# BNC VNA Calibration Kits

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Models: 8550CK10 – Fixed Load Kit 50 Ohm 8580CK10 – Fixed Load Kit 75 Ohm



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8550CK10 & 8580CK10 MODELS

### Features

- >  $50\Omega$  or  $75\Omega$  BNC Connectors
- > DC to 10.0 GHz & DC to 12.0 GHz
- > Simple Fixed Load Calibration
- > Keysight, Rohde & Schwarz and Anritsu VNAs Supported

### **Calibration Methods Supported**

- > 8550CK10 (50Ω) Fixed Load
  SOLT (DC–10.0 GHz)
- > 8580CK10 (75Ω) Fixed Load
  SOLT (DC–12.0 GHz)

### The Importance of VNA Calibration

Imperfections exist in even the finest test equipment. If un- corrected these systematic imperfections cause the equipment to yield less accurate measurements. The basis of network analyzer error correction is referred to as "calibration" of which multiple methods exist.

### **Calibration Method**

SOLT calibration, which uses Short, Open and Load standards, requires precise models of the standards' electrical performance. Fixed load SOLT uses fixed terminations and is adequate for measuring devices with mid-range reflection coefficients. The lowest return loss is limited by the reflection coefficient of the fixed load standard (typically better than 20 dB return loss\*).

8550CK10 calibration kits are designed for calibrating Vector Network Analyzers (VNAs) from DC to 10.0 GHz for making 50 ohm measurements of devices with BNC connectors. The 8580CK10 kits are likewise designed for calibrating VNAs that will be used to make measurements of devices with 75 $\Omega$  BNC connector measurements.

A full complement of calibration standards (opens, shorts and fixed terminations, female and male) are included in both the 8550CK10 and 8580CK10 kits. All components are housed in a foam-lined wooden instrument case. Operating instructions with the calibration standard constants can be downloaded from the Maury website. The instruction manual explains how the cal constants can be keyed in from the VNA's front panel. Optional VNA software, specific to your VNA make and model, is sold separately.

# A012A

### **Recommended Accessories**

### A012A 50 $\Omega/75\Omega$ Dial Indicator Style Connector Gage Kit:

This kit contains one (1) "push-on" type gage for measuring the female and male contact pin and dielectric interface locations for  $50\Omega$  and  $75\Omega$  BNC connectors.

### 8582D3/D4 Series Phase Matched 75 $\Omega$ BNC Adapters:

These between series adapters are designed to adapt  $75\Omega$  BNC to 7mm.

Visit maurymw.com for detailed information.

### 2621A1/B1 Series Phase Matched 50Ω BNC Adapters:

These between series adapters are designed to adapt  $50\Omega$  BNC to 7mm. Visit maurymw.com for detailed information.

Go to www.maurymw.com/Precision/Adapters.php to see all Maury 50W and 75W BNC between series adapters.

### **Maury AFTNC VNA Calibration Kits**

Maury precision AFTNC VNA calibration kits include each of the calibration standards and tools shown in the tables at the right. The 8680CK10/20 kits do not include adapters; the 8680CK11/21 kits include one each of the in-series adapters shown. Other in-series and between-series adapters are sold separately.

### **Components Included in 8550CK10 Kits**

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	MODEL
1	$50\Omega$ BNC female fixed short circuit	361N2
1	$50\Omega$ BNC male fixed short circuit	361P2
1	$50\Omega$ BNC female open circuit	371N2
1	$50\Omega$ BNC male open circuit	371P2
1	$50\Omega$ BNC female fixed termination	351A2
1	$50\Omega$ BNC male fixed termination	351B2
1	Foam-lined wood instrument case	—

Between series adapters are available by separate order. Go to maurymw.com for more information.

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### **Components Included in 8580CK10 Kits**

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	MODEL
1	$75\Omega$ BNC female fixed short circuit	8584A1
1	$75\Omega$ BNC male fixed short circuit	8584B1
1	$75\Omega$ BNC female open circuit	8585A1
1	75Ω BNC male open circuit	8585B1
1	$75\Omega$ BNC female fixed termination	8583A1
1	75Ω BNC male fixed termination	8583B1
1	Foam-lined wood instrument case	_

Between series adapters are available by separate order. Go to maurymw.com for more information.

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### 50Ω BNC COMPONENT SPECIFICATIONS



## $50\Omega$ Fixed Terminations – Models 351A2 and 351B2

Frequency Range -- DC to 10.0 GHz Maximum VSWR: DC to 2.0 GHz -- 1.04 2.0 to 4.0 GHz -- 1.10 4.0 to 10.0 GHz -- 1.20 Nominal Impedance -- 50 ohm Power Handling -- 2.0 watt CW, 1.0 kW peak



# $50\Omega$ Fixed Shorts – Models 361N2 and 361P2

Frequency Range -- DC to 10.0 GHz Reflection Coefficient -- 0.98 minimum Phase Accuracy -- ± 5.0 degrees Nominal Impedance -- 50 ohm



# $50\Omega$ Open Circuits – Models 371N2 and 371P2

Frequency Range -- DC to 10 GHz Reflection Coefficient -- 0.98 minimum Phase Accuracy -- ± 5.0 degrees Nominal Impedance -- 50 ohm

75Ω BNC COMPONENT SPECIFICATIONS



### 75Ω Fixed Terminations – Models 8583A1 & 8583B1

Frequency Range -- DC to 12.0 GHz Maximum VSWR: DC to 2.0 GHz -- 1.02 2.0 to 4.0 GHz -- 1.04 4.0 to 12.0 GHz -- 1.10 Nominal Impedance -- 75 ohm Power Handling -- 1 watt CW



# $75\Omega$ Fixed Shorts – Models 8584A1 & 8584B1

Frequency Range -- DC to 12.0 GHz Reflection Coefficient -- 0.98 minimum Phase Accuracy: DC to 2.0 GHz --  $\pm$  1.0° 2.0 to 3.0 GHz --  $\pm$  2.0° 3.0 to 12.0 GHz --  $\pm$  6.0°

Nominal Impedance -- 75 ohm



# $75\Omega$ Open Circuits – Models 8585A1 and 8585B1

Frequency Range -- DC to 12.0 GHz Reflection Coefficient -- 0.98 minimum Phase Accuracy: DC to 2.0 GHz --  $\pm$  1.0° 2.0 to 3.0 GHz --  $\pm$  2.0° 3.0 to 12.0 GHz --  $\pm$  6.0° Nominal Impedance -- 75 ohm

### **50Ω BNC Connector Description**

Maury BNC series connectors are 50-ohm impedance connectors with two-stud bayonet coupling. These connectors conform to MIL-PRF-39012 (formerly MIL-C-39012). The connectors are normally made with stainless steel bodies and with heat treated gold-plated beryllium copper contacts.

### **75Ω BNC Connector Description**

Maury BNC series connectors are 75-ohm impedance connectors with two-stud bayonet coupling. These connectors conform to MIL-PRF-39012 (formerly MIL-C-39012). The connectors are normally made with stainless steel bodies and with heat treated gold-plated beryllium copper contacts.

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