Instructions Manual

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TAS 200 Series Oscilloscopes

The Tektronix TAS 220 and TAS 250 oscilloscopes are dual-channel products with frequency bandwidths of DC to 20 MHz and DC to 50 MHz respectively. Both oscilloscopes feature a maximum sensitivity of 1 mV/division and a maximum sweep speed of 10 ns/division.

In addition, the TAS 200 series oscilloscopes offer the following features:

- High beam transmission and high intensity CRT displays for clear waveforms at high sweep speeds.
- High stability low-drift temperature compensation circuits to reduce baseline and DC balance drift.
- Trigger feature, Set to 50% that eliminates triggering adjustments when displaying regular, video, and large duty-cycle-ratio signals.
- Synchronization separator and trigger circuitry that permits the display of TV signals. (You can automatically select vertical and horizontal signals with the SEC/DIV control.)
- Automatic focus (following an initial intensity adjustment).



Figure 1: TAS 220 oscilloscope

TAS 200 Series Specifications

The characteristics listed in this section apply under the following conditions:

- The instrument operates in a 0° to 40° C ambient environment unless otherwise noted.
- The instrument warms up for at least 20 minutes.
- The instrument is adjusted at an ambient temperature between 20° and 30° C.

NOTE. All specifications are warranted unless marked "typical." Typical characteristics are not guaranteed but are provided for the convenience of the user.

NOTE. Input limits apply to signals with frequencies less than 1 kHz.

Characteristic	TAS 220 description	TAS 250 description
Frequency Bandwidth (-3 dB)	DC to 20 MHz (5 mV/div to 5 V/div at 5° to 35° C)	DC to 50 MHz (at 0° to 10° C and 35 to 40° C)
	DC to 15 MHz	DC to 40 MHz (at 0° to 5° C and 35° to 40° C)
	DC to 10 MHz (1mV/div to 2 mV/div)	DC to 15 MHz
Vertical Gain (15° to 35° C)	5 mV/div to 5 V/div: ±3%	<u> </u>
	1 mV/div to 2 mV/div: ±5%	
Variable Gain (Typical)	To 1/2.5 or less of the readout indicated val	lue.
Common Mode Rejection Ratio (Typical)	50 kHz: >50:1	
	10 MHz: >10:1	
Input Impedance (Typical)	1 MΩ, 30 pF	
Vertical Linearity (Typical)	± 0.1 division or less of amplitude change when a waveform of two divisions at graticule center is moved vertically.	
DC Balance Shift (Typical)	5 mV/div to 5 V/div: ±0.5 divisions	
	1 mV/div to 2 mV/div: ±2.0 divisions	

Table 1: Vertical deflection characteristics

Characteristic	TAS 220 description	TAS 250 description
Chopping Repetition Frequency (Typical)	250 kHz	
Maximum Input Voltage	400 V (DC + peak AC)	
Channel Isolation (Typical)	50 kHz: 1000:1	
	10 MHz: 100:1	
	20 MHz: 30:1	50 MHz: 30:1
CH 1 Signal Output (Typical)	100 mV/div open circuit	
	50 mV/div into 50 Ω	
CH 2 INV Balance (Typical)	≤1 division balanced point variation	

Table 1: Vertical deflection characteristics (cont.)

Table 2: Horizontal characteristics TAS 200 series

Characteristic	Description	
Standard Sweep Time Accuracy	15° to 35° C: ±3%	
	0° to 15° C and 35° to 40° C: ±4%	
Magnified Sweep Time Accuracy	1 μs/div to 0.5 sec/div: ±5%	
	0.1 to 0.5 µs/div: ±8%	
Sweep Linearity		
Standard	±3%	
X10 MAG	±5%	
X10 MAG	0.1 to 0.5 µs/div: ±8%	

Table 3: Readout characteristics TAS 200 series

Characteristic	Description
Readout Resolution	1/25 div
Readout Accuracy	±3% + 1/25 div
Readout Modes	$\Delta V, \Delta T, 1/\Delta T$

Table 4: Trigger characteristics

Cha	racteristic	TAS 220 description	TAS 250 performance description
Sensitivity			
	0.5 divisions (internal), 0.1 V (external)	DC to 5 MHz	DC to 10 MHz
	1.5 divisions (internal), 0.2 V (external)	5 to 20 MHz	10 to 50 MHz
	2.0 divisions (internal), 0.2 V (external)	Video	Video
Inpu	ut Impedance (Typical)	1 MΩ, 30 pF	
Max	kimum Input Signal	100 V (DC + peak AC)	

Table 5: Typical Z-Axis characteristics TAS 200 series

Characteristic	Description	
Maximum Input Voltage	50 V (DC + peak AC)	
Sensitivity	$3 V_{p-p}$ (Trace becomes brighter with negative input.)	
Frequency Bandwidth	DC to 5 MHz	
Input Resistance	5 kΩ	

Table 6: Typical X-Y mode operation

Characteristic	TAS 220 description	TAS 250 description
Sensitivity	Same as CH 1 vertical axis	
Sensitivity Accuracy	5 mV to 5 V/div: ±4% 1 to 2 mV/div: ±6%	
Frequency Bandwidth	DC to 1 MHz	DC to 2 MHz
X-Y Phase Difference	≤3° from DC to 50 kHz	≤3° from DC to 100 kHz
EXT HOR Sensitivity	0.1 V/div	

Table 7: Typical probe compensation signal characteristics TAS 200 series

Characteristic	Description
Waveform	Positive going square wave
Frequency	1 kHz
Duty Ratio	50:50
Output Level	2 V _{p-p}
Output Resistance	2 kΩ

Table 8: Environmental characteristics

Characteristic	Description	
Temperature		
Operating	0° to 40° C	
Nonoperating	-40° to +70° C	
	Tested to MIL-T-28800D, paragraphs 4.5.5.1.3 and 4.5.5.1.4, except in 4.5.5.1.3 steps 4 and 5 (0 $^{\circ}$ C operating test) are performed ahead of step 2 (-40 $^{\circ}$ C nonoperating test). Equipment shall remain off upon return to room ambient during step 6. Excessive condensation shall be removed before operating during step 7.	
Altitude		
Operating	≤4,570 meters (15,000 feet). Maximum operating temperature decreases 1° C per 300 m (1,000 feet) above 1,500 m (5,000 feet).	
Nonoperating	≤15,250 meters (50,000 feet)	
Relative Humidity		
Operating	30° to 40° C, 90% relative humidity +0%, -5%	
Nonoperating	30° to 60° C, 90% relative humidity +0%, -5%	
	Five cycles (120 hours) referenced to MIL-T-28800D paragraph 4.5.1.2.2 for type III, class 5 instruments. Operating and nonoperating at 90%, +0%, -5% relative humidity.	
Vibration (Operating)	15 minutes along each of three major axes at a total displacement of 0.015 inch peak-to-peak (2.4 g at 55 Hz) with frequency varied from 10 Hz to 55 Hz to 10 Hz in one minute sweeps. Hold for 10 minutes at 55 Hz in each of three major axes. All major resonances must be above 55 Hz.	
Shock (Operating and Nonoperating)	30 g, half-sine, 11 ms duration, three shocks per axis each direction, for a total of 18 shocks.	
Radiated and Conducted Emissions	Meets EN55011, class A.	
Safety	Listed CSA C22.2 No. 231 and UL1244	

Table 9: Typical mechanical characteristics TAS 200 series

Characteristic	Description
Dimensions	32.7 cm \times 16.2 cm \times 46.3 cm (12.9 inch \times 6.38 inch \times 18.2 inch)
Weight	7.0 kg (15.4 lbs)
Operating Voltages	100 V, 120 V, 220 V, 240 V, 10% variation from selector range permitted.
Line Frequency	50 or 60 Hz
Power Consumption	70 VA

TAS 200 Series Performance Verification

This section contains procedures to verify that the TAS 220 and TAS 250 oscilloscopes perform as warranted. Verify instrument performance whenever the accuracy or function of your instrument is in question. The procedures are organized into four sections: Vertical Check, Horizontal Check, Trigger Check, and Cursor Check.

The performance verification procedures provide a valid confirmation of instrument electrical characteristics and function under the following conditions:

- The instrument operates in a 20° to 30° C ambient environment.
- The oscilloscope warms up for at least 20 minutes.
- The cabinet remains installed on the oscilloscope.

The performance verification procedure should be performed annually or after every 2000 hours of operation if used infrequently.

Table 11 lists the equipment needed to do the performance verification procedures.

The TAS 200 series performance verification consists of the checks listed in Table 10.

Table 10: Performance verification checks

Vertical Check
DC Gain Accuracy
DC Coupled Bandwidth
DC Balance
Variable DC Balance
CH 2 Inverted Balance
Horizontal Check
Time Base Accuracy
Trigger Check (Trigger Sensitivity)
Cursor Check
ΔT Measurement Accuracy
ΔV Measurement Accuracy

Test Equipment

The performance verification procedures use external traceable test equipment to directly check warranted characteristics.

Alternative test equipment must meet or exceed the intended minimum requirements. If you substitute equipment, you may need to modify the performance verification procedures.

NOTE. Before beginning the performance verification procedures, warm up the test equipment according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

Table 11: Performance verification test equipment

Description	Minimum requirements	Example product	
Leveled Sine Wave Generator	200 kHz to 250 MHz; variable amplitude from 5 mV to 4 $V_{p\text{-}p}$ into 50 Ω	Wavetek 9100 Universal Calibration System with Oscilloscope Calibration Module (Option 250) Fluke 5500A Multi-product Calibrator with	
Time Mark Generator	Variable marker frequency from 10 ms to 10 ns; accuracy within 2 ppm		
DC Calibration Generator	DC voltage levels from 100 mV to 10 V	Oscilloscope Calibration Option 5500A-SC	
Digital Multimeter	35 V, 4 A, ±0.1% Accuracy	Tektronix DMM914 Digital Multimeter	
Termination (two required)	50 Ω , female BNC input, male BNC output	Tektronix 011-0049-01	
Cable, Coaxial	75 Ω , male-to-male BNC connectors, 36 inch length	Tektronix 012-1338-00	
Cable, Precision Coaxial	50 Ω , male-to-male BNC connectors, 36 inch length	Tektronix 012-0482-00	

Set Up

Following a 20 minute warm-up period, preset the oscilloscope to the settings listed below.

Table 12: Oscilloscope initial settings

Control	Setting
INTENSITY	Visible Display
CURSOR ON/OFF	Off
VERTICAL	
POSITION	Midrange
MODE	CH1
VOLTS/DIV	10 mV
VARIABLE	CAL
GND	In
HORIZONTAL	
SEC/DIV	10 ms
POSITION	Midrange
MAG	Off (Out)
X-Y	Off (Out)
SWEEP VARIABLE	CAL
TRIGGER	
SLOPE	Positive (push switch out)
LEVEL	Midrange
MODE	AUTO
SOURCE	CH 1
COUPLING	DC

Vertical Check

The following checks verify the vertical accuracy of your oscilloscope.

DC Gain Accuracy

To check DC gain accuracy, perform the following steps.

1. Use the 50 Ω precision coaxial cable to connect the standard amplitude output of the DC calibration generator to the TAS 200 series oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) input. See Figure 2 below.



Figure 2: Gain and voltage check setup

2. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

CH1 (CH2)
DC
1 mV
AUTO
0.5 ms
Out (release)

3. Set the oscilloscope CH 1 VOLTS/DIV Scale and calibration generator output to each of the values listed in Table 13; then verify that the readings on the oscilloscope remain within the limits of the Displayed Signal Accuracy.

TAS 200 volts/div scale	Generator output	Displayed signal accuracy
1 mV	5 mV	4.75 to 5.25 div
2 mV	10 mV	4.75 to 5.25 div
5 mV	20 mV	3.88 to 4.12 div
10 mV	50 mV	4.85 to 5.15 div
20 mV	0.1 V	4.85 to 5.15 div
50 mV	0.2 V	3.88 to 4.12 div
100 mV	0.5 V	4.85 to 5.15 div
200 mV	1 V	4.85 to 5.15 div
500 mV	2 V	3.88 to 4.12 div
1 V	5 V	4.85 to 5.15 div
2 V	10 V	4.85 to 5.15 div
5 V	20 V	3.88 to 4.12 div

Table 13: DC gain and displayed signal accuracy

- 4. Set the calibration generator output to 5 mV.
- 5. Return the oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control to 1 mV.
- 6. Rotate the oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) VERTICAL VARIABLE control counterclockwise off of the CAL position until the amplitude of the displayed waveform is reduced to two divisions or less.
- 7. Set the oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) VERTICAL VARIABLE control to the CAL position.
- 8. Disconnect the test setup from the oscilloscope.
- **9.** Repeat steps 1 through 8 for CH 2.

DC Coupled Bandwidth

To check DC coupled bandwidth accuracy, perform the following steps.

1. Use the 50 Ω precision coaxial cable to connect the output of the leveled sine wave generator to the 50 Ω termination; then connect the 50 Ω termination to the TAS 200 series oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) input. See Figure 3 below.



Figure 3: Bandwidth check setup

VERTICAL MODE	CH1 (CH2)
CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC	DC
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	1 mV
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	10 µs
TRIGGER MODE	AUTO
TRIGGER COUPLING	DC
TRIGGER SOURCE	CH 1 (CH 2)
CH 1 (CH 2) GND	Out (release)

- **3.** To confirm the bandwidth of the input channel, perform the following substeps (a. through c.) at the settings and limits noted in Table 14.
 - a. Set the oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control as indicated.
 - **b.** Set the leveled sine wave generator to the specified 50 kHz reference amplitude.
 - c. Verify that the oscilloscope display amplitude remains greater than the bandwidth minimum amplitude (minimum number of divisions), while increasing the leveled sine wave generator frequency to the specified value for the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV setting and oscilloscope model.

NOTE. At lower VOLTS/DIV settings, you might need to set TRIGGER COU-PLING to HF REJ to minimize noise or double triggering.

Volts/Div	50 kHz reference amplitude	Bandwidth minimum amplitude	TAS 220 bandwidth	TAS 250 bandwidth
1 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	10 MHz	15 MHz
2 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	10 MHz	15 MHz
5 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
10 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
20 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
50 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
100 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
200 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
500 mV	6 divisions	4.2 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz
1 V	4 divisions	2.8 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz

Table 14: DC coupled bandwidth

4. Repeat steps 1 through 3 for CH 2.

DC Balance To check DC balance accuracy, perform the following steps.

VERTICAL MODE	CH1 (CH2)
CH 1 (CH 2) GND	In
CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE	CAL

- 2. Verify that the oscilloscope trace shift is less than ± 0.5 divisions when rotating the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control between the 5 mV and 5 V settings.
- **3.** Verify that the oscilloscope trace shift is less than two divisions when the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control is changed from the 1 mV to the 2 mV setting.
- **4.** Repeat steps 1 through 3 above for CH 2.

Variable DC Balance	То	To check Variable DC balance accuracy, perform the following steps.		
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follo	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC CH 1 (CH 2) GND CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	CH1 (CH2) DC In 10 mV	
	2.	 Verify that the oscilloscope trace shift is less than one division between the fully clockwise and the fully counterclockwise positions of the CH 1 VARIABLE control. Repeat steps 1 and 2 above for CH 2. 		
	3.			
CH 2 Inverted Balance	То	o check CH 2 Inverted balance accuracy, perform the following steps.		
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:		
		VERTICAL MODE CH 2 GND	CH2 In	
	2.	Position the oscilloscope trace on the center horizontal graticule line using the CH 2 POSITION control.		
	3.	Verify that there is minimal trace shift (<±1 divisions) on the TAS 200 series instrument when switching the CH 2 INVERT button in and out.		
	4.	Set the oscilloscope CH 2 INVERT button to the out position.		

Horizontal Check

The following checks verify the horizontal accuracy of your oscilloscope.

Time Base Accuracy

To check time base accuracy, perform the following steps.

1. Use the 50 Ω precision coaxial cable to connect the output of the time mark generator to the 50 Ω termination; then connect the 50 Ω termination to the TAS 200 series instrument CH 1 input. See Figure 4 below.



Figure 4: Timing check setup

VERTICAL MODE	CH1
CH 1 AC-DC	DC
CH 1 VOLTS/DIV	0.5 V
CH 1 GND	Out (release)
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	.1 µs
TRIGGER MODE	AUTO
TRIGGER COUPLING	DC

- 3. Set up the time mark generator to produce 0.1 µs markers.
- 4. Center the time marks vertically on the oscilloscope display.
- **5.** Position the rising edge of the second time mark to the second vertical graticule line of the oscilloscope display.
- 6. Verify that the time mark to graticule accuracy over the center eight divisions is within the limits shown for each HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV setting listed in Table 15.

HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	Time marker setting	Time mark to graticule accuracy over center 8 divisions
.1 μs	0.1 μs	±0.24 division
.2 μs	0.2 μs	±0.24 division
.5 μs	0.5 μs	±0.24 division
1 μs	1 μs	±0.24 division
2 μs	2 μs	±0.24 division
5 μs	5 μs	±0.24 division
10 μs	10 μs	±0.24 division
20 µs	20 µs	±0.24 division
50 μs	50 μs	±0.24 division
.1 ms	0.1 ms	±0.24 division
.2 ms	0.2 ms	±0.24 division
.5 ms	0.5 ms	±0.24 division
1 ms	1 ms	±0.24 division
2 ms	2 ms	±0.24 division
5 ms	5 ms	±0.24 division

 Table 15: Standard time base accuracies

- **7.** Set the oscilloscope HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV control to either .5 μs (TAS 220) or .1 μs (TAS 250).
- **8.** Set the oscilloscope HORIZONTAL X10 MAG push switch to the on position (in).
- 9. Set the time mark generator to 20 ns.
- **10.** Position the edge of the second time mark to the second vertical graticule line of the oscilloscope display.
- **11.** Verify that the time mark to graticule accuracy over the center eight divisions is within the limits shown for each HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV setting listed in Table 16.

HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	Time marker setting	Time mark to graticule over center 8 divisions
10 ns	10 ns	±0.64 division
20 ns	20 ns	±0.64 division
50 ns	50 ns	±0.64 division

Table 16: X10 MAG time base accuracy

12. Set the oscilloscope HORIZONTAL X10 MAG push switch to the off position (out).

Trigger Check

The following check verifies the trigger accuracy of your oscilloscope.

1. Use the 50 Ω precision coaxial cable to connect the output of the leveled sine wave generator to the 50 Ω termination; then connect the 50 Ω termination to the TAS 200 series instrument CH 1 input. See Figure 5 below.



Figure 5: Trigger level check setup

VERTICAL MODE	CH1
CH 1 VOLTS/DIV	1 V
CH 1 AC-DC	DC
CH 1 GND	Out (release)
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	.5 µs
TRIGGER MODE	AUTO
TRIGGER LEVEL	Midway

TRIGGER COUPLING	DC
TRIGGER SET TO 50%	Out (release)

3. Set the leveled sine wave generator to produce a five-division output at the low-frequency trigger level listed for your instrument. See Table 17.

Table 17: DC coupled triggering sensitivity

	Minimum trigger waveform amplitude	TAS 220	TAS 250
Low frequency trigger	0.5 divisions	5 MHz	10 MHz
High frequency trigger	1.5 divisions	20 MHz	50 MHz

- **4.** Reduce the leveled sine wave generator output until the minimum trigger waveform amplitude is equal to the value listed in Table 17. If necessary, adjust the oscilloscope TRIGGER LEVEL to maintain a stable waveform during the operation.
- 5. Set the leveled sine wave generator for a four division output at the high frequency trigger level listed in Table 17.
- **6.** Reduce the leveled sine wave generator output until the minimum trigger waveform amplitude is equal to the value listed in Table 17. If necessary, adjust the oscilloscope TRIGGER LEVEL to maintain a stable waveform during the operation.

Cursor Check

The following checks verify the cursor accuracy of your oscilloscope.

ΔT Measurement	To check cursor ΔT measurement accuracy, implement the following steps.		
Accuracy	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	CH1 (CH2) 1 ms
	2.	Press and hold the oscilloscope CURSC the cursors.	OR ON/OFF push switch to activate
	3.	If not already displayed, press and hold two vertical cursors appear on the displayed	the $\Delta V / \Delta T 1 / \Delta T$ push switch until ay.
	4.	Toggle the TRACKING $\langle \rangle$ - O ^(REF) swit	tch to select only the \Diamond cursor.
	5.	Position the \Diamond cursor 4 divisions to the the CURSOR POSITION switch.	left of the display vertical center with
	6.	Toggle the TRACKING $\langle \rangle$ - O ^(REF) push	h switch to select only the O cursor.
	7.	Position the O cursor 4 divisions to the with the CURSOR POSITION switch.	right of the display vertical center
	8.	Verify that the ΔT readout at the top-lef 7.72 and 8.28 ms.	t corner of the display reads between
	9.	Set the VERTICAL MODE switch to C CH 2.	CH2 and repeat steps 4 through 8 for
∆V Measurement	То	check cursor ΔV measurement accuracy,	, implement the following steps.
Accuracy	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE VERTICAL VOLTS/DIV	CH1 (CH2) 1 V
	2.	Press and hold the oscilloscope $\Delta V/\Delta T$ horizontal cursors appear on the display	$1/\Delta T$ push switch until two 7.
	3.	Toggle the TRACKING $\langle \rangle$ - O ^(REF) swit	tch to select only the \Diamond cursor.
	4.	Position the \Diamond cursor 3 divisions above CURSOR POSITION switch.	the display horizontal center with the
	5.	Toggle the TRACKING $\langle \rangle$ - O ^(REF) push	h switch to select only the O cursor.

- **6.** Position the O cursor 3 divisions below the display horizontal center with the CURSOR POSITION switch.
- 7. Verify that the $\Delta V_{1(2)}$ readout at the top-left corner of the display, reads between 5.78 and 6.22 V.
- **8.** Set the VERTICAL MODE switch to CH2 and repeat steps 3 through 7 for CH 2.

TAS 200 Series Adjustment Procedures

This section contains procedures to adjust TAS 220 and TAS 250 oscilloscopes. If your instrument fails a performance requirement, use these procedures to return it to factory specifications.

In this section you will find the following information:

- A list of adjustments
- A list of test equipment needed to make the adjustments
- Instructions on how to prepare instruments for adjustment
- Step-by-step adjustment procedures

The procedures in this section do not verify performance. To confirm that your oscilloscope meets factory specifications, implement the procedures in the *TAS 200 Series Performance Verification* section.

List of Adjustments

Use the adjustments listed in Table 18 to return TAS 220 and TAS 250 oscilloscopes to factory calibration.

Pov	ver Supply Adjustments
	+12 V Supply
	Intensity
	Focus and Astigmatism
Vert	ical Adjustments
	DC Balance
	Variable DC Balance
	Channel 2 Inverted Balance and Position Center
	ADD Mode Balance
	Vertical Gain
	MAG Sensitivity
	High Frequency Compensation
	Attenuator Compensation
	Channel 1 Output DC Offset

Table 18: TAS 220 and TAS 250 adjustments

Horizontal Adjustments
X10 Magnification Registration
Horizontal Position
1 ms Timing
1 μs and .1 μs Timing
X-Gain Accuracy
X-Axis Offset
Trigger Adjustments
Trigger DC Offset
Trigger Slope Balance
Trigger Center
Probe Compensation
Cursors and Readout Adjustments
Cursor Accuracy
Drift

Table 18: TAS 220 and TAS 250 adjustments (cont.)

Test Equipment

To ensure accurate adjustments, use the following or equivalent test equipment.

Alternative test equipment must meet or exceed the intended minimum requirements specified in Table 19. If you substitute equipment, you may need to modify the procedures.

NOTE. Before making any adjustment, warm up the test equipment according to the manufacturer's recommendations.

Table 19: Adjustment test equipment

Description	Minimum requirements	Example product
Leveled Sine Wave Generator	1 kHz to 250 MHz; variable amplitude from 5 mV to 4 $V_{p\text{-}p}$ into 50 Ω	Wavetek 9100 Universal Calibration System with Oscilloscope Calibration
Time Mark Generator	Variable marker frequency from 1 ms to 10 ns; accuracy within 2 ppm	Module (Option 250) Fluke 5500A Multi-product Calibrator with
DC Calibration Generator	DC voltage levels from 100 mV to 10 V	Oscilloscope Calibration Option 5500A-SC
Digital Multimeter	35 V, 4 A, ±0.1% Accuracy	Tektronix DMM914 Digital Multimeter
Termination (two required)	50 Ω , female BNC input, male BNC output	Tektronix 011-0049-01
Cable, Coaxial	75 Ω , male-to-male BNC connectors, 36 inch length	Tektronix 012-1338-00
Cable, Precision Coaxial	50 Ω , male-to-male BNC connectors, 36 inch length	Tektronix 012-0482-00
Coupler	Female-BNC-to-dual-male-BNC, dual-input	Tektronix 067-0525-02
Probe	10X probe	Tektronix P6109B

Preparation for Adjustment

Perform the adjustment procedures on an as-needed basis. If an oscilloscope section fails a performance requirement, or if a section is replaced or repaired, adjust only that section. Adjusting individual sections of the oscilloscope rarely affects its overall performance.

In general, accurate adjustments require a stable, well-focused, low intensity display. Unless otherwise noted, adjust the INTENSITY, FOCUS, and TRIG-GER LEVEL controls as needed to view the display.

In addition to the above, the following guidelines apply to all instrument adjustments:

- Perform the adjustments in a 20° to 30° C (68° to 86° F) ambient environment.
- Before making any adjustments, warm up the instrument for at least 20 minutes.
- Do not alter a setting unless a performance characteristic cannot be met at the current setting.
- Do not alter any setting without reading the entire adjustment procedure first.
- Read the *Safety Summary* at the beginning of this manual.

NOTE. Altering the +12 V ADJ setting may require a complete readjustment of the instrument.

Remove the Instrument Cover



You must remove the instrument cover to make internal adjustments.

WARNING. To avoid electrical shock, always disconnect the power cord from its source before removing the instrument cover. After the adjustment procedures, replace the instrument cover before using the oscilloscope.

To remove the cover, refer to Figure 12 while performing the following steps:

- 1. Remove the two cover screws on the instrument bottom.
- 2. Remove the four rear panel mounting screws.
- **3.** Remove the rear panel.
- 4. Slide the cover off the rear of the instrument.

To reinstall the cover, perform steps 1 through 4 above in reverse order.



Figure 6: TAS 220 and TAS 250 instrument cover removal

Initial Settings Following the warm-up period, preset the oscilloscope to the settings listed below.

Table 20: Oscilloscope initial settings

Control	Setting	
INTENSITY	Visible display	
CURSOR ON/OFF	Off	
VERTICAL	ł	
CH 1 (CH 2) POSITION	Midrange	
MODE	CH1 (CH2)	
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	10 mV	
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV VARIABLE	CAL	
CH 1 (CH 2) GND	In	
HORIZONTAL		
POSITION	Midrange	
X10 MAG	Out	
X-Y	Out	
SWP UNCAL	Out	
TRIGGER		
LEVEL	Midrange	
MODE	AUTO	
COUPLING	AC	
SOURCE	CH 1 (CH 2)	
SLOPE	Rising (push switch out)	

Power Supply Adjustments

To locate the adjustments and test points for the following procedures, refer to Figure 7. The Power and High Voltage board occupies the bottom-left side of the instrument below the CRT.

NOTE. The power supply section affects all other sections of the instrument. If you make repairs or adjustments that change the absolute value of any power supply voltage, you must complete the entire adjustment procedure.



WARNING. Use extreme caution when adjusting the power supply. The high voltages present can cause a fatal injury.





+12 V Supply Use the following procedure to adjust the +12 V power supply.

- 1. On the Power and High Voltage board, connect the voltmeter common lead to the oscilloscope chassis ground and the measurement lead to the +12 V test point. See Figure 7 for the test point location.
- 2. Verify that the voltmeter reads between +11.95 and +12.05 V. If the reading is within these limits, go to step 4.
- **3.** Adjust VR601 for a voltmeter reading of +12 V. See Figure 7 for the adjustment location.

4. Verify that the voltage levels in Table 21 are within the specified limits. See Figure 7 for the test point locations.

Table 21: Power supply limits

Power supply	Test point	Limits (volts)
+12	+12	+11.95 to +12.05
-12	-12	-11.80 to -12.20
+5	+5	+4.75 to +5.25
+185 (TAS 220)	+185	+180 to +190
+145 (TAS 250)	+145	+140 to +150

NOTE. If a power supply measurement exceeds the limits specified in Table 21, discontinue the adjustment procedures. Contact a Tektronix service center for instrument repair.

5. Disconnect the voltmeter from the instrument.

Intensity Use the following procedure to adjust the display intensity.

HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	1 ms
TRIGGER HOLDOFF	NORM

- 2. Rotate the front panel INTENSITY control to the fully counterclockwise position; then rotate the control clockwise to the 90° (nine o'clock) position.
- **3.** Locate VR603 on the Power and High Voltage board (see Figure 7 for the adjustment location). Adjust VR603 until the trace is barely visible.
- **4.** Rotate the INTENSITY control clockwise. Verify that the trace becomes brighter. Rotate the INTENSITY control fully counterclockwise; the trace should disappear.
- **Focus and Astigmatism** Use the following procedure to adjust the display focus and astigmatism.
 - 1. Set the front panel FOCUS control to midrange; then adjust VR602 on the Power and High Voltage board to obtain the best focus. See Figure 7 for the adjustment location.
 - 2. Set the front panel HORIZONTAL X-Y push switch to the in position.

- **3.** Rotate the front panel HORIZONTAL POSITION control to move the dot to the display center. Rotate the INTENSITY control to give the dot a sharp edge.
- **4.** Adjust VR604 on the Power and High Voltage board and the oscilloscope front panel FOCUS control until the dot becomes circular. See Figure 7 for the adjustment location.
- 5. Set the front panel HORIZONTAL X-Y push switch to the out position.
- 6. Repeat steps 1 through 5 for best performance.

Vertical Adjustments

To locate the adjustments for the following procedures, refer to Figures 8, 9, and 10. The Main board occupies the bottom-right side of the instrument.





DC Balance	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the D	OC balance.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) VERTICAL VARIABLE CH 1 (CH 2) GND	CH1 (CH2) CAL In
	2.	On the oscilloscope Main board, adjust shift when switching the front panel CH between 5 mV and 10 mV. See Figure 1	VR101 (VR201) for a minimal trace I 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control I0 for the adjustment locations.
	3.	Verify that the trace shift is less than ±0 VOLTS/DIV step between 5 mV and 5	0.5 divisions for each CH 1 (CH 2) V.
	4.	On the Main board, adjust VR104 (VR switching the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DI See Figure 8 for the adjustment location	204) for minimal trace shift when V control between 2 mV and 10 mV. ns.
	5.	Verify that the trace shift is less than tw VOLTS/DIV control between 1 mV and	o divisions when switching the d 2 mV.
	6.	Set the VERTICAL MODE to CH2 and	l repeat steps 2 through 5 for CH 2.
Variable DC Balance	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the v	ariable DC balance.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1 (CH 2) GND	CH1 (CH2) 10 mV CAL In
	2.	On the Main board, adjust VR106 (VR rotating the front panel CH 1 (CH 2) Va fully clockwise and the fully counterclo the adjustment locations.	206) for a minimal trace shift while ARIABLE control between the ockwise positions. See Figure 8 for
	3.	Set the VERTICAL MODE to CH2 and	l repeat step 2 for CH 2.
Channel 2 Inverted Balance and Position	Us pos	e the following procedure to adjust the classifier of the classifier of the classifier of the state of the st	hannel 2 inverted balance and
Center	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 2 GND	CH2 In
	2.	Position the trace on the center horizon VERTICAL POSITION control.	tal graticule line using the CH 2

	3.	Set the CH 2 VERTICAL INVERT pus the new trace location.	h switch to the in position and note
	4.	On the Main board, adjust VR213 to po center horizontal graticule line. See Fig	osition the trace half way back to the ure 8 for the adjustment location.
	5.	Set the channel 2 VERTICAL INVERT	push switch to the out position.
	6.	If the trace shifts, adjust VR303 to retu graticule line.	rn the trace to the center horizontal
	7.	Repeat steps 3 through 6 to obtain a mi you toggle the CH 2 VERTICAL INVE	nimal trace shift (<±1 division) when ERT push switch in and out.
ADD Mode Balance	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the A	DD mode balance.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1 (CH 2) GND	BOTH 10 mV CAL In
	2.	Position both traces on the center horiz and CH 2 VERTICAL POSITION cont	ontal graticule line using the CH 1 rols.
	3.	Set the VERTICAL MODE control to t	he ADD position.
	4.	On the Main board, adjust VR301 to po horizontal graticule line. See Figure 8 f	osition the trace on the center for the adjustment location.
	5.	Set the VERTICAL MODE switch to E that the trace shifts less than ± 1 divisio necessary, repeat steps 2 through 4 to o	BOTH, CH2, and then CH1; verify n from the center of the display. If btain the best performance.
Vertical Gain	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the v	ertical gain.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC	CH1 10 mV CAL DC
	2.	Connect a 50 mV _{p-p} 50 kHz square way dual input coupler.	ve to the CH 1 and CH 2 inputs with a
	3.	On the Main board, adjust VR108 to ob amplitude. See Figure 8 for the adjustm	otain a waveform five divisions in nent location.

	4.	Set the CH 2 VERTICAL INVERT pus	h switch to the in position.
	5.	Set the VERTICAL MODE control to t	he ADD position.
	6.	Position the trace to the center horizont	al graticule.
	7.	Adjust VR208 to obtain a flat line. See	Figure 8 for the adjustment location.
MAG Sensitivity	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the M	IAG Sensitivity.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 2 INVERT CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC	CH1 (CH2) 2 mV CAL Out DC
	2.	Connect a 10 mV _{p-p} 50 kHz square way	ve to the CH 1 (CH 2) input.
	3.	Adjust VR102 (VR202) to obtain a way See Figure 8 for the adjustment location	veform five divisions in amplitude.
	4.	Set the VERTICAL MODE to CH2 and	l repeat steps 2 and 3 for CH 2.
High Frequency Compensation	Us 1	the following procedure to adjust the high frequency compensation.	
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows.	
		VERTICAL MODE	CH1 (CH2)
		CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	10 mV
		CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE	10 mV CAL
		CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC	10 mV CAL AC
		CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	10 mV CAL AC 0.2 μs
	2.	CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV Connect a 20 MHz sine wave to the CH output to produce a waveform four divi	10 mV CAL AC 0.2 μs I 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator sions in amplitude on the display.
	2. 3.	CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV Connect a 20 MHz sine wave to the CH output to produce a waveform four divi Adjust VC105 and VC106 (VC205, VC amplitude. See Figure 8 for the adjustment	10 mV CAL AC 0.2 μs I 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator sions in amplitude on the display. C206) for maximum waveform thent locations.
	2. 3. 4.	CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV Connect a 20 MHz sine wave to the CH output to produce a waveform four divi Adjust VC105 and VC106 (VC205, VC amplitude. See Figure 8 for the adjustm Adjust VR103 (VR203) to obtain a max Figure 8 for the adjustment locations.	10 mV CAL AC 0.2 μs I 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator sions in amplitude on the display. C206) for maximum waveform tent locations. ximum waveform amplitude. See
	2. 3. 4. 5.	 CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE CH 1, CH 2 AC-DC HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV Connect a 20 MHz sine wave to the CH output to produce a waveform four divi Adjust VC105 and VC106 (VC205, VC amplitude. See Figure 8 for the adjustm Adjust VR103 (VR203) to obtain a maximate Figure 8 for the adjustment locations. Connect a 1 MHz square wave to the C generator output to produce a waveform display. 	10 mV CAL AC 0.2 μs I 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator sions in amplitude on the display. C206) for maximum waveform tent locations. ximum waveform amplitude. See H 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the n six divisions in amplitude on the



Figure 9: Power and High Voltage board (viewed from the instrument bottom)

- 7. Adjust VR107 (VR207) to optimize the waveform flatness. See Figure 8 for the adjustment locations.
- 8. Readjust VR103 (VR203) to reduce peak aberrations to less than 0.24 divisions while maintaining peak-to-peak aberrations less than 0.36 divisions. See Figure 8 for the adjustment locations.
- **9.** Connect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator output to produce a waveform six divisions in amplitude on the display.
- **10.** Increase the frequency to 20 MHz for the TAS 220 or 50 MHz for the TAS 250. Verify that the waveform amplitude exceeds 4.2 divisions at these frequencies.
- **11.** Set the oscilloscope CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV to 1 mV and the sine wave generator to 50 kHz. Adjust the generator output to produce a waveform eight divisions in amplitude on the display.
- **12.** Increase the frequency to 10 MHz for the TAS 220 or 15 MHz for the TAS 250. Verify that the waveform amplitude exceeds 5.6 divisions at these frequencies.
- 13. If steps 10 or 12 fail the specified criteria, repeat steps 7, 8, and 9.
- 14. Set the VERTICAL MODE to CH2 and repeat steps 2 through 13 for CH 2.

Attenuator Compensation

Use the following procedure to adjust the vertical input attenuator compensation.

1. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

VERTICAL MODE	BOTH
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	0.1 V
CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE	CAL
CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC	DC

- **2.** Connect a 1 kHz square wave to the CH 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude on the display.
- **3.** Adjust VC102 (VC202) to obtain an optimum waveform symmetry with minimal overshoot. See Figure 10 for the adjustment locations.



Figure 10: Main board (viewed from the instrument bottom)

- 4. Set the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control to 1 V.
- **5.** Readjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude. Adjust VC104 (VC204) to obtain an optimum waveform symmetry with minimal overshoot. See Figure 10 for the adjustment locations.
- 6. Disconnect the square wave generator from the instrument.
- 7. Connect a 10X probe to the CH1 (CH 2) input.
- 8. Set the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control to 10 mV/division.

- **9.** Connect the probe to the square wave generator and confirm that the output is a 1 kHz square wave. Adjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude on the display. Adjust the probe compensation to flatten and optimize the waveform.
- 10. Set the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control to 0.1 V.
- **11.** Readjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude.
- **12.** Adjust VC101 (VC201) to flatten the waveform. See Figure 10 for the adjustment locations.
- 13. Set the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control to 1 V.
- **14.** Readjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude.
- **15.** Adjust VC103 (VC203) to flatten the waveform. See Figure 10 for the adjustment locations.
- **16.** For each setting of the CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV control, adjust the generator output to produce a waveform five divisions in amplitude. Evaluate the waveform for optimum symmetry and flatness at each setting.
- 17. Set the VERTICAL MODE to CH2 and repeat steps 2 through 16 for CH 2.
- Channel 1 Output DC Offset
- Use the following procedure to adjust the channel 1 output DC offset.
- **1.** Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

VERTICAL MODE	BOTH
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	10 mV
CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE	CAL
CH 1 (CH 2) GND	In
TRIGGER SOURCE	CH 1

- **2.** Position the CH 1 and CH 2 traces to the center horizontal graticule line with the VERTICAL POSITION controls.
- 3. Connect the rear panel CH 1 OUTPUT to the front panel CH 2 input with a 50Ω coaxial cable.
- 4. Set the CH 2 GND push switch to the out position.
- 5. On the Main board, adjust VR112 to position the CH 2 trace to the center horizontal graticule line. See Figure 8 for the adjustment location.

Horizontal Adjustments

	To locate the adjustments for the following procedures, refer to Figures 8 and 10. The Main board occupies the bottom-right side of the instrument.		
X10 MAG Registration	Use	e the following procedure to adjust the X	10 MAG registration.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 VERTICAL POSITION HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	CH1 Midrange 1 ms
	2.	Rotate the HORIZONTAL POSITION trace to the display center (center vertic	control to move the left edge of the al graticule line).
	3.	Set the HORIZONTAL X10 MAG push the trace is located within ±1 division of trace does not line up, use the HORIZO reposition the trace to the display center	h switch to the in position. Verify that of the display vertical center. If the NTAL POSITION control to r.
	4.	Set the HORIZONTAL X10 MAG push VR502 to position the trace edge to the for the adjustment location.	h switch to the out position. Adjust display vertical center. See Figure 8
	5.	Repeat steps 3 and 4 until the trace edg display center when pressing the HORI and out.	e remains within ±1 division of the ZONTAL X10 MAG push switch in
Horizontal Position	Use	e the following procedure to adjust the h	orizontal position.
1. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:			
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 VERTICAL POSITION HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	CH1 Midrange 1 ms
	2.	Center the HORIZONTAL POSITION	control.
	3.	Adjust VR408 to align the left edge of the display. See Figure 8 for the adjustr	the trace to the left-most graticule of nent location.
1 ms Timing	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the 1	ms timing.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 VERTICAL POSITION	CH1 Midrange

		HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV SWEEP UNCAL	1 ms Out
	2.	Connect the time mark generator to the and 50 Ω termination.	CH 1 input with a 50 Ω coaxial cable
	3.	• Set up the generator to produce a 1 ms output.	
	4.	Adjust the generator output to produce amplitude on the display.	a waveform two divisions in
	5.	Adjust VR405 for a one marker per div divisions. See Figure 8 for the adjustme	ision display over the center eight ent location.
1 μs and .1 μs Timing Use the following procedure to adjust		e the following procedure to adjust the 1	μs and .1 μs timing.
	1.	1. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 VERTICAL POSITION HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV HORIZONTAL SWP UNCAL	CH1 Midrange 1 μs Out
	2.	Connect the time mark generator to the and 50 Ω termination.	CH 1 input with a 50 Ω coaxial cable
	3.	Set up the generator to produce a 1 μ s c	putput.
	4.	Adjust the generator output to produce on the display.	a waveform one division in amplitude
	5.	Adjust VR404 for a one marker per div adjustment location.	ision display. See Figure 8 for the
6. Set the generator to produce a $.1 \ \mu s$ of		Set the generator to produce a .1 µs out	put.
	7.	Set the HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV contr	ol to .1 µs.
	8.	Adjust VR802 for a one marker per div adjustment location.	ision display. See Figure 8 for the
X-Gain Accuracy	Us	e the following procedure to adjust the X	-gain accuracy.
	1.	Set up the oscilloscope as follows:	
		VERTICAL MODE CH 1 VOLTS/DIV CH 1 VARIABLE HORIZONTAL X-Y	X-Y 10 mV CAL In

TRIGGER COUPLING	AC
TRIGGER SOURCE	X-Y

- 2. Use a 50 Ω coaxial cable to connect the square wave generator to the CH 1 input. Set up the generator for a 1 kHz 50 mV output.
- **3.** Adjust VR109 for exactly five divisions of horizontal deflection on the display. See Figure 8 for the adjustment location.
- **X-Axis Offset** Use the following procedure to adjust the X-axis DC offset.
 - **1.** Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

CH 1 VERTICAL POSITION	Midrange
VERTICAL MODE	CH1
CH 1 VOLTS/DIV	50 mV
CH 1 GND	In
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	1 ms
HORIZONTAL X-Y	Out
TRIGGER MODE	AUTO

- 2. Position the trace vertically to the horizontal center graticule line.
- **3.** Position the left edge of the trace horizontally to the first vertical graticule line (extreme left).
- 4. Set the HORIZONTAL X-Y push switch to the in position.
- **5.** Adjust VR401 to position the spot to the center vertical graticule line. See Figure 10 for the adjustment location.

Trigger Adjustments

To locate the adjustments for the following procedures, refer to Figures 8 and 10. The Main board occupies the bottom-right side of the instrument.

- **Trigger DC Offset** Use the following procedure to adjust the trigger DC offset.
 - **1.** Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

CH 1 (CH 2) VERTICAL POSITION	Midrange
VERTICAL MODE	CH1 (CH2)
CH 1 (CH 2) VOLTS/DIV	10 mV
CH 1 (CH 2) VARIABLE	CAL
CH 1 (CH 2) AC-DC	AC
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	1 ms
TRIGGER COUPLING	AC
TRIGGER SOURCE	CH 1 (CH 2)

- **2.** Connect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH 1 (CH 2) input. Adjust the generator output to produce a waveform eight divisions in amplitude on the display.
- **3.** Rotate the TRIGGER LEVEL control to set the trigger point at the center of the signal swing.
- **4.** Alternate the TRIGGER COUPLING control between the AC and DC positions. Adjust VR110 (VR210) until the oscilloscope triggers at the same amplitude for both switch positions. See Figure 8 for the adjustment location.
- **5.** Set the VERTICAL MODE and TRIGGER SOURCE to CH2 and repeat steps 2 through 4 for channel 2.
- **Trigger Slope Balance** Use the following procedure to adjust the trigger slope balance.
 - 1. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:

VERTICAL MODE	CH1
CH 1 AC-DC	AC
CH 1 GND	In
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	1 ms

		TRIGGER SET TO 50% TRIGGER SLOPE	In Falling (push switch in)		
	2.	Use a DMM to measure the collector voltage of Q414. Adjust VR403 for a reading of $1.40 \text{ V} \pm 0.02 \text{ V}$. See Figure 10 for the adjustment location. Set the CH 1 GND push switch to the out position.			
	3.				
	4.	Connect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH to produce a waveform four divisions in	ect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH 1 input. Adjust the generator output duce a waveform four divisions in amplitude on the display.		
	5.	Alternate the TRIGGER SLOPE push switch between the rising (in) and falling (out) slope settings. Adjust VR403 for a 0.4 division downward vertical shift at the beginning of the sweep. See Figure 10 for the adjustment ocation.			
Trigger Center	Use	se the following procedure to adjust the trigger center. Set up the oscilloscope as follows:			
	1.				
		HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV TRIGGER SOURCE TRIGGER SET TO 50% CH 1 AC-DC	1 ms CH 1 In AC		
	2.	Connect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH to produce a waveform eight divisions is	connect a 50 kHz sine wave to the CH 1 input. Adjust the generator output produce a waveform eight divisions in amplitude on the display. Early that the trigger point is within ± 1.5 divisions of the signal swing nter.		
	3.	Verify that the trigger point is within ±1 center.			
	4.	Readjust the oscilloscope controls as fol	llows:		
		TRIGGER SET TO 50% TRIGGER LEVEL	Out Midway		
	5.	Adjust VR407 to position the trigger po horizontal graticule line. See Figure 10	ust VR407 to position the trigger points equidistant from the center izontal graticule line. See Figure 10 for the adjustment location.		

Probe Compensation

To locate the adjustment for the following procedure, refer to Figure 11. The Power and High Voltage board occupies the bottom-left side of the instrument below the CRT.



Figure 11: Power and High Voltage board (viewed from the instrument bottom)

VERTICAL MODE	CH1
CH 1 VOLTS/DIV	0.5 V
CH 1 AC-DC	DC
HORIZONTAL SEC/DIV	0.2 ms
TRIGGER COUPLING	DC
TRIGGER SOURCE	CH 1

- 2. Connect the probe to the CH 1 input connector
- **3.** Touch the probe tip to the PROBE COMP tab on the left side of the front panel.
- **4.** Adjust the probe (compensation) for a flat-topped square wave on the display.
- **5.** Adjust VR701 on the Power and High Voltage board until one cycle spans five divisions. See Figure 11 for the adjustment location.
- 6. Verify that the display amplitude is $2 V_{p-p} \pm 2\%$ and the duty-cycle ratio is approximately 1 to 1.

Cursors and Readout Adjustments

To locate the adjustments for the following procedures, refer to Figure 13. The Control and I/O board occupies the top left-hand corner of the instrument.

Cursor Accuracy Use the following procedure to adjust the cursor accuracy.

1. Simultaneously press the front panel PROBE X1/X10 and the $\Delta V/\Delta T 1/\Delta T$ push switches to display the cursor calibration square.



Figure 12: Cursor calibration display

2. On the Control and I/O board, adjust the following potentiometers to position the alignment square as shown in Figure 12. See Figure 13 for the adjustment locations.

X-Gain:	VRA01
X-Position:	VRA02
Y-Gain:	VRA03
Y-Position:	VRA04

3. Simultaneously press the PROBE X1/X10 and the $\Delta V/\Delta T 1/\Delta T$ push switches again to exit the adjustment mode.



Figure 13: Control and I/O board (viewed from the instrument top)

- **Drift** Use the following procedure to minimize the readout drift.
 - 1. If the display readouts are not visible, simultaneously press the front panel PROBE X1/X10 and the CURSOR ON/OFF push switches.
 - **2.** While toggling the VERTICAL MODE switch between BOTH and ADD positions, adjust VRA05 on the Control and I/O board to minimize the character drift.
 - 3. Simultaneously press the PROBE X1/X10 and the $\Delta V/\Delta T 1/\Delta T$ push switches to turn off the display readouts, if desired.