

Coaxial VNA Frequency Extender TX/RX Module, 5 to 13.75 GHz Input

STO-20355315-C-E1 is a coaxial vector network analyzer (VNA) frequency extender Tx/Rx designed to achieve full 1-port, S-parameter testing at 20 to 55 GHz. It is compatible with modern vector network analyzers such as the Copper Mountain CobaltFx. The VNA needs dual sources to be extended. The frequency extender can achieve a dynamic range up to 120 dB for certain passive products that require high rejection, isolation, and return loss testing such as directional couplers and filters. An AC to DC Power adapter and **two Proxi-Flange™ Contactless Flanges (STQ-WG-19010-FB-CF and STQ-WG-19025-FB-CF)**, are included. The Eravant calibration kit (**STQ-TO-VFVM-U3-CKIT1**) is highly recommended to complete the coaxial VNA test set. VNA extender is packaged individually in a rugged equipment box with additional hardware and tools.



Electrical Specifications:

Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum
Frequency Range	20 GHz		55 GHz
Test Port Output Power (No Attenuation)		+15 dBm	
Test Port Input Power (Damage)			+30 dBm
Dynamic Range @ 10 Hz BW	100 dB	120 dB	
Test Port Match		10 dB	
Directivity		10 dB	
RF Source Input Frequency	5 GHz		13.75 GHz
RF Source Input Power	-6 dBm	-3 dBm	+0 dBm
LO Source Input Frequency (RF±1F)	5 GHz		13.75 GHz
LO Source Input Power	-3 dBm	0 dBm	+3 dBm
IF Frequency Range	10 MHz		1000 MHz
Multiplication Factor		4	
Magnitude Stability @ 300 Hz BW		±0.1 dB	
Phase Stability @ 300 Hz BW		±2.5°	
Specification Temperature	+20°C		+30°C
Operating Temperature	0°C		+50°C

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FEATURES

- Dynamic Range of 120 dB
- AC Power Input: 100 to 240 VAC

APPLICATIONS

- VNA Frequency Extension
- S-Parameter Characterization
- Test Lab Instrumentation

Recommended Pairing

- Cal Kit: [STQ-TO-VFVM-U3-CKIT1](#)
- [Waveguide-Glide™ Rail System](#)
- Cable: [SCW-SMSM040-F1-A-PM](#)

Recommended Pairing

- [VNA Extender Configuration Guide](#)
- [VNA Extenders and Cal Kits](#)



Mechanical Specifications:

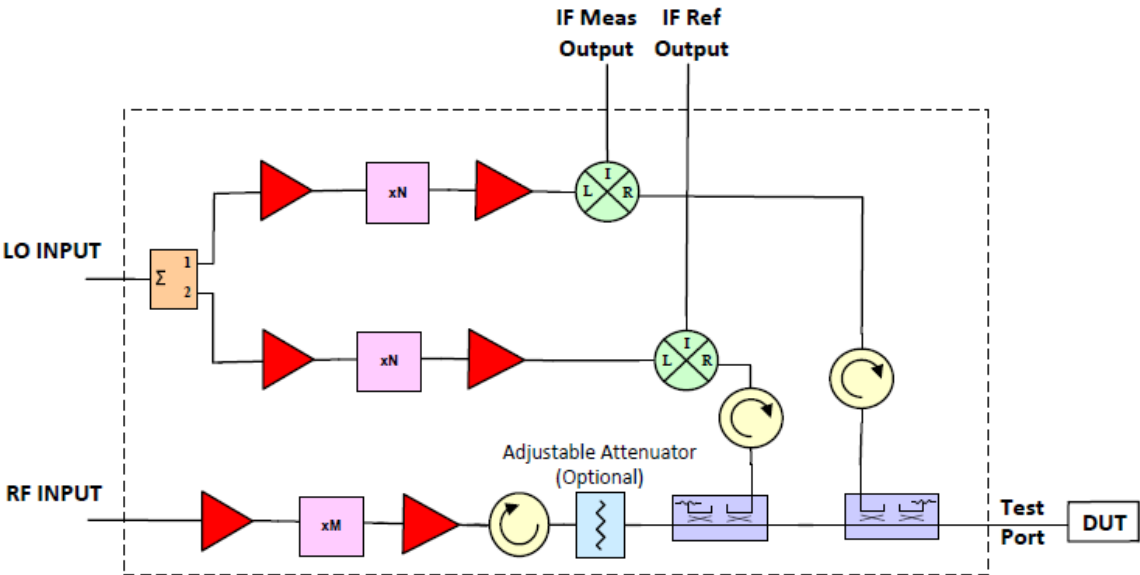
Item	Specification
Test Port	1.85 mm (F)
RF and LO Source Input Port	SMA (F), SMA (F)
IF Output Port	SMA (F)
IF Reference Port	SMA (F)
DC Power Receptacle	LEMO EGG.0B.304.CLL
Finish	Black Anodized
Weight (Per Module)	4.4 lbs.
Size (Without Adjustable Feet)	9.00" (L) x 3.00" (W) x 1.90" (H)
Outline	TO-SC

Included Components:

Item	Eravant Model Number	Quantity
Proxi-Flange™ Contactless Flange, 1.0" Long	STQ-WG-19010-FB-CF	1
Proxi-Flange™ Contactless Flange, 2.5" Long	STQ-WG-19025-FB-CF	1
Waveguide Screws, 3/32 Hex Head	SWH-332-SS-10	1 (10 Screws Total)
Waveguide Screwdriver, 3/32 Hex Head	SWH-332-DS	1
SMA Connector Torque Wrench	SCH-08008-S1	1
AC-to-DC Power Adapter	STU-110006005-HF	1

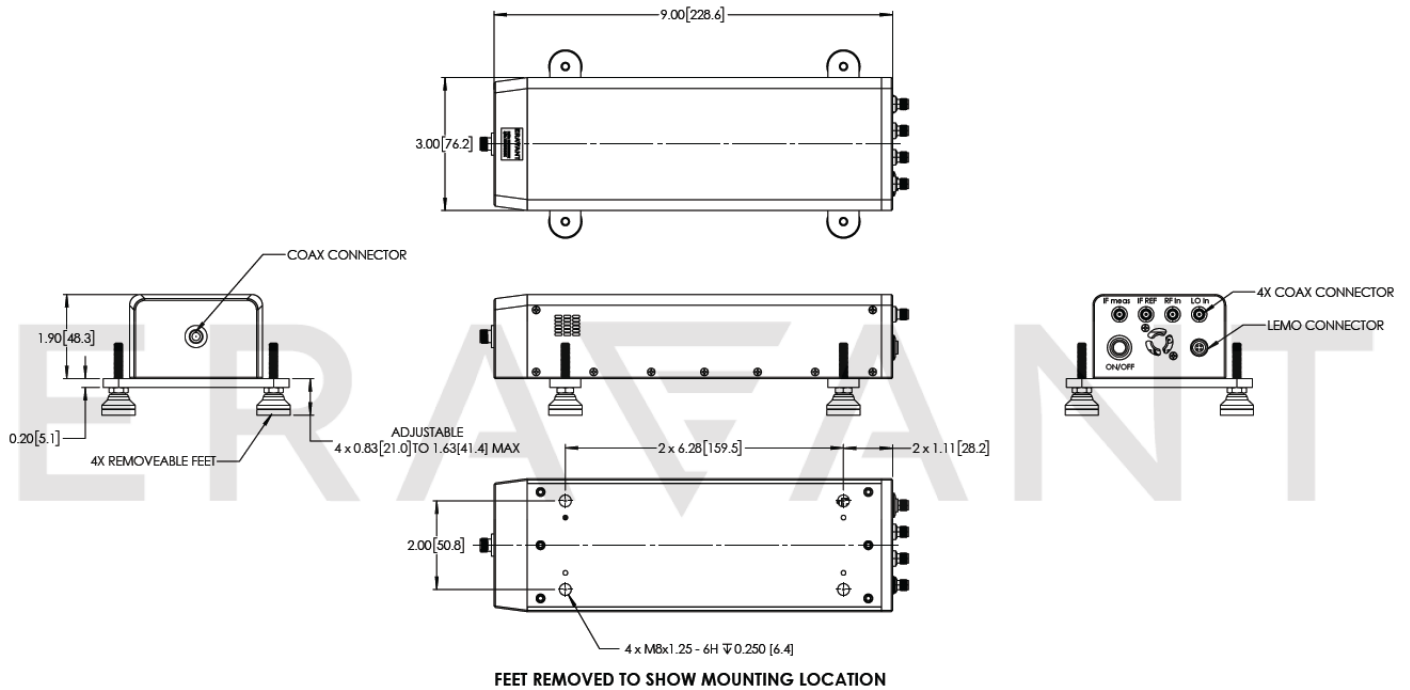
Connecting Cables are not included. Eravant coaxial cable, model [SCW-SMSM040-F1-A-PM](#), is highly recommended. Four (4) cables are required to connect this module with VNA.

Simplified Block Diagram:



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Mechanical Outline: (Unless otherwise specified, all dimensions are in inches [millimeters])



NOTE:

- Only one extender module is included in STO-20355315-C-E1: Tx/Rx module. A pair of extenders is offered under a different model number and can be found on our [VNA Frequency Extenders](#) page.
- Eravant reserves the right to change the information presented without notice.

CAUTION:

- Exceeding absolute maximum ratings shown will damage the extenders.
- If a waveguide is present, any foreign objects in the waveguide will cause performance degradation and may damage or destroy the unit.
- For 1.35 mm, 1.85 mm, 2.4 mm, 2.92 mm, and SMA connectors proper torque should be applied: 8.0 ± 0.15 inch-pounds (0.90 ± 0.02 Nm). Torque wrench model [SCH-08008-S1](#) is highly recommended.

Appendix: Case View with Included Components



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