



HP 8591E

### HP 8591E, 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E

#### Specifications

Specifications apply to any of these analyzers unless otherwise noted.

#### Frequency

##### Frequency Range

###### HP 8591E

50 Ω: 9 kHz to 1.8 GHz

75 Ω: 1 MHz to 1.8 GHz

	DC-coupled	AC-coupled
HP 8594E:	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz	100 kHz to 2.9 GHz
HP 8595E:	9 kHz to 6.5 GHz	100 kHz to 6.5 GHz

###### HP 8596E

Band	LO harmonic=N	Center frequency
0	1	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz (dc-coupled)
0	1	100 kHz to 2.9 GHz (ac-coupled)
1	1	2.75 to 6.5 GHz
2	2	6.0 to 12.8 GHz

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Band	LO harmonic=N	Center frequency
0	1	9 kHz to 2.9 GHz
1	1	2.75 to 6.5 GHz
2	2	6.0 to 12.8 GHz
3	3	12.4 to 19.4 GHz
4	4	19.1 to 22 GHz
4	4 (Opt 026)	19.1 to 26.5 GHz

#### Frequency Reference

Aging:  $\pm 2 \times 10^{-6}$ /year;  $\pm 1 \times 10^{-7}$ /year (Opt 004)

Temperature stability:  $\pm 5 \times 10^{-6}$ ;  $\pm 1 \times 10^{-8}$  (Opt 004)

Initial achievable accuracy:  $\pm 0.5 \times 10^{-6}$ ;  $\pm 2.2 \times 10^{-8}$  (Opt 004)

Frequency Readout Accuracy (start, stop, center, marker):  $\pm$  (frequency readout  $\times$  freq ref error + span accuracy + 1% of span + 20% of RBW + 100 Hz  $\times$  N)

#### Marker Count Accuracy

Span  $\leq 10$  MHz  $\times$  N:  $\pm$  (marker freq  $\times$  freq ref error + counter res + 100 Hz  $\times$  N)

Span  $> 10$  MHz  $\times$  N:  $\pm$  (marker freq  $\times$  freq ref error + counter res + 1 kHz  $\times$  N)

#### Counter resolution

Span  $\leq 10$  MHz  $\times$  N: Selectable from 10 Hz to 100 kHz

Span  $> 10$  MHz  $\times$  N: Selectable from 100 Hz to 100 kHz

#### Frequency Span

Range: 0 Hz (zero span) and

HP 8591E: 10 kHz to 1.8 GHz; 1 kHz min (Opt 130)

HP 8594E: 10 kHz to 2.9 GHz; 1 kHz min (Opt 130)

HP 8595E: 10 kHz to 6.5 GHz; 1 kHz min (Opt 130)

HP 8596E:  $[10 \times N]$  kHz to 12.8 GHz;  $[1 \times N]$  kHz min (Opt 130)

HP 8593E:  $[10 \times N]$  kHz to 19.25 GHz;  $[1 \times N]$  kHz min (Opt 130)

Resolution: Four digits or 20 Hz  $\times$  N, whichever is greater

#### Accuracy

Span  $\leq 10$  MHz  $\times$  N:  $\pm 2\%$  of span

Span  $> 10$  MHz  $\times$  N:  $\pm 3\%$  of span

#### Sweep Time

##### Range

Span = 0 Hz or  $> 10$  kHz: 20 ms to 100 s

Span = 0 Hz (Opt 101): 20  $\mu$ s to 100 s

#### Accuracy

20 ms to 100 s:  $\pm 3\%$

20  $\mu$ s to  $< 20$  ms (Opt 101):  $\pm 2\%$

Sweep trigger: Free run, single, line, video, external

Resolution Bandwidths: 1 kHz to 3 MHz (3 dB) in 1, 3, 10 sequence; 9 kHz and 120 kHz (6 dB) EMI bandwidths. Option 130 adds 30, 100, and 300 Hz (3 dB) bandwidths and 200 Hz (6 dB) EMI bandwidth.

Accuracy:  $\pm 20\%$

#### Selectivity (characteristic)

-60 dB/-3 dB: 3 to 10 kHz 15:1

100 kHz to 3 MHz 15:1

1 kHz, 30 kHz 16:1

-40 dB/-3 dB: 30 Hz to 300 Hz 10:1

Video Bandwidth Range: 30 Hz to 1 MHz in 1, 3 sequence (1 Hz to 1 MHz with Opt 130)

#### Stability

Noise sidebands (1 kHz RBW, 30 Hz VBW, sample detector)

$> 10$  kHz offset from CW signal:  $\leq -90$  dBc/Hz + 20 log N

$> 20$  kHz offset from CW signal:  $\leq -100$  dBc/Hz + 20 log N

$> 30$  kHz offset from CW signal:  $\leq -105$  dBc/Hz + 20 log N

#### Residual FM

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1 kHz RBW, 1 kHz VBW:  $\leq 250$  Hz p-p in 100 ms

30 Hz RBW, 30 Hz VBW:  $\leq 30$  Hz p-p in 300 ms

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1 kHz, RBW, 1 kHz VBW:  $\leq (250 \times N)$  Hz p-p in 100 ms

30 Hz RBW, 30 Hz VBW:  $\leq (30 \times N)$  Hz p-p in 300 ms

System Related Sidebands ( $> 30$  kHz offset from CW signal):

$\leq -65$  dBc + 20 log N

Comb Generator (HP 8593E, 8596E): 100 MHz fundamental frequency;  $\pm 0.007\%$  frequency accuracy

#### Amplitude

Amplitude Range: Displayed average noise level to +30 dBm

HP 8591 Opt 001: Displayed average noise level to +75 dBmV

Maximum Safe Input (input attenuator  $\geq 10$  dB)

Average continuous power: +30 dBm (1 W)

HP 8591E Opt 001: +75 dBmV (0.4 W)

#### Peak pulse power

HP 8591E: +30 dBm (1 W)

HP 8591E Opt 001: +75 dBmV (0.4 W)

HP 8593E, 8594E, 8595E, 8596E: +50 dBm (100 W) for  $< 10 \mu$ s pulse width and  $< 1\%$  duty cycle, input atten  $\geq 30$  dB

#### DC

HP 8591E: 25 Vdc

HP 8591E Opt 001: 100 Vdc

HP 8593E: 0 Vdc

HP 8594E, 8595E, 8596E: 0 V (dc-coupled); 50 V (ac-coupled)

Gain Compression ( $> 10$  MHz):  $\leq 0.5$  dB (total power at input mixer = -10 dBm)

Displayed Average Noise Level (input terminated, 0 dB atten, 30 Hz VBW or 1 Hz VBW with Opt 130, sample detector)

	30 Hz RBW	1 kHz RBW
HP 8591E		
400 kHz to 1 MHz	$\leq -130$ dBm	$\leq -115$ dBm
1 MHz to 1.5 GHz	$\leq -130$ dBm	$\leq -115$ dBm
1.5 GHz to 1.8 GHz	$\leq -128$ dBm	$\leq -113$ dBm
HP 8591E Opt 001		
1 MHz to 1.5 GHz	$\leq -78$ dBmV	$\leq -63$ dBmV
1.5 GHz to 1.8 GHz	$\leq -76$ dBmV	$\leq -61$ dBmV
HP 8594E		
400 kHz to 5 MHz	$\leq -122$ dBm	$\leq -107$ dBm
5 MHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -127$ dBm	$\leq -112$ dBm
HP 8595E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -125$ dBm	$\leq -110$ dBm
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -127$ dBm	$\leq -112$ dBm
HP 8596E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -125$ dBm	$\leq -110$ dBm
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -127$ dBm	$\leq -112$ dBm
6.0 to 12.8 GHz	$\leq -115$ dBm	$\leq -100$ dBm
HP 8593E		
400 kHz to 2.9 GHz	$\leq -127$ dBm	$\leq -112$ dBm
2.75 to 6.5 GHz	$\leq -129$ dBm	$\leq -114$ dBm
6.0 to 12.8 GHz	$\leq -117$ dBm	$\leq -102$ dBm
12.4 to 19.4 GHz	$\leq -113$ dBm	$\leq -98$ dBm
19.1 to 22 GHz	$\leq -107$ dBm	$\leq -92$ dBm
HP 8593E Opt 026		
19.1 to 26.5 GHz	$\leq -102$ dBm	$\leq -87$ dBm