Get More Out of Your Test Setup

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But developing a fast, efficient test setup or expanding capacity of your existing setup needn’t require prohibitive cost. Mini-Circuits has developed a line of innovative products to help customers get more out of their test setups by integrating functions of switching and routing, attenuation, signal generation, sensing and more. Depending on the application, these functions may be used as standalone solutions off the shelf or easily integrated to build scalable, automated testing platforms customized to each user’s individual needs. Our test solutions are easy to control via USB, Ethernet and a variety of other convenient interfaces, and our complete software package gives you the ability to plug and play right out of the box, or develop your own software.

Mini-Circuits has successfully helped hundreds of customers improve efficiency and reduce cost in their test operation, and we hope the information in this guide gives you some ideas about how we can help you do the same.

The Mini-Circuits Difference

Flexible
Every test application is unique. At Mini-Circuits, our wealth of components in stock allows us to take a building-block approach to developing systems that meet the specific needs of each test setup. From off-the-shelf components and modules to turnkey custom builds, our solutions give you all the functions you need with the flexibility to scale and modify your stack as your needs evolve over time.

- Wide variety of components in stock from DC to 67 GHz
- Off-the-shelf, DIY kits, modular and custom options
- Flexible hardware, software and firmware
- Expand and reconfigure as your needs change

Reliable
When you work with Mini-Circuits to expand your test setup, you’re getting the assurance that comes with 50+ years of quality management experience. All our test solutions come fully tested and characterized by our team in house, and meet the rigorous standards that have earned the industry’s trust since 1968.

- All components and assembled systems tested and characterized in-house
- Rugged designs for demanding lab and production environments
- Award-winning quality excellence

Affordable
Most high-end test equipment comes at a heavy premium for dozens of advanced features that many users don’t need. Mini-Circuits test solutions give you the high-performance and functionality you need to get more out of your test setup without the heavy capital expenditures.

- Get more functionality and capacity out of your existing instrumentation
- High-performance custom systems without breaking the bank
- Save cost on extra features you don’t need

Fast
We know the turnaround time on custom test equipment directly affects your time to market. That’s why we put the full capability of our manufacturing and supply chain organizations behind our test solutions to make speed a competitive advantage. Mini-Circuits offers some of the fastest turnaround times on custom test equipment in the industry.

- Wide selection of models in stock for immediate shipment
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Our Software or Yours

Plug and Play

Mini-Circuits’ User-Friendly GUI Software

All Mini-Circuits test solutions come ready to use out of the box with our user-friendly GUI software for Windows® systems. Just install the software package on your PC, connect to the unit via USB or LAN and get to work. Mini-Circuits’ GUI program gives you manual control over the hardware with a simple point-and-click interface as well as the ability to automate sequences for your test flow.

Integrate with Your Native Test Software

Full API and Programming Instructions

For users already working with Python, LabVIEW® or other popular test software, we provide a full API with programming instructions for Windows and Linux® environments with every system. This way you have the option to write your own program and integrate your Mini-Circuits hardware seamlessly with the rest of your test setup.

Software Highlights:

- LAN interface for remote control over a network
- USB interface for local PC control
- Automate switching, attenuation and measurement functions from any common programming environment
- LabVIEW, MatLab, Python, C#, C++, VB supported
- Simple “point and click” control using Mini-Circuits’ user-friendly GUI

Personal Engineer-to-Engineer Support

Customers choose Mini-Circuits because they know they’re getting quality and performance they can count on. But what really sets us apart is our close collaboration with customers at the engineering level from definition to delivery.

The specifications for many systems are often defined concurrently with the design process, and customers look to us to partner with them in making their projects successful. That means we need the competence and expertise to understand your needs, and the agility in our processes design and assemble a diverse range of user-defined solutions on a tight timeline.
Managing signal traffic between measurement instrumentation and multiple devices under test (DUTs) is one of the most common needs in all lab environments. Mini-Circuits offers a full range of solutions for switching and routing, whether you’re looking for complex, integrated switch matrices, simple benchtop switch modules, or discrete mechanical and solid-state switches to assemble yourself.
### Mechanical Switch Boxes

**Overview**

Mini-Circuits’ compact RC- and RCM-series USB- and Ethernet-controlled switch boxes offer versatile high-performance mechanical switch systems for lab and production environments. A wide range of switch options are available from stock, from SPDT to SP8T, with frequency ranges up to 50 GHz. Each switch box is integrated with a robust controller supporting Ethernet & USB interfaces. Our electromechanical switches offer exceptionally wide bandwidths with low insertion loss, high isolation and high power ratings, ideal for test and automation applications.

**Key Benefits**

- Typically available from stock for immediate shipment
- Affordable solution for a wide range of signal routing and test requirements
- Small size for almost any lab environment

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Modular Switch Systems

Overview
Mini-Circuits’ modular switch systems offer flexibility, customizable functionality and fast turnaround for automated test setups. Choose one of our standard benchtop or rack-mount chassis structures and configure your system with our industry-leading range of rugged and high-performance mechanical switches. Mini-Circuits’ smart modular controller provides a single interface to your system, with complete software and applications support.

Key Benefits
- Built to order with fast turnaround
- Three chassis options with customizable hardware windows
- Your choice of switch modules from SPDT to SP8T
- Frequency ranges up to 50 GHz
- Configure your system online for a free quote!

Configure Your System Online
Visit our website to visualize your modular switch system in a few easy steps, then submit your configuration and online to receive a full quote and specification:

- RCM series compact benchtop housing
  minicircuits.com/WebStore/rcm
- ZTM series 3U rack chassis
  minicircuits.com/WebStore/ztm
- ZTM2 series 5U rack chassis
  minicircuits.com/WebStore/ztm2

Configure and Quote

Popular Benchttop Configurations (RCM-Series)
Starting from $3,250

RCM-401
3 x SP6T (40 GHz)

RCM-205
2 x SPDT + 2 x DPDT (18 GHz)

Popular 3U Rack-Mounted Configurations (ZTM-Series)
Starting from $5,050

ZTM-97
4 x SP4T (40 GHz)
2 x SPDT (40 GHz)

ZTM-6SP6T-26
6 x SP6T (26.5 GHz)

ZTM-93
8 x SPDT (18 GHz)
2 x SP6T (12 GHz)

ZTM-203
12 x SP6T (40 GHz)

ZTM2-7
10 x SP4T (18 GHz)
2 x SP6T (12 GHz)
Mechanical Switch Arrays

Starting from $1,995

Overview
Mini-Circuits’ purpose-built mechanical switch array racks can be configured according to your exact specifications. Our catalog includes a wide range of standard switch configurations that may solve your problem without the need for development time, but if you don’t see a configuration that works for you, get in touch and our applications engineering team will work with you to develop the right solution.

Key Benefits
- Wide selection of switches from SPDT to SP8T
- Options up to 50 GHz
- Rugged 19" rack-mount chassis
- USB and Ethernet control options

Featured Systems

**ZT-310**
- 32 x DPDT / transfer switches
- DC to 18 GHz
- Switches mounted on front and rear panels
- Control via Ethernet and USB
- Daisy-chain stacking of systems supported. Allows multiple systems to be linked together and controlled through a single interface

**ZT-14SP6T-40**
- 14 independent SP6T switches
- DC to 40 GHz
- Arranged in star configuration on front panel
- Dual SP36T application with external interconnect cables
- Control via Ethernet and USB

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Solid State Switches

Overview

Mini-Circuits’ solid-state switch modules are ideal for applications requiring fast switching times and bullet-proof reliability. Options from SPDT to SP16T are available from stock, with some models operating up to 40 GHz.

Our solid-state design approach achieves superior isolation performance, combining some of the benefits typically reserved to mechanical switches with the speed and longer life of semiconductor-based designs. Ideal for sensitive test applications where signal selectivity is critical!

Key Benefits

• Ultra-high reliability with long switching life
• Switch transition time as fast as 5 ns
• Daisy-chain configuration simplifies control systems

Simplify Your Control System

The USB interface with full software support makes integrating switches into computer-controlled test systems a simple case of “plug and play.” No need to spend time developing custom micro-controller implementations and software drivers.

TTL, SPI and I2C control options are also available on specific models where direct logic control interfaces are preferred.

Daisy Chain Control of Multiple Switches

The additional serial control ports on selected models support Mini-Circuits’ daisy-chain control feature with “dynamic addressing.” This simplifies control systems by allowing multiple switches to be combined into a master-slave chain. Simply connect, then power on and the whole chain of compatible switches can be controlled independently through a single USB connection and software interface.

SPI Timing Diagram for 3 units in series

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Solid State Switch Racks

Starting from $12,655

Overview

Leverage Mini-Circuits’ full range of high-performance solid-state switches to simplify your production test racks, integrating your required switch configuration within a convenient rack-mountable chassis with a single Ethernet / USB control interface.

Popular configurations are available from our catalog without special development effort, and custom systems are available on request. Our novel daisy-chain interface can also be included, enabling multiple switch racks to be stacked so that all control is managed through a single software interface.

### Standard Models

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<tr>
<th>Model Number</th>
<th>Switch Type</th>
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<td>Front &amp; Rear</td>
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### Featured Systems

**ZTS-1SP80T-63H**
- Single SP80T switch, 10-6000 MHz
- N-type input & SMA outputs
- Control via Ethernet & USB
- Daisy-chain stacking interface

**ZTS-16SP4T-63H**
- 16 x SP4T switches, 10-6000 MHz
- SMA connectors on front panel
- Control via Ethernet & USB
- Daisy-chain stacking interface

**ZTS-6SP8T-63R**
- 6 x SP8T switches, 10-6000 MHz
- All SMA connectors on rear panel
- High isolation
- Control via Ethernet & USB

### Simplify your switch rack control system using Mini-Circuits’ novel daisy-chain stacking system:

1. Connect together multiple solid-state switch racks using the serial In and Out connectors
2. Automatically create a single "stacked" system, by powering on each rack
3. Connect a single USB or Ethernet connection to the “Master” unit for control
4. Easily manage and control every switch in the stack through a single software GUI or API
Switch Matrices

Overview
Our integrated switch matrices provide reliable and repeatable signal routing for any application. Blocking, non-blocking and full fan-out switch matrices are available using many combinations of mechanical and solid-state switch technologies to meet your unique system requirements.

Key Benefits
- Blocking, non-blocking and full fanout configurations
- Ideal for managing complex signal traffic
- Combinations of mechanical and solid state switches for optimal performance

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<th>Feature</th>
<th>Blocking</th>
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Non-Blocking Switch Matrices
Starting from $11,825

Fan-Out Operation:
- Splitters on inputs, switches on outputs

Switch Path Combinations
- One to many
- Each path connects a single input to any combination of outputs
- The input port can be used by multiple active paths
- The output ports can’t be used by any other active paths

Advantages
- Multiple devices on the outputs can be driven by the same input

Common Applications:
- Receiver Testing

Fan-In Operation:
- Switches on inputs, splitters on outputs

Switch Path Combinations
- Many to one
- Each path connects any combination of inputs to a single output
- The input ports can’t be used by any other active paths
- The output port can be used by multiple active paths

Advantages
- Multiple devices on the inputs can feed the same output

Common Applications:
- Transmitter testing
### Non-Blocking Switch Matrices Continued

#### Standard Configurations

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#### Close-Up: ZT-10X30NB

High-performance 10 x 30 non-blocking switch matrix

- Bi-directional operation
- Any of the 10 "A" ports can connect to any combination of the 30 "B" ports
- Ideally suited to cellular test systems
- Allows 30 separate test stations to access any of 10 base-station channels, without affecting any other test stations.

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#### Blocking Switch Matrices

Starting from $11,845

#### Construction
- Switches on inputs and outputs

#### Advantages
- Broadest frequency range options
- Lowest insertion loss

#### Common Applications:
- Multi-channel / MIMO / LTE radio testing
- Satcom signal routing
- Component characterisation / qualification testing
- VNA extension

#### Switch Path Combinations
- One-to-one
- Each path connects a single input to a single output
- The input and output can’t be used by any other active paths
- Bi-directional operation
### Blocking Standard Configurations

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**Blocking Switch Matrices Continued**

**Close-Up: ZTVX-16-18-S**

Broadband 2x16 blocking switch matrix, operating up to 18 GHz. The low loss, high isolation and blocking configuration with 2 active paths lends itself to use as a VNA extender:

- Extension of a 2-port VNA to multiple DUT
- Characterisation of multi-port devices
- Testing of MIMO systems with high channel counts
- 2 x 8, 2 x 10, 2 x 12, 2 x 16 and 2 x 32 configurations available

### Parameter Conditions

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**Overview**

“Full fan-out” or “fully non-blocking” systems use a combination of programmable attenuators and splitter/combiners to provide a completely flexible set of paths between a group of input and output ports. Similar to a switch matrix except any individual path can be “on” (0 dB attenuation), or “off” (max attenuation), or any attenuation value in-between. In addition, all inputs can connect simultaneously to all outputs, and all paths are bi-directional. This completely flexible set of characteristics provides a powerful matrix for test environments.

**Key Benefits**

- Many-to-many configuration—all inputs can connect to all outputs simultaneously
- Programmable attenuators on every channel to vary path loss
- Ideal for transceiver / handover test systems

**Construction**

- Splitter/combiners on inputs and outputs
- Programmable attenuators used for path “switching” and signal level control

**Switch Path Combinations**

- Many to many
- Each path connects any combination of inputs to any combination of outputs
- All input and output ports can be used by multiple active paths

**Advantages**

- Completely flexible path combinations
- Programmable attenuators allow precise signal level, rather than just on or off
- Multiple devices on the inputs can feed the same output
- Multiple devices on the outputs can be driven by the same input

**Common Applications**

- Transmitter & receiver testing
- Cellular handover testing
- Massive MIMO

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**Fully Non-Blocking Standard Configurations**

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**Close-Up: ZT-8RX8**

8x8 Full Fan-Out / Fully Non-Blocking Matrix

- Operation from 500 MHz to 6 GHz
- USB & Ethernet control

**Path Loss at Attenuation Steps:**

- Frequency
- Path Loss
  - 500 – 3000 MHz: 23 - 28 dB
  - 3000 – 6000 MHz: 28 - 34 dB
- Return Loss
  - 500 – 3000 MHz: 18 - 28 dB
  - 3000 – 6000 MHz: 13 - 18 dB
- Attenuation Range
  - Per path, 0.25 dB steps: 0 - 63 dB
  - Isolation (between adjacent ports @ 0 dB)
    - 500 – 3000 MHz: 45 - 52 dB
    - 3000 – 6000 MHz: 48 - 57 dB
  - Isolation (in <> out @ 63 dB)
    - 500 – 3000 MHz: 83 - 90 dB
    - 3000 – 6000 MHz: 90 - 97 dB
- Input Power
  - +20 dBm

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**Functional Schematic:**

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Signal Conditioning & Attenuation

Our programmable attenuator product line provides versatile solutions for automating signal level control, simulating the effects of signal fading and a number of other useful functions. Our programmable attenuators offer outstanding accuracy, even at the highest attenuation settings and wide frequency ranges up to 50 GHz. These devices may be used individually or integrated into multi-channel systems for higher-volume setups.

Programmable Attenuators Off the Shelf

Overview

Mini-Circuits’ compact programmable attenuators are designed with wide attenuation ranges and fine step sizes, for precise signal level control. Coupled with our standard USB & Ethernet control interfaces, these devices are easily integrated into any test system for simulation of transmission loss, signal fading, cross talk and power level calibration.

Key Benefits

• Frequency range up to 50 GHz
• Attenuation range up to 120 dB
• Step size as small as 0.05 dB
• Automation via Ethernet or USB

Common Applications

• Transmission loss simulation
• LTE / 4G / 5G network infrastructure
• IoT / Bluetooth / Zigbee / Wi-Fi 6E
• Power level cycling

Catalog Models

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Programmable Attenuators Off the Shelf Continued

Close-Up: RCDAT-8G-120H

Key Features:
- 0 to 120 dB attenuation range with 0.05 dB steps!
- Operation from 200 MHz to 8 GHz
- USB & Ethernet control

Close-Up: RCDAT-40G-30

Key Features:
- Consistent attenuation up to 40 GHz!
- 0-30 dB programmable attenuation in 0.5 dB steps
- USB & Ethernet control
- Daisy-chain up to 25 attenuators via single control interface

Multi-Channel Attenuators Off the Shelf

Compact Modules

Overview

Mini-Circuits’ RC4DAT (4-channel) and RC8DAT (8-channel) series programmable attenuators are the perfect solution for multi-channel and multi-device test systems.

Each model combines 4 or 8 independently controllable attenuation channels in one compact package, with high isolation of cross-talk between channels. All channels are controlled through a single interface.

Key Benefits
- Multiple independently controlled channels in a single, compact module
- Frequency range up to 8 GHz
- Attenuation range up to 120 dB
- Step size as small as 0.05 dB

Common Applications
- Cellular handover testing
- MIMO verification
- Mesh network testing

Multi-Channel Attenuators — Catalog Models

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Multi-Channel Attenuators Continued

Rack-Mount Systems

Starting from $15,495

Overview

Our ZTDAT-series attenuator racks cater to test systems where a greater number of programmable channels are required. With models operating up to 8 GHz and up to 48 channels per system, most wireless test applications in the L, S and C bands can be accommodated.

Key Benefits

- 19” rack mount chassis
- Up to 48 channels per system
- Daisy chain multiple systems for more channels from a single interface

Daisy Chain Control Stacking

Multiple units can be configured into a single system using Mini-Circuits’ daisy-chain stacking interface, allowing 100s of attenuator channels to be controlled through a single USB or Ethernet connection.

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In addition to hundreds of general-purpose test systems, Mini-Circuits has developed several solutions based on common test use cases in the market. Our solutions include multiple options for simulating real-world signal conditions in the lab environment, high-power test systems to scale up throughput for burn-in testing and more.

Cellular Handover Test Systems

Overview

Testing of multi-band cellular systems typically requires a test environment capable of combining and varying signals from multiple radios and interferers into the device (or devices) under test. Mini-Circuits has a range of handover test systems combining programmable attenuators and power splitters and combiners for this purpose. These configurations allow simulation of “real-world” conditions for wireless handsets, radio-heads, antenna systems, base-stations and nodes.

Key Benefits

- Simulates distance and signal transition in a lab environment
- Independently controlled attenuation on every channel
- Expandable by connecting multiple units in daisy chain configuration

Typical applications include:

1. Varying path loss between a wireless device and node during transmission
2. Hand-over from one node to another as a wireless device moves out of range
3. Verification of device performance in the presence of multiple radio signals and interferers

Targeted Solutions & Use Cases

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Close-Up: ZT-278

4-Input to 32-Output Matrix

Key Features:

- Independent 0-95 dB attenuation per output
- Operation from 500 MHz to 6 GHz
- USB & Ethernet control

Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
--- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
Frequency | - | 500 | 6000 MHz |
Insertion Loss | Attenuation = 0 dB | - | 18 | 22 | dB |
Return Loss | - | - | 12 | - | dB |
Isolation | Between outputs of the same splitter | 22 | 35 | - | dB |
| Between adjacent input ports | 90 | 100 | - | dB |
Attenuation Range | 0.25 dB Steps | 0 | 90 | dB |
| 0.50 dB Steps | 90 | 95 | dB |
Input Power | RF-A, RF-B, RF-C, RF-D | - | - | 30 dBm |
| A1-8, B1-8, C1-R, D1-R | - | - | +23 dBm |
Mesh Network Simulation Racks

Starting from $10,495

Overview

Mini-Circuits has developed a range of test systems for characterizing wireless mesh network devices. All external ports of the mesh are interconnected to simulate an over-the-air wireless mesh configuration. Programmable attenuators on each internal path allow the path loss to be varied independently between any pair of devices, without affecting communication between any other pair.

This configuration allows the simulation of real-world mesh characteristics within a confined lab or production environment, including:

1. Receiver sensitivity
2. Changes in range between devices
3. Performance in the presence of interfering signals
4. Ability of devices to relay signals between nodes

Key Benefits

- Configurations from 3 to N ports
- Independently controlled attenuation on every path
- Frequency range up to 40 GHz
- Attenuation range up to 120 dB

Common Applications

- R&D testing of wireless "smart" devices
- Bluetooth, Zigbee, Z-Wave, WiFi, IoT
- Qualification / acceptance testing of military radios
- UHF / VHF band man-pack / vehicular systems
- PMR / TETRA

Mesh Network Test Standard Configurations

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Close-Up: ZTMN-0895A-S

8-port mesh network
UHF / VHF bands (30-3000 MHz)

Close-Up: ZTMN-0695C-S

6-port mesh network
Covers WiFi bands (including WiFi 6E)

Custom Mesh Configurations

Custom frequency, port and connector configurations can be provided on request.

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High Power Test Systems

Overview
Mini-Circuits provides all the key building blocks needed for creation of high-power RF test systems. Our off the shelf 100W saturated output power amplifiers can be combined with signal sources, distribution systems and loads to create complete integrated test systems.

Key Benefits
- Signal sources, amplifiers and distribution systems
- Distribute signal up to 100W into multiple channels

High Power Test Applications
- HTOL (high temperature operating life)
- General burn-in / RF stress testing
- EMC / EMI testing

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High-Power Passive Systems

Key Benefits
- Rack-mountable splitters rated up to 100W
- High power attenuator / load boxes
- High power switch systems

Featured Systems

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High-Power Amplifiers

Key Benefits
- Rack-mountable broadband amplifiers
- Saturated output powers up to 100W
- See p. 51 for custom amplifier configurations

Featured Systems

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Use Case:  
80-Channel HTOL Test System

HTOL (high temperature operating life) is a test methodology intended to stress a device over an extended period of time, allowing calculation of a device's long-term reliability. The test is applicable to a wide range of component manufacturing applications, IC manufacturers in particular, including amplifiers, filters and transceivers.

The concept requires an RF splitter system to distribute a test signal over a large number of DUT (device under test) channels in parallel so that a statistically significant calculation of reliability can be made. A high power signal source is also required, sufficient to drive each DUT at the appropriate level whilst also overcoming the inevitable signal losses, inherent in the distribution system.

Mini-Circuits can provide all the building blocks required for HTOL testing, including a ready-made integrated system supplied in a rack cabinet. The system pictured in the block diagram and image below is HTOL-700-2700-1W, a complete HTOL test setup capable of driving 80 parallel DUT at 1W each in the 700-2700 MHz band.

The component modules are:

- **SSG-6000RC** signal source
  - 25 to 6000 MHz CW signal generation with up to +14 dBm output

- **ZAPD-2-272+** power splitter
  - Wideband 2-way splitter, routing the signal source into 2 parallel paths

- **2 x HPA-272+** high power amplifiers
  - Pair of 700 to 2700 MHz power amplifiers, each with 100 W saturated output power

- **2 x ZT-10HPS-272+** high power splitters
  - Pair of 10-way splitters covering 700 to 2700 MHz with 100W input power rating

- **2 x ZT-184** medium power splitter matrix
  - Each ZT-184 houses 10 x 4-way splitter/combiners covering 380 to 4600 MHz, with an input power rating of 30W
Overview
Mini-Circuits’ extensive selection of amplifiers in stock allows us to build integrated amplifier systems for specific test applications. These systems range in complexity from simple multi-channel amplifier racks to designs with additional functions such as gain control, filtering and more.

Key Benefits
- Wide selection of amplifier modules in stock
- Custom integration
- Rugged designs ideal for demanding lab use
- Fast turnaround
- See p. 48 for high-power rack mount amplifiers

Close-Up: ZT-228
4-Channel Wi-Fi Diplexing Amplifier

Mini-Circuits’ ZT-228 is a 4-channel filtered amplifier for Wi-Fi applications. Each of the 4 inputs is split and independently amplified on separate paths for the low and high Wi-Fi bands (centered at 2.4-2.5 and 5.7-5.9 GHz, respectively), with 60 dB rejection of the opposite band. The system is housed in 1U rack-mount chassis with a built-in AC power supply.

RF Specifications (per channel):

Specifications (Each Amplifier, 25°C)

Approximate Attenuation Settings for 2W Output:

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<tr>
<th>Input Power (dBm)</th>
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Close-Up: ZT-285
12-Channel Amplifier System

ZT-285 is a 12-channel amplifier system, supplied in a 2U height, 19" rack-mount chassis with a single AC mains power supply connection and SMA input / output connectors on the front and rear panels. Each independent amplifier channel operates over 500-2500 MHz, ideal for L-band satellite communications and telecommunications applications, achieving high gain and high directivity across the band.

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Been working with Mini-Circuits for over 12 years at this company and my previous one. The basic standard has always been quick, timely response to quote requests, rarely late on deliveries, and no quality issues at all. A true pleasure to deal with, and I wish more of my suppliers would work and perform as well as Mini-Circuits does.

— Mark P.  
BAE SYSTEMS
Overview
• 2-Port Vector Network Analyzer
• Power Meters
• Signal Generators

Introducing the eVNA
Overview
The eVNA-63+ is a high-quality, affordable USB- and Ethernet-controlled 2-port vector network analyzer capable of performing highly accurate 2-port, 2-path S-parameter measurements from 300 kHz to 6 GHz. The eVNA provides industry leading value with outstanding dynamic range, output power range and trace noise performance along with multiple features unavailable on competitive products on the market for the price. It comes with Mini-Circuits’ full-featured GUI program and API for programming. Mechanical and Electronic (eMCal) kits are also available.

Key Benefits
• 2-port 2-path S-parameters
• Built-in bias tee accessible on both ports
• API for Windows® and LabView®
• SCPI Command Interface
• Touchstone file import and export
• Compact size, 10 x 8 x 1.75"
• Time domain & gating
• Port extension de-embedding
• Yearly factory calibration
• 3-year warranty
• Light weight, 4.5 kg / 9.92 lbs

Dynamic Range
>120 dB

Trace Noise
<0.008 dBrms

Output Power
-50 to +7 dBm
Close-Up: eVNA-63+

**Measurement & Display**
- Full 2-port S-parameters (S11, S21, S12, S22) as well as absolute receiver quantities from reference and reflection receivers
- Up to 16 independent measurement channels
- Up to 16 display traces per measurement channel
- Set up to 9 markers per trace
- Display traces can be stored to memory which can be displayed or used in trace math operations (Data + Mem, Data – Mem, Data * Mem, Data / Mem)
- Display traces can be viewed in several formats: Log Mag, Phase (Deg), Phase (Rad), Group Delay, Lin Mag, SWR, Real, Imaginary, Unwrapped Phase, Positive Phase, Smith, Polar

**Analysis and Marker**
- Marker search: Max, Min, Peak, Target
- Marker function: set sweep and scaling settings using markers as reference
- Limit and bandwidth tests: integrated pass/fail testing for min/max, ripple, and bandwidth limits
- Time domain transform: low pass and band pass time domain transform
- Time domain gating: fixture de-embedding using time-domain techniques

**Sweep Stimulus**
- Sweep type: Lin Freq, Log Freq, Power, Segmented
- Sweep mode: normal or fast
- Number of points: up to 20,001
- IF bandwidth: 1 Hz to 500 kHz
- Port power setting: -50 to +7 dBm
- Power slope setting: -2 to +2 dB/GHz

**Data Export**
- S-parameter file
- CSV trace data
- Screenshot

**Calibration and Correction**
- Response
- Enhanced response
- 1-port SOL
- 2-port SOL
- Electronic calibration
- Port extension
- Power calibration

**Calibration Kits & Accessories**

**Mechanical Calibration Kit**
- Short, Open, Load & Thru (SOLT)
- N-type & SMA
- Works with VNA from any vendor

**Electronic Calibration Kit (eMCal)**
- Easy connection to eVNA + USB connection to PC
- Supports M/F SMA & M/F N-Type
- Works only with eVNA from Mini-Circuits

![Figure 1: SMA KSOL T-63-S+ kit, including SOL (f & m) and Thru (f<>f, f<>m, m<>m) standards](image1.png)

![Figure 2: N-type KSOL T-63-N+ kit, including SOL (f & m) and Thru (f<>f, f<>m, m<>m) standards](image2.png)
Power Meters

Overview
USB and Ethernet controlled power sensors enable any PC to operate as a low-cost power meter. The included GUI software supports everything from simple one-off measurements to scheduled measurement tasks with CSV data reports. The sensors have automatic frequency and temperature compensation so no external calibration or set up is required, just plug in and start measuring!

Measurement Accuracy vs. Competitor for LTE Signals
Mini-Circuits PWR-6LRMS-RC is a low-cost sensor suitable for measurement of modulated signals. A simple test was conducted to verify the measurement accuracy of PWR-6LRMS-RC against a higher cost competitive model from a well-established test equipment manufacturer. The test signal was configured as shown below using a Keysight N5182A signal source:

- 1C LTE 5 MHz
- 64QAM, 1 resource block, high channel, FDD
- Frequency: 2 GHz
- PAR: 9.7 dB
- Power Out: -33 to +2 dBm

The test confirmed the accuracy of Mini-Circuits’ PWR-6LRMS-RC to be within ±0.06 dB of the reference measurement.

Average Power Measurements for CW and Modulated Signals

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<td>1</td>
<td>6000</td>
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<td>50</td>
<td>6000</td>
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Power Meters Continued

Peak & Average Measurements for CW, Modulated & Pulsed Signals
- Increased dynamic range with faster sampling time
- Allows plotting of pulse profile with time
- Peak & average measurements with statistical analysis (duty cycle, rise / fall time, pulse width)

Catalog Models

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<th>Model Name</th>
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<td>+20</td>
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<td>6000</td>
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Frequency & Average Power Measurements for CW Signals
- Measure frequency and power from a single low-cost tool
- Standalone measurements using the integrated display

Catalog Models

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Signal Generators

Mini-Circuits’ SSG series offers reliable and repeatable signal sources with full automation via Ethernet or USB, available at a fraction of the cost of traditional benchtop signal sources. Other high-end signal generators on the market often come with advanced features many customers don’t need. Our generators provide a versatile, high-performance signal source at a fraction of the cost.

Common Applications
- LTE / 5G / Wi-Fi (2.4-7.2 GHz) testing
- Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) simulation
- Lab and field test equipment
- High volume production testing / ATE

Catalog Models

<table>
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Close-Up: SSG-15G-RC
Ultra-Wideband Synthesized Signal Generator
- 10 MHz to 15 GHz with 0.1 Hz resolution
- CW and pulsed output signals
- 60 dB typical output dynamic range
- Configure automated sweep, hop and pulse sequences
- USB & Ethernet control
Panel-Mounted Structures

Overview
Mini-Circuits’ panel-mounted structures provide clean, organized management of cable runs and connections in complex, high-volume test setups. Multiple connector adapters, power splitters, directional couplers and other essential RF components and test accessories can be integrated efficiently within the test system. Custom configurations are available upon request.

Key Benefits
- Organized management of cable runs in busy test setups
- Choose from adapters, splitters couplers and other coaxial components
- Wide variety of standard configurations
- Custom configurations with fast turnaround

Types/families
- Patch panels
- Passive component panels

Patch Panels
Starting from $795

Key Benefits
- Tidy cable connections with patch panels directly on the rack
- Convert between connector types
- Use as “connector savers” to reduce wear on high-cost test equipment connectors

Featured Configurations

ZT-240 | DC to 6 GHz
- 24 x connector adapters
- N-type female to N-type female
- 19” width, 4U height
- Extended mounting brackets

ZT-96KFFL-KF50+ | DC to 40 GHz
- 96 x connector adapters
- 2.92 mm female to 2.92 mm female
- 19” width, 5U height

ZT-182 | DC to 11 GHz
- 48 x connector adapters
- N-type female to N-type female
- 19” width, 4U height

ZT-183 | DC to 18 GHz
- 48 x connector adapters
- N-type female to SMA female
- 19” width, 4U height

ZT-312 | DC to 18 GHz
- 12 x connector adapters
- N-type female to SMA female
- 19” width, 1U height

ZT-314D | DC to 18 GHz
- 80 x connector adapters
- SMA female to SMA female
- 19” width, 2U height

ZT-240BK | DC to 6 GHz
- 24 x connector adapters
- N-type female to N-type female
- 19” width, 4U height
- Black anodized panel

ZT-312 | DC to 18 GHz
- 12 x connector adapters
- N-type female to SMA female
- 19” width, 1U height
Passive Component Panels

Starting from $1,195

Choose from 1000+ passive components in stock:
• Power splitter / combiners
• Directional couplers
• High power fixed attenuators
• Simplify test setups by integrating accessories into the rack

Featured Configurations

**ZT-230 | 1 to 500 MHz**
• 8 x 10 dB directional couplers
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-253 | 100 to 900 MHz**
• 4 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-256 | DC to 18 GHz**
• 12 x 2-way resistive splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-277 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 3 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-255 | 500 to 8500 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height (black anodized panel)
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-257 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 4 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-299 | 0.5 to 600 GHz**
• 16 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-222 | 350 to 6000 GHz**
• 20 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 4U height
• N-type female connectors

**ZT-224 | 300 to 1000 MHz**
• 1 x 8-way splitter/combiner
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-304 | 500 to 6000 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-333 | 100 to 900 MHz**
• 4 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-345 | 300 to 1000 MHz**
• 1 x 8-way splitter/combiner
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-304 | 500 to 6000 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

Passive Component Panels

Starting from $1,195

Choose from 1000+ passive components in stock:
• Power splitter / combiners
• Directional couplers
• High power fixed attenuators
• Simplify test setups by integrating accessories into the rack

Featured Configurations

**ZT-230 | 1 to 500 MHz**
• 8 x 10 dB directional couplers
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-253 | 100 to 900 MHz**
• 4 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-256 | DC to 18 GHz**
• 12 x 2-way resistive splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-277 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 3 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-255 | 500 to 8500 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height (black anodized panel)
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-257 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 4 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-299 | 0.5 to 600 GHz**
• 16 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-222 | 350 to 6000 GHz**
• 20 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 4U height
• N-type female connectors

**ZT-224 | 300 to 1000 MHz**
• 1 x 8-way splitter/combiner
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-304 | 500 to 6000 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

Passive Component Panels

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Choose from 1000+ passive components in stock:
• Power splitter / combiners
• Directional couplers
• High power fixed attenuators
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Featured Configurations

**ZT-230 | 1 to 500 MHz**
• 8 x 10 dB directional couplers
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-253 | 100 to 900 MHz**
• 4 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-256 | DC to 18 GHz**
• 12 x 2-way resistive splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-277 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 3 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-255 | 500 to 8500 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height (black anodized panel)
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-257 | 600 to 6000 MHz**
• 4 x 4-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-299 | 0.5 to 600 GHz**
• 16 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 2U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-222 | 350 to 6000 GHz**
• 20 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 4U height
• N-type female connectors

**ZT-224 | 300 to 1000 MHz**
• 1 x 8-way splitter/combiner
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors

**ZT-304 | 500 to 6000 MHz**
• 8 x 2-way splitter/combiners
• 19” width, 1U height
• SMA female connectors
## Signal Distribution

### Overview
For test systems requiring distribution of signal to many DUTs, Mini-Circuits’ signal distribution systems combine splitter/combiners and directional couplers to expand test signal into multiple channels. Amplifiers can also be incorporated to minimize path loss and manage signal power from input to output.

### Key Benefits
- Wide selection of splitter/combiners and directional couplers in stock
- Bandwidths up to 65 GHz
- RF input power up to 250W
- Rack-mounted, panel-mounted or benchtop structures

### Standard Configurations

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### Close-Up: ZT-161RS
L-Band Active Splitter Module
- 16-way active splitter
- Ideal for GNSS signal distribution applications
- 20+ dB gain per channel

### Specifications (25°C)

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Custom Systems

Overview
Our experience in the test space has evolved according to your needs. The diversity of customer requirements for highly customized test solutions has led us to build our business around principles of flexibility, reliability, economy and speed. Our wealth and variety of components in stock allows along with our in-house design, manufacturing and applications expertise allows us to develop a wide range of custom equipment for your special requirements at highly competitive cost and with fast turnaround.

Key Benefits
• Designed and built to your unique test requirements
• All systems fully characterized during production
• On-site integration available when needed
• Full GUI and API for programming with your native test software

Lab Accessories

Mini-Circuits’ extensive selection of thousands of stocked catalog components offers everything you need to supply your RF test lab. If you’re considering one of our integrated systems for your test setup, be sure to check out our connectorized components for all your needs on the bench.

DC TO 67 GHZ
Adapters
Wide Variety of Connector Types
• All gender combinations
• Standard, right-angle, bulkhead and NMD mounting types
• Low loss and excellent VSWR
• Rugged construction

DC TO 43.5 GHZ
Amplifiers
250+ Connectorized Models
• High power amplifiers up to 100W
• Class A and Class AB linear amplifiers
• Low noise amplifiers, NF as low as 0.4 dB
• Ultra-wide bandwidths with flat gain
• Rugged designs with built-in protections

Connector Types:
BNC, N-Type, SMA, SMA reverse polarity, SMA quick connect, SMP, 3.5 mm, 2.92 mm, rugged 2.92, 2.4 mm, rugged 2.4 mm, 1.85mm
DC TO 65 GHz

Attenuators
200+ Connectorized Models

- Precision fixed
- Digital step
- Voltage variable
- Input power up to 100W
- Attenuation from 0 to 50 dB

DC TO 67 GHz

Coaxial Cables
375+ Models in Stock

- Precision test cables
- VNA cables
- Interconnect cables
- Custom assemblies available on request

DC TO 65 GHz

Couplers
190+ Connectorized Models

- Directional, bi-directional, dual-directional and RF tap
- Power handling up to 250W
- DC passing and DC blocking
- 50 and 75Ω designs

DC TO 65 GHz

DC Blocks
Wideband, High-Voltage

- DC input up to 200V
- Low insertion loss
- Excellent return loss

DC TO 87 GHz

Filters
For Every Application

- 500+ connectorized models in stock
- Low pass, band pass, high pass, band stop, diplexers and triplexers
- Custom designs with fast turnaround

METROLOGY-Grade

Gauges
Optimize Performance

- Check connector interfaces for optimal performance before mating
- Avoid unreliable measurements due to misaligned or damaged connectors
- Available for SMA, BNC and N-Type connector types
- Easy calibration

Connector Types:
BNC, MMCX, N-Type, SMA, SMP, 3.5 mm, 2.92 mm, rugged 2.4 mm, rugged 2.4 mm, 1.85mm

Technology for every need:
Cavity, ceramic resonator, lumped LC, LTCC, microstrip, suspended substrate, waveguide

Connector Types:
BNC, N-Type, SMA, 2.92mm, 2.4mm, 1.85mm
**DC TO 3000 GHZ**

**Impedance Matching Pads**

Seamless 50/75Ω Conversion

- Ideal for testing 75Ω devices
- Excellent VSWR (1.05 to 1.3)
- Flat attenuation vs. frequency
- BNC, SMA and N-Type connector options

**POWER SPLITTERS/COMBINERS**

**Power Splitters & Combiners**

300+ Connectorized Models

- High DC output vs. phase, up to 1V
- Low DC offset
- Coaxial and Surface Mount Models

**10 MHZ TO 40 GHZ**

**Power Detectors**

Wide Bandwidth and Dynamic Range

- Input power ranges spanning -60 to +20 dBm
- Peak and RMS measurement types
- Linear-in-dB response
- Fast response time

**DC TO 50 GHZ**

**Switches**

Ultra-Reliable

- Switch configurations from SPDT to SP16T
- Patented electromechanical switches capable of 10-million cycles without failure
- Solid-state switches with high isolation up to 110 dB

**1 TO 650 MHZ**

**Phase Detectors**

For Monitoring and Levelling Circuits

- High DC output vs. phase, up to 1V
- Low DC offset
- Coaxial and Surface Mount Models
DC TO 65 GHZ

Terminations

Up to 500W

- Excellent return loss
- 50 and 75Ω models
- Wide selection of connector types

Connector Types:
DIN 1.0/2.3, BNC, TNC, SMB, SMA, SMP, N-Type.
2.92mm, 2.4mm, 1.85mm

PRECISION TOOLled

Wrenches

Simplify Connection and Disconnection

- Eases connections in tight spaces and crowded port configurations
- Prevents damage to connectors

Pocket-sized SMA wrenches ideal for crowded port configurations

8-in-lbs calibrated break-over torque wrenches for SMA, 3.5 mm, 2.92 mm, 2.4 mm and 1.8 mm