

Power Sensor R&S NRP-Z24

Frequency range		10 MHz to 18 GHz
Matching (SWR)	10 MHz to 2.4 GHz >2.4 GHz to 8.0 GHz >8.0 GHz to 12.4 GHz >12.4 GHz to 18 GHz	< 1.14 < 1.25 < 1.30 < 1.41
Power measurement range	Continuous Average Burst Average Timeslot Scope	60 nW to 30 W (-42 dBm to +45 dBm) 60 μ W to 30 W (-12 dBm to +45 dBm) 0.2 μ W to 30 W (-37 dBm to +45 dBm) ³⁾ 3 μ W to 30 W (-25 dBm to +45 dBm) ⁴⁾
Max. power	Average Peak envelope power	36 W (+45.5 dBm) continuous (see diagram) 300 W (+55 dBm) for max. 10 μ s
Measurement subranges	Path 1 Path 2 Path 3	-42 dBm to +11 dBm -22 dBm to +31 dBm - 2 dBm to +45 dBm
Transition ranges	With automatic path selection, user def'd crossover ⁵⁾ set to 0 dB	(+ 6 \pm 2) dBm to (+12 \pm 2) dBm (+26 \pm 2) dBm to (+32 \pm 2) dBm
Display noise ¹⁴⁾	Path 1 Path 2 Path 3	< 27 nW (13 nW typ.) < 2.6 μ W (1.2 μ W typ.) < 0.26 mW (0.12 mW typ.)
Display noise, relative ¹⁵⁾	Measurement window 2 \times 100 μ s, without averaging Measurement window 2 \times 20 ms, averaging factor 32 (measure- ment time approx. 1 s)	< 0.160 dB (0.1 dB typ.) < 0.002 dB (0.001 dB typ.)
Zero offset ¹⁷⁾	Path 1 Path 2 Path 3	< 44 nW (20 nW typ.) < 4.2 μ W (2 μ W typ.) <0.42 mW (0.2 mW typ.)
Zero drift ¹⁸⁾	Path 1 Path 2 Path 3	< 15 nW < 1.3 μ W < 0.13 mW
Triggering	Source Slope (external, internal) Level Internal External Delay Holdoff Hysteresis	Bus, External, Hold, Immediate, Internal pos./neg. -14 dBm to +45 dBm See specs for R&S NRP and USB Adapter R&S NRP-Z3 -5 ms to +100 s 0 s to 10 s 0 dB to 10 dB

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Uncertainty for absolute power measurements³¹⁾ in dB

10 MHz to < 100 MHz				100 MHz to < 4 GHz						
0.199	0.218	0.249	0.291	0.193	0.212	0.244	0.287	(0 to 50) °C		
0.098	0.120	0.158	0.208	0.108	0.128	0.164	0.213	(15 to 35) °C		
0.078	0.091	0.128	0.178	0.088	0.102	0.136	0.184	(20 to 25) °C		
-15 ³⁷⁾	+33	+40	+43	+45	-15 ³⁷⁾	+33	+40	+43	+45	dBm

4 GHz to < 12.4 GHz				12.4 GHz to 18 GHz						
0.214	0.231	0.260	0.301	0.242	0.258	0.284	0.322	(0 to 50) °C		
0.135	0.151	0.183	0.228	0.167	0.181	0.208	0.248	(15 to 35) °C		
0.118	0.129	0.157	0.201	0.151	0.160	0.183	0.222	(20 to 25) °C		
-15 ³⁷⁾	+33	+40	+43	+45	-15 ³⁷⁾	+33	+40	+43	+45	dBm

Uncertainty for relative power measurements^{32), 33), 36)} in dB

10 MHz to < 100 MHz				100 MHz to 4 GHz					
+45	0.226	0.229	0.027	+45	0.209	0.218	0.038	(0 to 50) °C	
	0.084	0.080	0.022		0.088	0.085	0.032	(15 to 35) °C	
+33	0.046	0.044	0.022	+33	0.055	0.047	0.031	(20 to 25) °C	
+25	0.226	0.027	0.229	+25	0.206	0.028	0.218	(0 to 50) °C	
	0.083	0.022	0.080		0.083	0.022	0.085	(15 to 35) °C	
+13	0.045	0.022	0.044	+13	0.048	0.022	0.047	(20 to 25) °C	
+5	0.023	0.226	0.226	+5	0.023	0.206	0.209	(0 to 50) °C	
-15 ³⁷⁾	0.022	0.083	0.084	-15 ³⁷⁾	0.022	0.083	0.088	(15 to 35) °C	
	0.022	0.045	0.046		0.022	0.048	0.055	(20 to 25) °C	
dBm	-15 ³⁷⁾	+5 / +13	+25 / +33	+45	dBm	-15 ³⁷⁾	+5 / +13	+25 / +33	+45
> 4 GHz to 12.4 GHz				>12.4 GHz to 18 GHz					
+45	0.224	0.231	0.064	+45	0.244	0.245	0.086	(0 to 50) °C	
	0.111	0.106	0.061		0.135	0.128	0.084	(15 to 35) °C	
+33	0.084	0.077	0.060	+33	0.110	0.102	0.083	(20 to 25) °C	
+25	0.216	0.034	0.231	+25	0.230	0.040	0.245	(0 to 50) °C	
	0.096	0.027	0.106		0.112	0.034	0.128	(15 to 35) °C	
+13	0.063	0.025	0.077	+13	0.079	0.033	0.102	(20 to 25) °C	
+5	0.024	0.216	0.224	+5	0.024	0.230	0.244	(0 to 50) °C	
-15 ³⁷⁾	0.022	0.096	0.111	-15 ³⁷⁾	0.022	0.112	0.135	(15 to 35) °C	
	0.022	0.063	0.084		0.022	0.079	0.110	(20 to 25) °C	
dBm	-15 ³⁷⁾	+5 / +13	+25 / +33	+45	dBm	-15 ³⁷⁾	+5 / +13	+25 / +33	+45

Additional characteristics of the R&S NRP-Z22/-Z23/-Z24

Sensor type		3-path diode sensor with preceding power attenuator		
Measurand		average power of incident wave average power of source into 50 Ω^1)		
RF connector		N (male)		
Power attenuator	R&S NRP-Z22 R&S NRP-Z23 R&S NRP-Z24	10 dB 20 dB 25 dB		
Calibration uncertainty³⁰⁾ in dB (20 to 25) °C	0.01 GHz to < 0.1 GHz 0.1 GHz to 4.0 GHz > 4 GHz to 12.4 GHz > 12.4 GHz to 18.0 GHz	Path 1 <i>0.078</i> <i>0.084</i> <i>0.110</i> <i>0.139</i>	Path 2 <i>0.072</i> <i>0.077</i> <i>0.095</i> <i>0.118</i>	Path 3 <i>0.073</i> <i>0.077</i> <i>0.095</i> <i>0.18</i>
Measurement functions	Stationary and periodically modulated signals Non-recurring waveforms	Continuous Average Burst Average Timeslot Scope Scope		
Continuous Average function Continuous measurement of average power	Measurement window ⁷⁾ Duty cycle correction ⁸⁾ Smoothing Capacity of measurement buffer ⁹⁾	2 × (10 μ s to 300 ms) 0.001% to 100.00% See under Measurement window 1 to 1024 results		
Burst Average function Measurement of average burst power with automatic detection of burst (trigger settings required)	Detectable burst width Minimum gap between bursts Dropout tolerance ¹⁰⁾ Exclusion periods ¹¹⁾ Exclude from Start Exclude from End Measurement window ⁷⁾	20 μ s to 100 ms 10 μ s 0 ms to 3 ms 0 ms to 100 ms 0 ms to 3 ms 2 × (burst width - Excl. from Start - Excl. from End)		
Timeslot function Measurement of average power in one or more equidistant, successive timeslots	Duration (nominal width) Number of timeslots Exclusion periods ¹¹⁾ Excluded from Start Excluded from End Measurement window (per timeslot) ⁷⁾	10 μ s to 100 ms 1 to 128 (26 in case of operation from R&S NRP basic unit) 0 ms to 100 ms 0 ms to 3 ms 2 × (nom. width - Excl. from Start - Excl. from End)		
Scope function Measurement of power versus time	Modes Measurement window Δ ¹²⁾ Recurring Non-recurring Number of measurement points M Resolution Δ / M Beginning of time window (referenced to trigger)	For recurring and non-recurring waveforms (single) 2 × (100 μ s to 300 ms) 100 μ s to 300 ms 1 to 1024 ≥ 10 μ s -5 ms to 100 s		

Dynamic behaviour of video path	Bandwidth Rise time 10% / 90%	> 50 kHz (100 kHz) < 8 μ s (4 μ s)	Values in () for temp. range 15 °C to 35 °C
Sampling frequencies	Frequency 1 (default) Frequency 2 ¹³⁾	133.358 kHz 119.467 kHz	
Zeroing (duration)	Depends on setting of averaging filter AUTO ON AUTO OFF Integration time ¹⁶⁾ < 4 s 4 s to 16 s >16 s	4 s 4 s Integration time ¹⁶⁾ 16 s	
Measurement error due to harmonics $n \times f_0$ of carrier frequency¹⁹⁾ values in []: typ. standard uncertainty	$N = 3, 5, 7, \dots$ ²⁰⁾ $N = 2, 4, 6, \dots$ ²⁰⁾	-30 dBc -20 dBc -10 dBc -30 dBc -20 dBc -10 dBc	<0.003 dB [0.0015 dB] <0.010 dB [0.005 dB] <0.040 dB [0.015 dB] <0.001 dB [0.0003 dB] <0.002 dB [0.001 dB] <0.010 dB [0.003 dB]
Modulation influence²¹⁾ values in []: User def'd crossover <-6 dB	General WCDMA (3-GPP Test Model 1-64) Worst case Typical		measurement errors in subranges are proportional to power and depend on CCDF and modulation bandwidth of test signal -0.02 dB to +0.07 dB [-0.02 dB to +0.02 dB] -0.01 dB to +0.03 dB [-0.01 dB to +0.01 dB]
Averaging filter	Modes AUTO mode Reference power Continuous Average Burst Average Timeslot Scope ²²⁾ Normal operating mode ²³⁾ Resolution Fixed Noise operating mode Noise content Max. measurement time ²⁴⁾ Averaging factor N Result output Moving Average Repeat		AUTO OFF (fixed averaging factor) AUTO ON (continuously auto-adapted) AUTO ONCE (automatically fixed once) non-averaged result in measurement window non-averaged result in measurement window non-averaged result in reference timeslot ²⁵⁾ non-averaged result at reference point ²⁵⁾ setting of filter depends on power to be measured and resolution 1 (1 dB), 2 (0.1 dB), 3 (0.01 dB), 4 (0.001 dB) filter set to specified noise content 0.0001 dB to 1 dB 0.01 s to 999 s 1 to 2 ¹⁶ (number of averaged measurement windows) continuous with every newly evaluated measurement window (e.g. in case of manual operation via R&S NRP) only final result (e.g. in case of remote control of R&S NRP)
Measurement window	Duration Shape		as specified for the individual measurement functions rectangular (integrating behaviour; available for all measurement functions) Von Hann (smoothing filter, for efficient suppression of result variations due to modulation ²⁶⁾ ; only for Continuous Average function)

Measurement times ²⁷⁾	Continuous Average	$N \times (\text{duration of measurement window}^7) + 0.2\text{ms}) + t_z$
	Buffered, without averaging	buffer size \times (duration of measurement window ⁷⁾ + 0.5 ms) + t_z
	Burst Average	$(2 \text{ to } 4) \times N \times \text{burst period} + t_z$
	Timeslot, Scope	$(2 \text{ to } 4) \times N \times \text{trigger period} + t_z^{28)}$ $t_z : < 1.6 \text{ ms (0.9 ms on average)}$
Attenuation correction	Function	correcting the measurement result by means of a fixed factor (dB offset)
	Range	-100.000 dB to +100.000 dB
S-parameter correction	Function	Taking into account a component connected to the sensor input by loading its s-parameter data set into the sensor
	Number of frequencies Parameters Download	1 to 1000 s_{11} , s_{21} , s_{12} and s_{22} (in s2p format) With R&S NRP tool kit (supplied with sensor) via USB Adapter R&S NRP-Z3 or R&S NRP-Z4
Γ correction	Function	Reducing the influence of mismatched sources ²⁹⁾
	Parameters	Magnitude and phase of reflection coefficient of source
	Download	see under S-parameter correction
Frequency response correction	Function	taking into account the calibration factors relevant for the test frequency
	Parameter Permissible deviation from actual value	carrier frequency (center frequency) 50 MHz ($0.05 \times f$ below 1 GHz) for specified measurement uncertainty
Interface to host	Power supply	+5 V / 200 mA typ. (USB high-power device)
	Remote control	As a USB device (function) in full-speed mode, compatible with USB 1.0/1.1/2.0 specifications
	Trigger input	differential (0 / +3.3 V)
Dimensions	W x H x L	R&S NRP-Z22: 48 mm \times 31 mm \times 214 mm R&S NRP-Z23: 60 mm \times 54 mm \times 285 mm R&S NRP-Z24: 60 mm \times 54 mm \times 344 mm Length incl. connecting cable: approx. 1.6 m
Weight		R&S NRP-Z22: < 0.37 kg R&S NRP-Z23: < 0.48 kg R&S NRP-Z24: < 0.63 kg