Range	Typical	Specified Maximum
DC to 2.5 GHz	1.2:1	1.3:1
2.5 GHz to 6.0 GHz	1.5:1	1.7:1
6.0 GHz to 18 GHz	1.9:1	2.3:1
18 GHz to 21 GHz	2.7:1	3.5:1
50 kHz to 2.5 GHz	1.9:1	
2.5 GHz to 60 GHz	1.9:1	
6.0 GHz to 18.0 GHz	2.3:1	
18.0 GHz to 21.0 GHz	3.0:1	

*1 At Type N female connector to internal mixer.

Input Level (Optimum Mixer Level for Minimum Distortion Linear Operation) — -30 dBm (minimum distortion control setting); 1 dB gain compression — 23 dBm.

Optimum Mixer Level for Minimum Noise Display Dynamic Range Enhanced Operation — -20 dBm (minimum noise control setting); 1 dB gain compression — 18 dBm.

External Reference Frequency — 1 MHz, 2 MHz, 5 MHz or 10 MHz ±5 ppm (minimum). Waveshape: Sinewave, ECL, TTL duty cycle 40%-60%. Input Impedance: 50 Ω ac, 500 Ω dc. Power: -15 dBm to +15 dBm.

Maximum Safe Input Level (RF Attenuation at Zero dB) — +30 dBm (1 W) continuous, 75W peak for 1 μs or less pulse width and 0.001 maximum duty factor (attenuation limit). DC must never be applied to RF input.

OUTPUT SIGNAL

For details see page 158.

IEEE Standard 488-1978 Interface Function Subsets Implemented — (494P) Source Handshake: SH1. Acceptor Handshake: AH1. Talker: T5. Listener: L3. Service Request: SR1. Remote/Local: RL1. Parallel Poll: PP1. Device Clear: DC1. Device Trigger: DT1. Controller: CO.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

For details see page 159.

ENVIRONMENTAL

Per MIL-T-28800C Type III, Class 3, Style C. For Details, see page 159.

ORDERING INFORMATION

494 Spectrum Analyzer \$42,175
Includes: Diplexer assembly (015-0385-00); 6ft N to N connector 50 Ω coax cable (012-0114-00); N male to BNC female adaptor (103-0045-00); 18 in BNC to BNC connector, 50 Ω coax cable (012-0076-00); CRT mesh filter (378-0726-01); two 4 A fast blow fuse (159-0017-00); 115V power cord (161-0118-00); cord clamp (343-0170-00); CRT visor (016-0653-00); amber CRT light filter (378-0115-01); gray CRT light filter (378-0115-02); blue CRT light filter (378-0115-00); operator manual (070-441800); operator handbook (070-4419-00); service manual, volume 1 (070-441600); service manual, volume 2 (070-441700).

494P Programmable Spectrum Analyzer \$46,995
Includes: In addition to the above a 2 m double shielded GPIB cable (012-0630-03); programmer manual (070-441500).

OPTIONS (494/494P)

Option 08 — Delete External Mixer Capability. Deletes internal switching, front panel connector and external diplexer to connect and use external waveguide mixers. Limits frequency range to 10 kHz to 21 GHz (coaxial input). **-\$1,750**

Option 12 — Help Mode Text. CRT prompts selectable between German and English. Pull-out reference cards in German. (494) **+\$200** (494P) **+\$500**

Option 13 — Help Mode Text. CRT prompts selectable between French and English. Pull-out reference cards in French. (494) **+\$200** (494P) **+\$500**

Option 14 — Help Mode Text. CRT prompts selectable between Spanish and English. Pull-out reference cards in Spanish. (494) **+\$200** (494P) **+\$500**

Option 20 — General Purpose 12.4 GHz to 40 GHz Waveguide Mixer Set. (12.4 GHz to 18 GHz, 18 GHz to 26.5 GHz, and 26.5 GHz to 40 GHz) and hardware. **+\$900**

Option 21 — High Performance 18GHz to 40 GHz Waveguide Mixer Set. (18GHz to 26.5 GHz and 26.5 GHz to 40 GHz) and hardware. **+\$2,525**

Option 22 — High Performance 18 GHz to 60 GHz Waveguide Mixer Set. (18GHz to 26.5 GHz, 26.5 GHz to 40 GHz, and 40 GHz to 60 GHz) and hardware. **+\$4,250**

Option 30 — Rackmount. 19 inch rack width with front panel input/outputs. See page 160. **+\$790**

Option 31 — Rackmount. 19 inch rack width with rear panel input/output capability. See page 160. **+\$840**

Option 32 — Benchmount. Adds side and top panels, carrying handles and feet for a stackable bench top configuration. **+\$940**

Option 41 — Digital Radio. Provides wider bandwidth preselector, 30 Hz video filter with 100 kHz resolution bandwidth and 5 MHz span/div optimized for 6 GHz and 11 GHz D/R. **+\$450**

Option 42 — 110 MHz IF Output. Provides 5 MHz bandwidth at 6 dB points. **+\$1,500**

Option 45*1 — (494P only) MATE/CIL.

CONVERSION KIT

494 to 494P — Conversions are made by your nearest Tektronix Service Center. Order 040-1140-01 **\$5,300**

INTERNATIONAL POWER PLUG OPTIONS

Option A1 — Universal Euro 220 V, 50 Hz.

Option A2 — UK 240 V, 50 Hz.

Option A3 — Australian 240 V, 50 Hz.

Option A4 — North American 240 V, 60 Hz.

Option A5 — Switzerland 220 V, 50 Hz.

WARRANTY-PLUS SERVICE PLANS

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M1 — (494) 2 Calibrations.	+\$695
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M2 — (494) 2 Years Service.	+\$1,330
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M3 — (494) 2 Years Service & 4 Calibrations.	+\$2,725
M3 — (494P) 2 Years Service & 4 Calibrations.	+\$2,785
M4 — (494) 5 Calibrations.	+\$1,590
M4 — (494P) 5 Calibrations.	+\$1,630
M5 — (494) 9 Calibrations + 2 Years Service.	+\$4,145
M5 — (494P) 9 Calibrations + 2 Years Service.	+\$4,240

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

TR 503 Tracking Generator — See page 178.	\$6,620
Microwave Comb Generator — TM 500 Series compatible. Order 067-0885-00	\$1,800
75 Ω to 50 Ω Minimum Loss Pad — Order 011-0112-00	\$70
DC Block N to N — Order 015-0509-00	\$250
P6201 — FET Probe to 900 MHz.	\$1,220
1405 TV Sideband Adaptor — 525/60 Markers. See page 179.	\$5,780
TV Trigger Synchronizer — Order 015026101	\$450
Hard Case (Transit) — Order 016-0658-00	\$750
Soft Case — Order 016-0659-00	\$105
Rear Panel Protective Cover — Order 337-327400	\$5.00
Lab Cart — K213. (See page 462.)	\$595
Camera — C-5C. (See page 445.)	\$495

Note: 490 Series spectrum analyzers are compatible with all Tektronix C-50 Series cameras.

PERIPHERAL PRODUCTS FOR 494P SPECTRUM ANALYZER

4041 — System Controller (see page 355)	\$4,950
4207 — Color Graphics Terminal (see page 53).	\$3,995