Instructions

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SD-14 Opt 01
Sampling Head
063-2011-01
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Product Description

The SD-14 Opt 01 is a variation on the standard SD-14 Probe Sampling Head, that features the following modifications.

- Probe tip length extended 0.040” (1.0mm)
- Ground barrel threaded 10-40 at top
- Additional custom accessories: Probe to etched circuit board (ECB) adapters, Probe to SMB adapters

The SD-14 Opt 01 is used with the 11801 family of Digital Sampling Oscilloscopes or the CSA803 family of Communications Signal Analyzers. The tip design will accommodate all of the standard accessories provided for the standard SD-14 4mm Probe Tip size.

For more information on the SD-14 Opt 01 that is not specific to this Mod, refer to the SD-14 User Manual (070-8286-01).

**NOTE.** The Probe to ECB Adapter and the Probe to SMB Adapter can only be used with the SD-14 Opt 01 probes. Do not attempt to use them with the standard SD-14 probes.

The Probe to Etched Circuit Board (ECB) Adapter is intended to provide a solid mating of the probe tip to a ground-signal-ground ECB pattern. Adjacent pin spacing is 0.075 (0.95mm). The center signal conductor of the probe protrudes...
through this adapter and serves as the signal carrying member of the probe and adapter assembly.

The adapter is installed onto the probe tip by gently twisting it counter-clockwise while simultaneously pushing it onto the barrel until it stops. It may be removed by twisting it counter-clockwise while pulling it off.

![Diagram of ECB mating pattern]

**Figure 2: Required ECB Mating Pattern**

To test an ECB pattern, align the ground-signal-ground leads to the hole pattern in the ECB, and gently push the probe straight into the ECB until it stops.

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**CAUTION. To avoid damage to the probe tip,**

*Do not apply excessive side force to the probe*

*Maintain the probe at a right angle (90 degree) to the ECB.*
The Probe to SMB adapter is intended to provide a solid mating of the probe tip to an SMB jack coaxial connector. It is a coaxial adapter that is equipped with a probe socket on one side, and a SMB plug on the other side. One type of application is illustrated above, where a right angle SMB jack to ECB connector is used to mate the probe and the ECB.

The required ECB pattern depends on the type of SMB jack to ECB adapter used, as there are several available commercially. The following list should serve as a guideline to selecting the proper connector for your application:

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<th>Application</th>
<th>Manufacturer</th>
<th>Manufacturer’s Part Number</th>
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<tr>
<td>Right angle ECB Mount</td>
<td>E. F. Johnson</td>
<td>131-1701-371</td>
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<tr>
<td>Straight ECB Mount</td>
<td>E. F. Johnson</td>
<td>131-3701-201</td>
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<td>ECB End Launch (0.062 board)</td>
<td>E. F. Johnson</td>
<td>131-3701-801</td>
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Use care when placing right angle connectors with regard to both the direction the probe extends outward, and also the vertical clearance of the probe to the board. Many SMB right angle connectors are very low profile and do not allow the probe to extend over a usable area of the ECB.

The threaded adapter is installed onto the probe tip by gently twisting it clockwise onto the barrel until it stops. It may be removed by twisting it counter-clockwise. The SMB connection is then made by pushing the connectors together until a snap is felt.
CAUTION. To avoid damage to the probe tip, thread the SMB adapter to the probe before making connection to the SMB connector. Likewise, disconnect the SMB before removing the SMB adapter from the probe.

To disconnect the SMB connector, simply pull on the probe. The adapter will stay with the probe.

CAUTION. Pull only on the probe body. Do not pull on the probe cable, as damage may result to the probe.

Specifications

The specifications listed below pertain only to the addition of Opt 01 to the SD-14. Refer to the SD-14 User Manual (070-8286-01) for any information not listed here.

- Probe Input Impedance: 100K ohm typical
  0.550pF typical
- Field Replaceable Unit: 657-0097-50
- Standard Accessories: Probe Etched-Circuit-Board Adapter
  Replace with 020-2081-00
  (5 ea)
  Probe to SMB Adapter
  Replace with 020-2082-00
  (5 ea)

CAUTION. The SD-14 User and Service Manuals call out the use of a Calibration Fixture, 013-0271-00. The SD-14 Opt 01 must be tested only with an updated version of this fixture, Part number 013-0271-01. The updated version of this fixture remains compatible with the standard SD-14.