

TG73A

TELEVISION INSTRUMENTS

MPEG-2 TS SIGNAL GENERATOR



General

The TG73A is an MPEG-2 TS (Transport Stream) signal generator conforming to both MPEG-2 system specifications and transmission and operating conditions for the ISDB-S BS digital broadcasting.

It enables to record an MPEG-2 TS, in which signals required for audio/video tests of Digital IRD (DIRD) and Set Top Box (STB) are multiplexed, and an ISDB-S TS having a frame configuration in which TMCC of BS digital broadcast is multiplexed, in the built-in hard disk drive (HDD).

The recorded signals can continuously be output at the designated bit rate.

Linked to a personal computer, the TG73A allows to add and alter MPEG-2 TS and ISDB-S TS, enabling to output custom-tailored signals.

By combining the TG73A, ShibaSoku's RM73A satellite digital converter which can cope with a wide-range bit rate and features good versatility and expansion and ShibaSoku's RC931A synthesized frequency converter, you can obtain compact "ISDB-S central digital signal source system".

Note: Company names and product names are registered trade-mark of each company.

Features

- ISDB-T TS consisting of TMCC multiple frames conforming to both MPEG-2 TS and TS synthesized output of BS digital broadcast makes the TG73A applicable to almost digital broadcasts.
- Packet length of TS copes with 188, 204 and 208 bytes.
- Internal or external sync clock is selectable.

Specifications

- Basic specifications
 - TS recorded in the built-in HDD can be output.
 - TS can be recorded in the built-in HDD via network.
 - Clock rate setting of output signals.
 - Remote operation via GP-IB(option).
 - TS synthesizing and TMCC forming functions by the software in the external personal computer (optional functions).
 - Transmission rate 0.5 to 60 Mbps

- HDD memory capacity
 - 4GB (standard, 2GB x 2 partitions)
 - Note: Max. 16GB by adding two optional 8 GB HDD's silicone disk is also usable (optional).
- Controllable TS Max. 100 types
(depending on the HDD memory capacity)
- TS standards that can be integrated to the TG73A
- MPEG-2 TS
 - Multiplex system Conforming with to ISO/IEC 13818-1 MPEG-2
 - Transmission rate 0.5 to 60 Mbps (dependent on stream)
 - Packet length 188, 204, 208 Byte
(dependent on stream)
 - Multiplexed data Dependent on stream
 - Video data MPEG-2 MP@ML, MPEG-2 MP@HL ... etc.
 - Audio data MPEG-1 Layer2, MPEG-2 AC3, MPEG-2 AAC ... etc.
 - Program arrangement information
 - Dependent on stream
 - PSI data PAT, NIT, CAT, PMT ... etc.
 - SI data SDT, EIT ... etc.
 - Reproducing time Dependent on stream
Reproducing time = total bit /
transmission rate
 - File length Dependent on stream
Max. 2 GB
(dependent on HDD partition capacity)
In unit of packet length
 - Date format Binary
The data starts from 47 Hex sync signal.
- Input signals
- Reference clock External clock signal for synchronization
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Input level LVDS, DC cut, 50 Ω termination, comparator reception
Amplitude: ≥ 100 mVp-p
 - Frequency 0.5 to 60MHz, duty 50%±10%
TS bit rate or equivalent
- NET For network signal
 - Connector type RJ-45
 - Input level Conforming with 10 BASE-T and 100 BASE-TX
- Remote control GP-IB interface (option)
 - Connector type Conforming with IEEE std 488.1-1987
 - Level Conforming with IEEE std 488.1-1987

Specifications

●Output signals

- Parallel output
 - Parallel data Parallel data, sync signal
 - Connector type D-SUB 25 pins (FDB-25S of equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS
 - Pin assignment DVB parallel or equivalent
 - Data rate 0.0625 to 7.5 Mbyte/s
- F sync
 - Frame sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
- SF sync
 - Super frame sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
- Serial output
 - Serial data
 - Serial data signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
 - Data rate 0.5 to 60 Mbps
 - Serial clock
 - Serial clock signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
 - Frequency 0.5 to 60 MHz
 - Packet
 - Packet sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
 - Data
 - Data sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
 - F sync
 - Frame sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)
 - SF sync
 - Super frame sync signal
 - Connector type BNC (BNC140 or equivalent)
 - Output level LVDS (only positive polarity is used)

●Options

- TG73A0001
 - GP-IB controlling interface
 - Extension boards are mounted in the main frame.
- TG73A0002
 - 4GB SCSI HDD for addition
 - Max. two units can be housed inside the cabinet in addition to the standard built-in HDD.
 - Max. memory capacity by these three HDD's is 8 GB.
- TG73A0003
 - 8 GB SCSI HDD for addition
 - Max. two units can be housed inside the cabinet in addition to the standard built-in HDD.
 - Max. memory capacity by these three HDD's is 12 GB.
 - By replacing the standard HDD with the 8 GB HDD, max. memory capacity is increased to 16 GB
- TG73A0010
 - TMCC forming and plural TS synthesizing software
 - Windows software controlled by the external personal Computer TMCC editing and TS synthesization are performed by the external personal computer under the off-line status.
 - TS data before and after synthesization are handled as data file.

●General specifications

- Power supply AC 90 to 132, 198 to 250 V, 50/60Hz
- Power consumption Max. 300 VA
- Operating temperature range 0°C to 40°C
- Relative humidity 10% to 85% RH (non- dewing)
- Dimensions 426(W) x 149(H) x 460(D) mm (excluding protruding parts)
- Weight Approx. 1.5kg (Weight increases by 1 kg when a HDD is added)
- Accessories
 - Power cord x 1
 - 3P-2P conversion connector x 1
 - User's manual x 1
 - Support software x 1 set
 - FTP software x 1 set

