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Tektronix

ORR24
Optical Reference Receiver

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General Safety Summary

Review the following safety precautions to avoid injury and prevent damage to this product or any products connected to it. To avoid potential hazards, use this product only as specified.

*Only qualified personnel should perform service procedures.*

**To Avoid Fire or Personal Injury**

**Observe All Terminal Ratings.** To avoid fire or shock hazard, observe all ratings and markings on the product. Consult the product manual for further ratings information before making connections to the product.

**Do Not Operate Without Covers.** Do not operate this product with covers or panels removed.

**Wear Eye Protection.** Wear eye protection if exposure to high-intensity rays or laser radiation exists.

**Do Not Operate With Suspected Failures.** If you suspect there is damage to this product, have it inspected by qualified service personnel.

**Do Not Operate in Wet/Damp Conditions.**

**Do Not Operate in an Explosive Atmosphere.**

**Keep Product Surfaces Clean and Dry.**

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- **WARNING.** Warning statements identify conditions or practices that could result in injury or loss of life.

- **CAUTION.** Caution statements identify conditions or practices that could result in damage to this product or other property.

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- **DANGER** indicates an injury hazard immediately accessible as you read the marking.

- **WARNING** indicates an injury hazard not immediately accessible as you read the marking.

- **CAUTION** indicates a hazard to property including the product.
Symbols on the Product. The following symbols appear on the product:

- CAUTION
  - Static Sensitive
- CAUTION
  - Refer to Manual
## Contacting Tektronix

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The ORR24 is an optical reference receiver that is precisely calibrated in the frequency domain for the SONET/SDH data rate of 2.488 Gb/s (STM-16/OC-48). The ORR24 reference receiver installs in the front panel compartment of a Tektronix 11800 Series Digital Sampling Oscilloscope (including the SM-11 Multichannel Unit) or Tektronix CSA 803 Communications Signal Analyzer. Along with the appropriate sampling head, the ORR24 reference receiver and the CSA 803 or 11800 series instruments can test the compliance of optical signals to specific SONET/SDH standards. An optional stand-alone power supply is also available for the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver (see page 21).

Figure 1 shows the front panel of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver.

![Figure 1: ORR24 Front Panel](image)

The ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver has an FC/PC receptacle for optical signal input and a precision 3.5 mm connector for electrical signal output.
The following list highlights the key performance characteristics of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver:

- 1000 to 1650 nm wavelength response
- 2.0 GHz Minimum Transducer Bandwidth
- Fourth order Bessel-Thompson, 2.488 Gb/s frequency response
- Greater than 0.5 V/mW DC conversion gain at 1310 and 1550 nm

For a complete list of specifications, see page 10.

Standard Accessories

The following accessories are standard with every ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver:

- Hard case
- Instructions
- FC/PC to FC/PC 9 μm single-mode fiber jumper
- FC/ST, FC/SC, and FC/FC hybrid connectors
- Coaxial Cable (SMA-to-SMA, 50 Ω, 2 ns delay)
- SMA terminator
- Certificate of traceable calibration
- Frequency response graph

For a list of replaceable part numbers, see page 19.

Options

The following options are available at the time of purchase:

- Opt 95  Calibration data
- Opt C3  Three years calibration services
- Opt R3  Three years extended warranty
Optional Accessories

The following recommended accessories are available through Tektronix:

- Fiber-optic cables and adapters with a variety of fiber types and connector styles
- 90/10 single-mode optical splitter with FC/PC connectors
- DIN to FC fibre optic hybrid connector
- 10 dB in-line single-mode optical attenuator
- Stand-alone power supply

For a list of part numbers, see page 19.

Installation

Follow the instructions in this section to install the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver into the Tektronix 11800 Series Digital Sampling Oscilloscope or CSA 803 Communications Signal Analyzer or to connect it to the optional power supply for stand-alone operation.

CAUTION. The output of the Optical Reference Receiver and the input of the sampling head are subject to damage from electrostatic discharge (ESD). To prevent damage from ESD, take the following precautions:

- Always wear an anti-static wrist strap when handling a static sensitive instrument.
- Keep the 50Ω termination in place when moving or storing the instrument. Remove the termination only to connect a cable.
- Discharge the inner conductor of a loose, unterminated cable before connecting it to the instrument.
On the Tektronix 11800 Series Digital Sampling Oscilloscope or the CSA 803 Communications Signal Analyzer, the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver installs into any of the front panel compartments.

**NOTE:** To guarantee compliance with OC-48 boundary limits, you must connect the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver to the input of an SD-22 sampling head using the 015-0560-00 cable provided. The ORR24 is designed for the electrical characteristics of the cable and the particular frequency response and low noise of the SD-22.

Use the following procedure to install the Optical Reference Receiver and sampling head modules:

1. Switch off the measurement instrument.
2. Place the module in a compartment and slowly push it in with firm pressure.
3. Once the module is seated, turn the screw shaft on the plug-in to tighten the module in place.
4. Switch on the measurement instrument and check that all modules have power.
5. Follow anti-static precautions and connect the output of the Optical Reference Receiver to the input of the sampling head with the 015-0560-00 cable provided:
   a. Align the SMA connectors carefully.
   b. Use light, finger pressure to turn the nut. *Do not* turn the cable.
   c. Tighten the nut lightly with a wrench. For best repeatability and to prolong the life of SMA connectors, use a torque wrench and tighten the connection to the range of 7 to 10 lb-in (79 to 112 N-cm).
NOTE. On the CSA803 series, the Optical Reference Receiver will work in any of the power-only or sampling head compartments, but the sampling head must be installed in one of the two sampling head compartments on the right. See Figure 2.

Figure 2: Front panel compartments in a CSA 803 Communications Signal Analyzer
The optional power supply kit (Figure 3) permits stand-alone operation. The part number for the kit is on page 21.

**NOTE.** To guarantee compliance with OC-48 boundary limits, you must connect the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver to the input of an SD-22 sampling head using the 015-0560-00 cable provided. The ORR24 is designed for the electrical characteristics of the cable and the particular frequency response and low noise of the SD-22.

![Figure 3: Installation with optional power supply kit](image-url)
Operating Basics

Figure 1 shows the front panel of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver. The ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver has an FC/PC receptacle for optical signal input and a precision 3.5 mm connector for electrical signal output.

Handling

Handle the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver carefully at all times.

**CAUTION.** To avoid damaging the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver, take the following precautions:

Do not drop the Optical Reference Receiver since damage and misalignment of the photodiode optical assembly can result. Store the Optical Reference Receiver in a secure location when not in use.

Replace the protective caps on the input and output connectors when the Optical Reference Receiver is not in use.

Cleaning Optical Connectors

Small dust particles and oils can easily contaminate optical connectors and reduce or block the signal. Take care to preserve the integrity your connectors by keeping them free of contamination.

**CAUTION.** To prevent loss of optical power or damage to the optical connectors, keep the connectors clean at all times.

When cleaning the connectors with a swab, use gentle circular motions. Use only high quality cleaning supplies that are non-abrasive and leave no residue.

To reduce the need for cleaning, immediately replace protective caps on the optical connectors when not in use.
Use the following items to clean the optical connectors:

- clean compressed air
- fiber-optic cleaning swabs
- isopropyl alcohol

To clean the optical connectors, follow these steps:

1. Hold the can of compressed air upright and spray the can into the air to purge any propellant.
2. Spray the clean compressed air on the connectors to remove any loose particles or moisture.
3. Moisten a clean optical swab with isopropyl alcohol then lightly swab the surfaces of the connectors.
4. Spray the clean compressed air on the connectors again to remove any loose particles or isopropyl alcohol.

**NOTE.** Cleaning kits for optical connectors are available from a number of suppliers.

Attach the fiber optic cable with an FC/PC connector to the FC/PC input receptacle as follows:

1. Carefully align the keyway on the receptacle with the key on the connector.
2. Tighten the nut lightly with finger pressure only.

The input of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver can couple to optical fibers with a core diameter of up to 9 μm. Alternate types can be coupled by use of an FC-FC jumper and the FC-FC, FC-ST, FC-SC adapters. (Refer to Optional accessories on page 21.)

**CAUTION.** To maintain the high performance (low return loss) of the reference receiver, connect an adapter and cable between the input of the reference receiver and the device under test. When you make connections to other devices, leave the adapter and cable in place to protect the optical connector of the reference receiver from wear.
If you connect fiber cores larger than 9 µm, the reference receiver may still couple light, but the mismatch in core diameter will cause lower conversion gain and high insertion loss.

## Attenuating Optical Signals

When using the ORR24 as a reference receiver, it may be necessary to attenuate the optical signals.

**CAUTION.** To avoid damaging the optical input of the ORR24, attenuate optical signals to less than 5 mW average power or 10 mW peak power at the wavelength with highest relative responsivity.

For linearity and measurement accuracy, attenuate the peak-to-peak swing of signal to within the specified performance of 200 µW\(_{\text{p-p}}\).

Example:

1. You want to look at an OC-48 eye-pattern signal whose average power (un-attenuated) is about +2 dBm. The average optical power of the +2 dBm signal is equal to 1584 µW.

2. For optical signals with a 50% duty cycle, the average power is approximately one half of the peak-to-peak swing for high extinction ratio signals. This means that the peak-to-peak value of the optical signal is approximately

   \[ 2 \times 1584 \text{ µW} = 3168 \text{ µW}_{\text{p-p}} \]

3. To lower the signal to within the 200 µW\(_{\text{p-p}}\) range, the signal must be attenuated by 3168 µW / 200 µW = 15.84; this is equal to about 12 dB of optical attenuation.

To attenuate the optical signal to the proper level, use a Tektronix OA5002 Optical Attenuator.
Specifications

This section contains the specifications of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver. All specifications are guaranteed unless noted as “typical.” Typical specifications are provided for your convenience but are not guaranteed. Specifications marked with the symbol have corresponding checks in the Performance Verification section on page 12.

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<th>Specification</th>
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<tr>
<td>Effective wavelength range, typical</td>
<td>1000 nm to 1650 nm</td>
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<tr>
<td>DC conversion gain</td>
<td>( \geq 0.500 \text{ V/mW at 1310 nm} \pm 20 \text{ nm and 1550 nm} \pm 20 \text{ nm} )</td>
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<tr>
<td>DC conversion gain, typical</td>
<td>( &gt; 0.850 \text{ V/mW at 1310 nm} \pm 20 \text{ nm} )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Relative responsivity, typical</td>
<td>See Figure 4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DC conversion gain linearity, typical</td>
<td>(&lt; 3% \text{ deviation in DC conversion gain from 25 \text{ \mu W} to 500 \text{ \mu W} average optical input relative to conversion gain with 250 \text{ \mu W} average optical power input} )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Absolute maximum nondestructive optical input</td>
<td>5 mW average power; 10 mW peak power at wavelength with highest relative responsivity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bandwidth</td>
<td>DC to 2.0 GHz (( \geq -6 \text{ dB electrical output into 50 \Omega} ))</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Frequency Response ((+20^\circ \text{ C to +35^\circ \ C}))</td>
<td>Scalar frequency response of optical-to-electrical conversion (as measured at the electrical output) falls within the SONET OC-48 and SDH STM-16, 2.488 Gb/s industry standards (Bessel-Thompson reference receiver boundary limits)(^1)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maximum non-saturating linear response to transient input</td>
<td>The transient optical signal response is linear (( \pm 5% )) up to 100 \text{ \mu W} average optical power and (&lt; 200 \text{ \mu W}<em>{p-p} ) optical power for both 1310 nm ( \pm 20 \text{ nm} ) and 1550 nm ( \pm 20 \text{ nm} ). Linearity is relative to 200 \text{ \mu W}</em>{p-p} ) step response</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Internal Fiber diameter</td>
<td>core: 9 \text{ \mu m single-mode fiber} cladding: 125 \text{ \mu m}</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fiber connector style</td>
<td>female FC/PC</td>
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<tr>
<td>Optical return loss</td>
<td>&gt; 30 minimum when external mating fiber is also PC style.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Noise equivalent power</td>
<td>( \leq 15 \text{ \mu W/\sqrt{Hz} electrical output noise when terminated into 50 \Omega} )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rise time</td>
<td>( \leq 205 \text{ ps} )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Aberrations</td>
<td>( \leq 5%_{p-p} \text{ total} )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Output zero</td>
<td>( \leq \pm 1.0 \text{ mV at 20^\circ \text{ C to 30^\circ \ C and} \leq \pm 3.0 \text{ mV outside this range (optical input must be zero)} )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>External Termination impedance</td>
<td>50 \text{ \Omega} \pm 2 \text{ \Omega}</td>
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\(^1\) A 4th order Bessel Thompson response for a SONET/SDH 2.488 Gb/s data rate receiver should have a nominal \(-3 \text{ dB at 1.8666 GHz and} -5.7 \text{ dB at 2.488 GHz.}\)
### Table 1: ORR24 Specifications (cont.)

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| Temperature   | Operating: +10°C to +40°C  
(frequency response is only guaranteed from +20°C to +35°C)  
Non-operating: –55°C to +75°C |
| Humidity      | 75% non-condensing |
| Altitude      | Operating: 4,572 m (15,000 ft)  
Non-operating: 15,240 m (50,000 ft) |

**Figure 4: ORR24 relative responsivity (normalized to 1310 nm)**
Use the following procedures to verify the specifications of the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver. Before beginning these procedures, see page 18 and photocopy the test record and use it to record the performance test results. The recommended verification interval is one year.

These procedures test the following specifications:

- Noise equivalent power
- Output zero
- DC conversion gain
- Rise time
- HF Aberrations
- Bandwidth/Frequency Response

### Equipment Required

Table 2 lists the equipment required to perform the performance verification procedure. The types and quantities of connectors may vary depending on the specific equipment you use.

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<th>Minimum requirements</th>
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<td>Optical power meter with head and adapters</td>
<td>Accuracy &gt; 2.5%, resolution &gt; 5 pW, Max power &gt; 1 mW, calibrated from 700 nm – 1600 nm</td>
<td>HP 8153A with HP 811532 head</td>
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<tr>
<td>1310 nm cal source</td>
<td>output &gt; 200 µW(^1), stability &gt; 0.1 dB over 5 minutes, modulated square wave @ 10 kHz with off modulation at zero-light level</td>
<td>Rifocs 665R–PO</td>
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<tr>
<td>1550 nm cal source</td>
<td>output &gt; 200 µW (CW)(^1), stability &gt; 0.1 dB over 5 minutes, modulated square wave @ 10 kHz with off modulation at zero-light level</td>
<td>Rifocs 666R–PO</td>
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<tr>
<td>RF power meter</td>
<td>noise &lt; .1 mV, BW &gt; 4 GHz</td>
<td>HP 436A with power sensor HP 8484A</td>
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<td>1300 or 1550 nm impulse generator</td>
<td>pulse width &lt; 6 ps</td>
<td>Clark MXR ErF™ picosecond 1550 laser</td>
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<td>Sampling oscilloscope with sampling head</td>
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<td>11800 series or CSA800 series with SD-22 sampling head)</td>
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<td>SMA-to-SMA cable</td>
<td>50 Ω with 2 ns delay</td>
<td>015-0560-00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PC with GPIB port and printer</td>
<td>printer output of sampled waveforms</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Adjustable single-mode optical attenuator</td>
<td>4 decades, 9 μm core fiber, FC-style connectors</td>
<td>Tektronix OA5002</td>
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<tr>
<td>Digital voltmeter</td>
<td>4 1/2 digit</td>
<td>Keithley 2000 or Tektronix DMM916</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>50 Ω termination</td>
<td>± 1%</td>
<td>011-0049-01</td>
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<tr>
<td>BNC-to-banana adapter</td>
<td>BNC female to dual banana</td>
<td>103-0090-00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Optical cable</td>
<td>FC-FC multimode, 9 μm, 2 meters</td>
<td>174-1910-00</td>
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<td>Inline optical adapter</td>
<td>FC female to FC female</td>
<td>131-5039-00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Low-pass filter</td>
<td>1 GHz</td>
<td>Mini Circuits SLP 1000</td>
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^1 CW and modulated mode available: modulation with OFF level at or below 0.1 μW, optical falltime < 1 μs

**NOTE** To guarantee compliance with OC-48 boundary limits, you must connect the ORR24 Optical Reference Receiver to the input of an SD-22 sampling head using the 015-0560-00 cable provided. The ORR24 is designed for the electrical characteristics of the cable and the particular frequency response and low noise of the SD-22.

The reference receiver under test and the test equipment and should be warmed up for 20 minutes at an ambient temperature between 20 and 30° C.

Output Zero

1. Attach the output of the ORR24 to the voltmeter inputs with a 50 Ω termination and BNC-to-banana adapter.
2. Install the optical dust cover on the input of the ORR24.
3. Check that output voltage is ≤ ± 1 mV. Record the result on the test record.
DC Conversion Gain

**NOTE.** Make sure that the optical connector ends of both the fiber from the optical attenuator output and the ORR24 under test input fiber are well cleaned before performing this step. See the cleaning instructions on page 7.

1. Connect the 1310 nm laser source to the input of the optical attenuator.

**NOTE.** The longer wavelengths of 1310 nm and especially 1550 nm in single mode fiber are sensitive to loss in fiber due to bending of the fiber. The fiber bend radius of the ORR24 fiber input should lay with >1.5 inch bend radius along the fiber’s entire length. Although this precaution must be maintained throughout the entire performance verification procedure, it is especially important for this step in order to accurately adjust and measure the DC conversion gain of the ORR24.

2. Connect the optical attenuator output to the optical power meter using single mode optical cable with FC connectors. Use the appropriate optical power meter sensing head with calibrated measurement for a wavelength span including 1310 nm and 1550 nm. Be sure the optical power meter wavelength setting and optical attenuator setting is at 1310 nm. Enable the optical output.

3. Adjust attenuator or the optical source so that the optical power meter reads 200 μW.

4. Move the FC fiber end (the one now adjusted to 200 μW average power) from the optical power meter and connect it to the ORR24 input under test.

5. Attach voltmeter with 50 Ω termination to ORR24 output.

6. Record the voltmeter reading. The 1310 nm conversion gain in units of V/mW is

\[(\text{voltmeter reading}) \times 5\]

7. Record the 1310 nm conversion gain on the test record.

8. Disconnect the 1310 nm laser from the optical attenuator, and reconnect the 1550 nm laser source. Set the optical attenuator to the correct wavelength.

**NOTE.** Do not disturb the fiber connection between the optical attenuator output and the ORR24 input.

9. Adjust the optical attenuator until the voltmeter reading is the same as in step 6 above ± 1%.
10. Without moving the optical attenuator from the position in the previous step, disconnect the output fiber of the optical attenuator from the inline adapter with the ORR24 and insert the optical attenuator output into the optical power meter.

11. Adjust the optical power meter to the calibrated wavelength setting of 1550 nm. Note the absolute power displayed. The 1550 nm conversion gain in units of V/mW_{opt} is

\[
((200 \mu W) / (\text{measured 1550 power})) \times (1310 \text{ nm conversion gain})
\]

12. Record the 1550 nm conversion gain on the test record.

### Noise Equivalent Power

Power the ORR24 under test using the digital sampling oscilloscope.

1. Zero the RF power meter.

2. Connect the ORR24 output channel to the RF power meter using a 1 GHz low-pass filter in series.

3. With the dust cover on the input to the ORR24, the RF power meter should read less than

\[
\frac{[15 \ pW_{opt} / \sqrt{Hz} \times \sqrt{1 \ GHz} \times (\text{measured conversion gain in V/W}_{opt})]^2}{50 \Omega}
\]

\[
= 4.5 \times 10^{-15} \times (\text{measured conversion gain in V/W}_{opt})^2
\]

\[
= W_{elec}
\]

(\text{NOTE}: \ V/W_{opt} = V/mW_{opt} \times 1000)

4. Record the calculated and measured results on the test record.
Rise Time and HF Aberrations

1. Connect the output of the optical impulse generator to the ORR24 optical input through the optical attenuator.

2. Connect the trigger output of the optical impulse generator to the trigger input of the digital sampling oscilloscope with a 50 Ω, 5X electrical attenuator in series with the trigger input.

3. Connect the ORR24 output to the digital sampling oscilloscope input using a relatively short 50 Ω cable (i.e. < 1 meter).

4. Set the optical source to the 1 MHz rate and low energy mode. Adjust the optical attenuator so that the height of the impulse is about 200 mV_p-p.

5. Set the digital sampling scope to 10 mV/div vertical scale, 100 ps/div horizontal scale, 1024-point record length, and insure the entire impulse waveform is within the display region. Shift the horizontal record so that the start of the impulse is within the first two divisions of the horizontal scale on the display.

6. Average the waveform a minimum of 256 times, and store the averaged waveform.

7. Recall the stored waveform, and measure the mean signal level before the start of the impulse (i.e. measure the average vertical offset in the record length preceding the impulse; if the impulse generator is temporarily disabled, then the average DC level of the entire record length can be used instead).

8. Program the digital sampling oscilloscope to display the integral of the stored waveform minus the mean signal level before the impulse.

9. Measure the rise time of the integrated impulse response and insure that it is less than or equal to 205 ps. Record the rise time on the test record.

10. Turn on the horizontal bar cursors and set them at the 0 and 100% levels of the waveform, using the level 500 ps after the 50% point of the step as 100% level. Record the difference between the two levels.

11. Now set the cursors on the minimum and maximum overshoot and undershoot points. Record the difference of the two levels. Divide the difference voltage due to the aberrations by the step size and ensure that the result is less or equal to 5%. Record the actual percentage on the test record.
Bandwidth/Frequency Response

1. Recall the impulse waveform acquired in Step 6 on page 16.

2. Using a controller attached to the digital sampling oscilloscope via GPIB (i.e. a PC, MAC, workstation, etc.), download the 1024-point, averaged impulse response.

3. Using the available controller software (i.e. Labview, etc) perform an FFT (Fast Fourier Transform) on the 1024-point impulse response; this transforms the time-domain impulse response to a scalar frequency response.

4. Check that the frequency response from DC to 2 GHz is greater than or equal to –6 dB where $\text{dB} = 20 \log \left( \frac{V_{\log}}{V_{dc}} \right)$ or electrical power into 50 $\Omega$. 
# Test record

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Replaceable Parts

For information about replaceable parts, contact your Tektronix sales representative.

Figure 5: ORR24 replaceable parts
Figure 6: Standard accessories

Figure 7: Optional accessories

Figure 8: Optional power cords
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#### Standard accessories

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| 6–2                 | 015–0565–00           |                     |                       | 1   | POWER DIVIDER:50 OHM,3 SMA, FEMALE CONN                | 64537     | D299S           |

| 6–3                 | 015–1014–00           |                     |                       | 1   | PWR DIVIDER,RES:50 OHM,SMA                            | 64537     | D241S           |

| 6–4                 | 020–2209–00           |                     |                       | 1   | ACCESSORY KIT:CONNECTOR,OPTICAL,DIN TO FC SQUARE MOUNT ADAPTER, | 80009 | 020–2209–00     |

| 6–5                 | 174–3737–00           |                     |                       | 1   | FIBER OPTIC:COUPLER, 1 X 2 SPLITTER, WAVELENGTH INDEPENDENT, 90/10 RATIO, ATT. 0.1 DB, REFLE  | 0C5R7     | 3–0102–10–B–UFC–0 1–UFC–01 |

| 6–6                 | 174–1497–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CA ASSY,FBR OPT:SINGLE MODE,2M L FC/PC TO DIAMOND 2.5   | 80009     | 174–1497–00    |

| 6–7                 | 174–1385–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CA ASSY,FBR OPT:SGL MODE,2M LFC/PC DIAMOND3.5          | 80009     | 174–1385–00    |

| 6–8                 | 174–1386–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CA ASSY,FBR OPT:SINGLE MODE,2M LFC/PC–ST               | 80009     | 174–1386–00    |

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| 6–10                | 174–1388–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CA ASSY,FBR OPT:SGL MODE,2M LFC/PC–BICONIC             | 80009     | 174–1388–00    |

| 6–11                | 174–2322–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CABLE,FIBER OPT:JUMPER,2 METER,62.5 MICRON,FC/PC TO FC/PC | 62712     | 174–2322–00    |

| 6–12                | 174–2323–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CABLE,FIBER OPT:JUMPER,2 METER,62.5 MICRON,FC/PC TO BICONIC | 62712     | 174–2322–00    |

| 6–13                | 174–2324–00           |                     |                       | 1   | CABLE,FIBER OPT:JUMPER,2 METER,62.5 MICRON,FC/PC TO SMA 906 | 62712     | PC/SK–20–002A  |
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