Model 525 Pulse / Digital Delay Generator



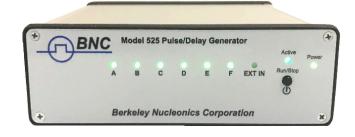


Features

- 6 Channels of Delay and Width
- 2 ns Timing Resolution
- < 50 ps RMS Channel Jitter
- USB Power
- LED Indicators

Applications

- ICCD/PIV Testing
- Laser Triggering / Gating
- Pulse DUTs and Pump Lasers
- Radar / Sonar Simulation
- High Speed Photography



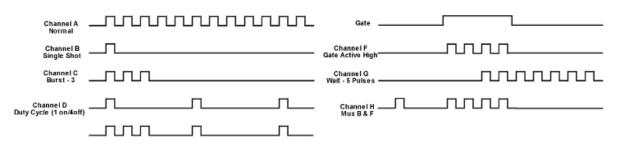
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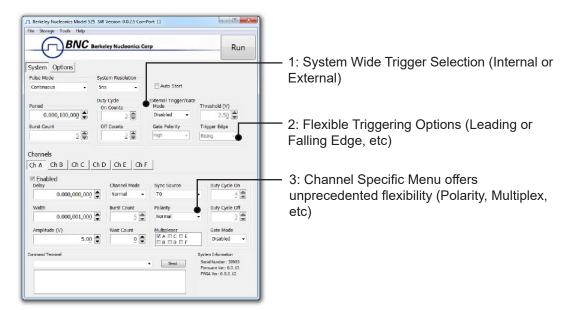
Description

The Model 525 Digital Delay/Pulse Generator offers users a performance benchtop delay generator rich with output features in a compact package. The interface is USB only, which eliminates the bulky front panel components and reduces the potential for mechanical problems. The timing and triggering flexibility is outstanding, with 20 MHz rep rates, 2ns timing resolution, <50 ps RMS Channel jitter and internal or external triggering options. Outputs can be selected for each channel, giving users the ability to trigger, gate or pulse various devices in a research project with different requirements. Single Pulse, Continuous, Burst, Duty Cycle and Cycle Counting are all selectable options for each channel. Wide pulses are also possible, with a width range of 10 ns - 1000 s and a delay from trigger range up to 1000 s. Trigger externally with signals up to 30 V peak and widths as low as 20 ns on the rising or falling edge.

The following diagram illustrates some popular output modes:



The friendly BNC GUI will be familiar to existing customers, with a few new features added. The additional channels in the Model 525 allow for a greater variety of pulse sequences and multiplexing. SCPI and LabView compatibility offer users many options to interface to their Model 525. The provided GUI is shown below:



Main BNC GUI Interface





hannels Th A Ch B Ch C Ch E	Ch E Ch F		
☑ Enabled Delay	Channel Mode	Sync Source	Duty Cycle On
0.000,000,000	Normal +	T0 -	4 ♥
Width 0.000,001,000	Burst Count	Polarity Normal -	Duty Cycle Off
Amplitude (V)	Walt Count	Multiplexer	Gate Mode Disabled 👻

Channel Parameters Sub-Menu

Channel Parameter Sub-Menu: Select channel properties quickly for absolute flexibility in output sequences (independent time and amplitude domain, burst, multiplex, gating, etc).



Model 525 Rear Panel Shown Above

The handy rear panel offers ample spacing of output connectors for easy setup. The Output nomenclature is backlit to enable a visual indicator of active channels. An external trigger can be used to initiate pulses, or a gate pulse can be used to limit pulses according to an active high or active low gate. Use the clock in to synchronize to laser cavities or other external sources. The compact design and power over USB reduce the bench / rack space required. With illuminated indicators on both panels, the Model 525 can be positioned with output cables on the front or back depending on user requirements. The Power Button doubles as a run/stop control as well, simply press to run or hold to power down.

Specifications

Internal Rate Generator			
Rate (To Period)	0.001Hz to 20MHz (1000s to 50ns)		
Resolution & Accuracy	4 ns		
Jitter	< 50 ps RMS		
Burst / Duty Cycle Mode	1 to 1,000,000 pulses		
Timebase	200 MHz / 250MHz low jitter PLL		
Oscillator	50 MHz, 50 ppm crystal oscillator, optional 1ppm clock		
Pulse Control Modes	Internal rate generator, external trigger / gate		
Systems Output Modes	Single, continuous, burst, duty cycle, cycle counts		
Pulse & Period Counter	32 Bit		
Synchronized Update Mode	Updates widths and delays on command		
Pulse Delay Generation			
Width / Delay Resolution	4 ns		
Width Range	10 ns - 1000 s		
Width Accuracy	10 ns + 0.0001 x (width + delay)		
Delay Range	±1000 s		
Delay Accuracy	4 ns / 5 ns + (0.0001 x delay)		
Multiplexer	Any / all channels may be OR'd to any / All outputs. 2x the number of outputs via virtual channels for mixing		
Channel Output Modes	Single Shot, normal, burst, duty cycle		
Channel Control Modes	Internally triggered or externally gated. Each channel may be independently set to any of the modes.		
Jitter (Channel to Channel)	< 250 ps RMS		
External Gate / Trigger Input			
Threshold	0.2 to 15 VDC		
Max Input Voltage	30 V Peak		
Gate Polarity	Active high / active low		
Gate Control Modes	Pulse inhibit / output inhibit		
Trigger Edge	Rising or falling		
Trigger Rate	DC to 20 MHz		
Trigger Input Jitter	< 5 ns RMS		
Trigger Minimum Pulse Width	20 ns		
Trigger Insertion Delay	< 100 ns		
Pulse Inhibit Delay	< 150 ns		
Output Inhibit Delay	< 100 ns		
Trigger Input Function	System can generate a single, burst or duty cycle response of pulses for every external trigger pulse.		
Outputs			
Output Impedance	50 ohm		
Output Level	3.3 – 5 VDC into ≥ 1 K ohm, 1.7 – 2.5 VDC into 50 ohm		
Resolution	20 mV		
Current	5 mA into 1 K ohm, 50 mA into 50 ohm		
Rise Time	< 2ns @ 5 V (high impedance), < 1ns @ 2.5 V (50 ohm)		
Overshoot	< 100 mV + 10 % of pulse amplitude		
General			
USB	Standard USB 2.0		
Baud Rate	Up to 115200 bits /sec typ.		
Voltage	+ 5 VDC ± 250 mVDC		
Current Dimensions	< 470 mA 7.125 x 5.1 x 1.5 inches (18.1 x 13 x 3.8 cm). 1lb		
Ordering Information			
Model 525	6 Channel Digital Delay / Pulse Generator (includes travel bag)		
P/N 525-HC	6 Channel Digital Delay / Pulse Generator (includes travel bag) Hard Case for Model 525		
P/N 525-10	Extended Service Agreement, 3 Years (includes NIST Cal)		
P/N 525-5War	Extended Service Agreement, 3 Years (includes NIST Cal) Extended Service Agreement, 5 Years (includes NIST Cal)		