

# SRM100A

AXIe Advanced System Reference Module:  
10 MHz, 100 MHz and 1200 MHz



- Timebase for the ASGM18A Advanced Signal Generator and ASAM18A Advanced Signal Analyzer modules
- Ultra-low phase noise
- Drives 1 to 4 Advanced Signal Generators / Analyzers
- Spurious < -100 dBc
- 10 MHz, 100 MHz and 1200 MHz outputs
- 10 MHz or 100 MHz external reference input for phase coherent and time synchronous operation with a customer standard or system under test

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The Giga-tronics SRM100A AXIe Advanced System Reference Module is a precision frequency reference that provides the necessary signals for phase coherent operation across instruments within the AXIe chassis, as well as across multiple chassis. One SRM100A is necessary to drive a two or four channel AXIe chassis. The SRM100A accepts an externally supplied 10 MHz or 100 MHz input, as well as providing 10 MHz and 100 MHz frequency reference outputs. Additionally, an external frequency control voltage input allows for the fine tuning of the SRM100A outputs' absolute frequencies if desired in a system test environment.

This datasheet provides a summary of the key performance parameters for the Giga-tronics SRM100A AXIe Advanced System Reference Module.

All specifications apply over the +20 to +30 °C temperature range after a 30 minute warmup period unless otherwise noted.

#### Features:

- Ultra-low phase noise precision frequency reference
- Drives 1 to 4 Advanced Signal Generator / Analyzer channels
- Provides 10 MHz, 100 MHz and 1200 MHz outputs
- Spurious < -100 dBc

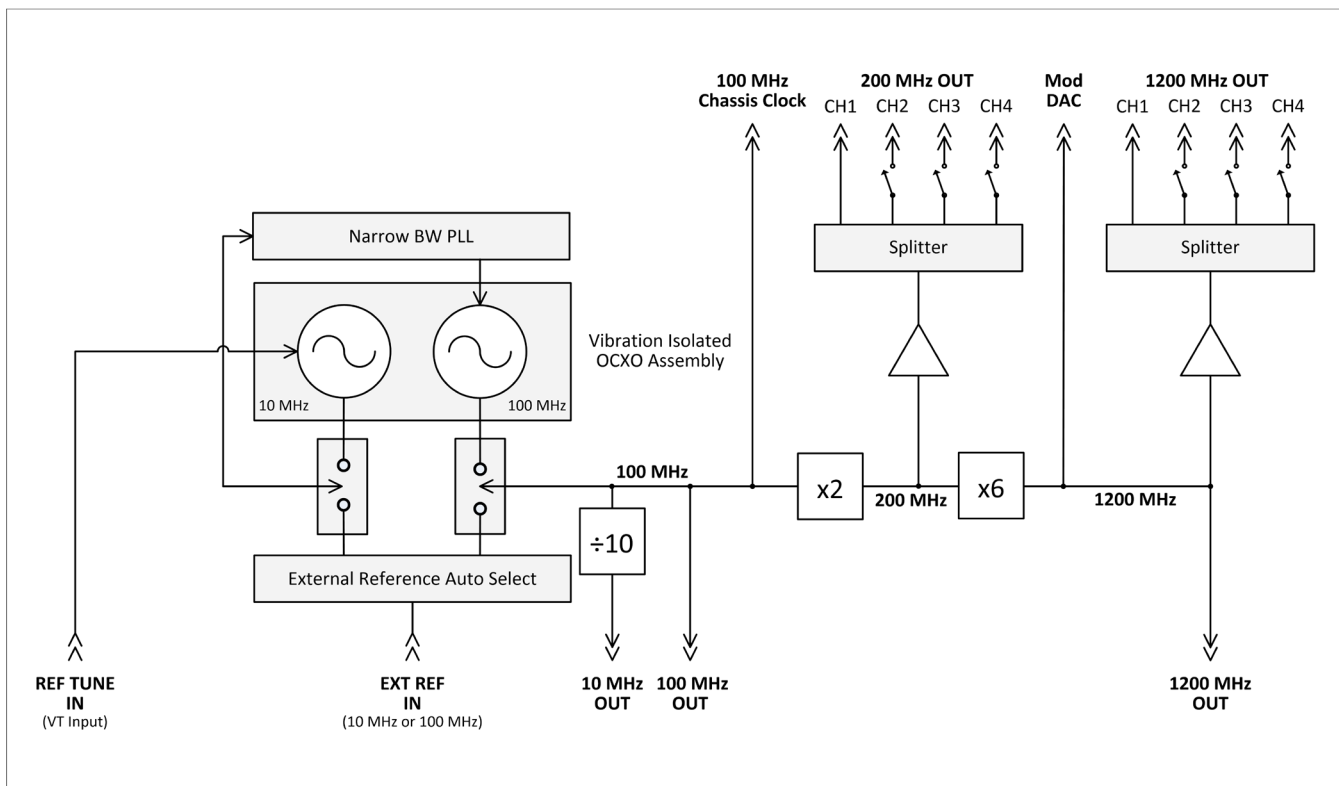


Figure 1 - The SRM100A AXIe System Reference Module Block Diagram

**Per Chassis Reference Signal Outputs**

Frequency	Power
10 MHz	> +8 dBm
100 MHz	> +8 dBm
1200 MHz	> +12 dBm
Impedance	50 Ω

**Frequency Stability**

Accuracy	± 10 ppB
Aging rate*	< 5 x 10 <sup>-10</sup> ppB/day
Temp stability	< ±2 x 10 <sup>-8</sup> ppB/°C
Tuning range	±6.5 Hz
Tuning voltage	±5 Volts
Tuning sensitivity	-1.3 Hz/V nom

\* After 30 days

**Phase Noise (See Figure 2)**

1200 MHz	-140 dBc/Hz @ 10 kHz offset
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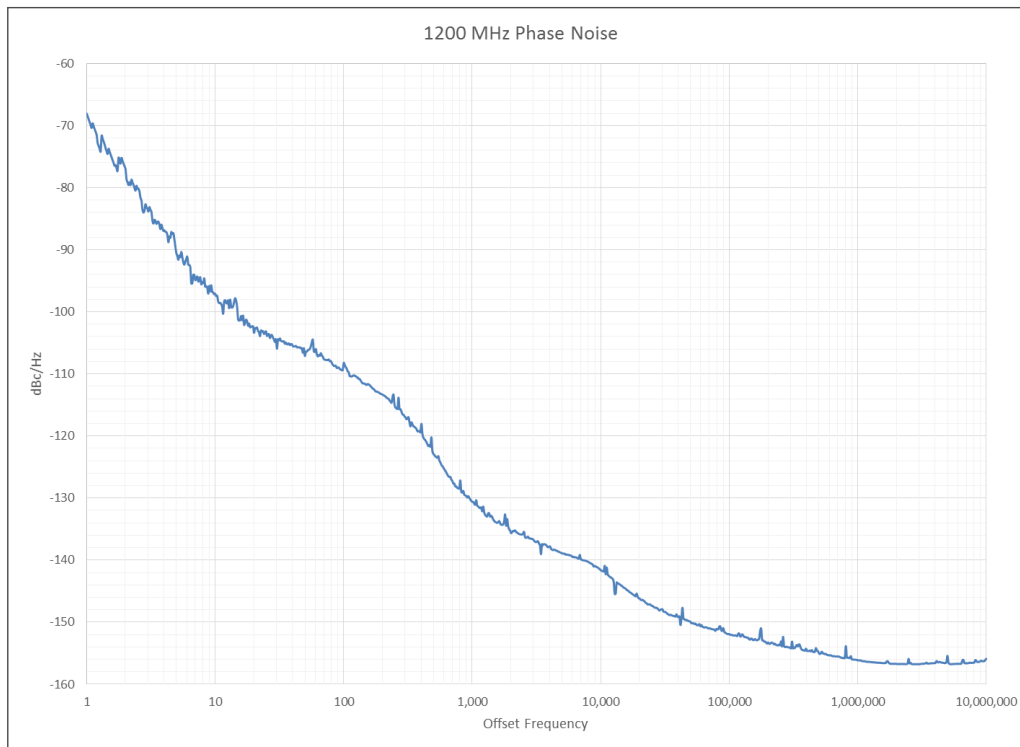


Figure 2 - The SRM100A Phase Noise

**Spurious**

1200 MHz	
< 300 Hz offset	< -90 dBc
> 300 Hz offset	< -105 dBc

**External Reference Signal Input**

Frequency	10 MHz or 100 MHz Sinusoid
Input impedance	50 $\Omega$
Input level	0 dBm +/-5 dB
Control	Automatic sensing (internal vs external reference)
External referene indicator	Front panel LED

**General Specifications**

Environmental	MIL-PRF-28800F for Temperature, Humidity and Altitude only. Operating Random Vibration: 5 to 500 Hz, 0.21 grms. Survival Random Vibration: 5 to 500 Hz, 2.09 grms
Safety	EN61010-1:2010
Emissions	EN61326-1:2013
Weight	< 10 lbs (4.6 kg)
Dimensions	1.78" H x 12.7" W x 12.3" D
Form Factor	AXIe
Power	< 65 Watts

## Selection Guide by Application

Model Number	APPLICATION				OPTIONS			
	Real-Time Synthesizer	AXIe Companion	Real-Time Threat Emulation	Radar Quiet Target Generator	OPT-ATT Electronic Step Attenuator	OPT-UP1 1200 MHz IF Input	OPT-BCD Parallel BCD Input	OPT-TCI TEmS Control Interface
<b>ASGM18A</b> 100 MHz to 18 GHz Advanced Signal Generator Module	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
<b>ASAM18A</b> 500 MHz to 18 GHz Advanced Signal Analyzer Module		●	●				●	
<b>SRM100A</b> System Reference Module	●	●	●	●				
<b>CHSIS2A / CHSIS4A</b> 2-Channel or 4-Channel AXIe System Chassis	●	●	●	●				
<b>CHSISBK</b> AXIe Blank Module: 2-Slot	●	●	●	●				
<b>ONS</b> On-Site System Configuration Service	●	●	●	●				
<b>TEmS</b> Threat Emulation Software and Control System			●					

## Ordering Information

Model Number	Description
ASGM18A OPT-ATT OPT-UP1 OPT-BCD OPT-TCI	AXIe Advanced Signal Generator: 100 MHz to 18 GHz Electronic Step Attenuator for 90 dB Dynamic Range 1200 MHz Upconverter IF Input Parallel BCD Input Control Interface TEmS Control Interface
ASAM18A OPT-BCD	AXIe Advanced Signal Analyzer: 500 MHz to 18 GHz Parallel BCD Input Control Interface
SRM100A	AXIe System Reference Module: 10 MHz, 100 MHz, 1200 MHz
CHSIS2A	2-Channel AXIe System Chassis (4U) (For 1 or 2 channel systems)
CHSIS4A	4-Channel AXIe System Chassis (7U) (For 1 to 4 channel systems)
CHSISBK	AXIe Blank Module: 2-Slot cover for Airflow Management and Backplane Termination
EWS20	Extended 2 Year Warranty
EWS40	Extended 4 Year Warranty
Consultancy	Professional Consultation

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