SOM-90304316-10-M1

Rev. 1.0

W-Band Mechanically Tuned Gunn Oscillator, 2 GHz Tuning Bandwidth

Description:

Model SOM-90304316-10-M1 is a W-Band, mechanically tuned Gunn oscillator that utilizes a high-performance GaAs Gunn diode and proprietary cavity design to deliver +16 dBm typical power. The oscillator features a frequency tuning range of 88 to 92 GHz and delivers low AM/FM noise and harmonic emissions. Compared to its counterparts, such as multiplier-based sources, the Gunn oscillator is a lower cost and cleaner source. The Gunn oscillator's frequency can also be tuned by varying the bias voltage, which is useful for phase-locking and electrical-tuning applications. The Gunn oscillator is equipped with a micrometer for quick frequency tuning and test bench applications. Models with a self-locking set screw for system integration are available under a different model number. The performance of the oscillator can be further enhanced by adding an optional isolator, Gunn oscillator modulator/regulator and temperature heater.

Features:

- Low AM/FM Noise and Harmonics
- Bias Tunable

Applications:

- Test Sources
- Signal Generation
- Lab Test Setups

Electrical Specifications:

Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum
Center Frequency		90 GHz	
Power Output		+16 dBm	
Mechanical Tuning Range		±2 GHz	
Bias Tuning Range (+4.0 to +5.0 V_{DC})		±100 MHz	
Bias Voltage		+4.0 V_{DC}	+5.0 V_{DC}
Bias Current		750 mA	
Specification Temperature		+25 ˚C	
Operating Temperature	0 ˚C		+50 ˚C

Mechanical Specifications:

Item	Specification
RF Port	WR-10 Waveguide with UG-387/U-M Flange
DC Bias	SMA (F)
Mechanical Tuning	Micrometer
Body Material	Aluminum
Finish	Gold Plated
Weight	3.6 Oz
Outline	OM-MW-A-C

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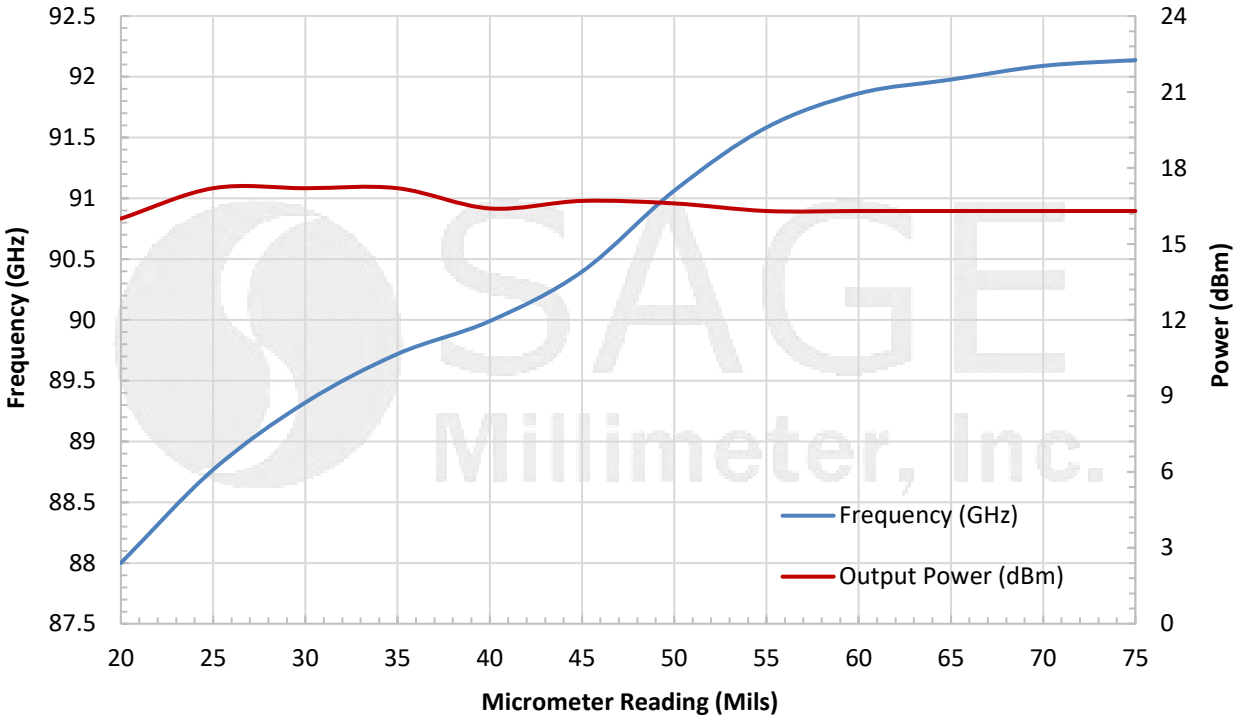
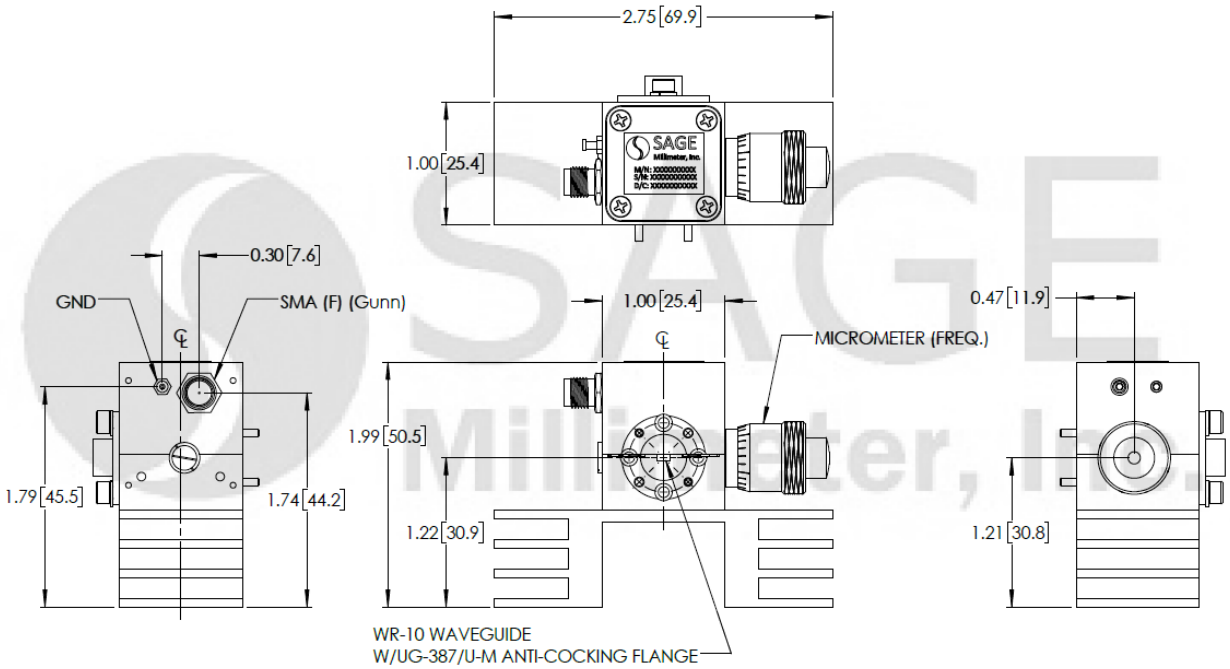
Typical Frequency and Power Output vs. Micrometer Reading

Bias: +4.5 Vdc/670 mA



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



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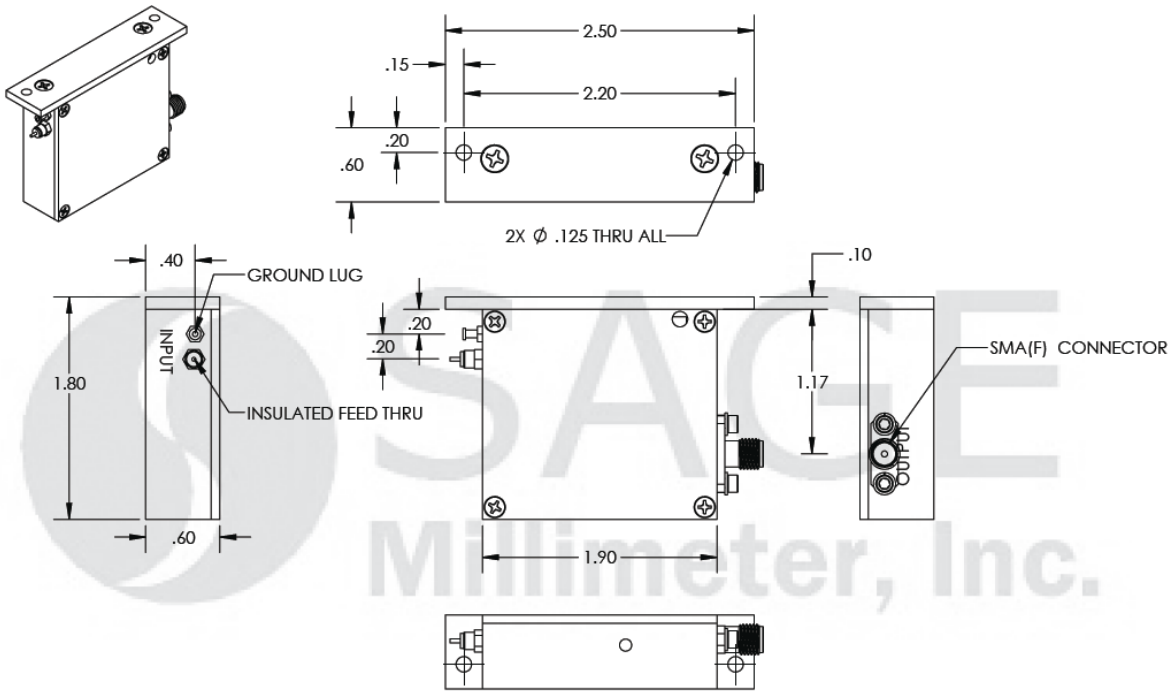
Note:

- The data given above was tested under case temperature **+25 °C**.
- The SAGE Millimeter Gunn oscillator regulator **SOR-R3** is highly recommended for over voltage and reverse bias protection. The outline of the model SOR-R3 is shown in the appendix
- The optional AM/FM Modulator **SOR-M3** can be ordered separately to further enhance the functionality of the Gunn oscillator. The outline of the modulator is also shown in the appendix.
- The bias tuning feature can be used for electrical tuning and phase lock loop applications.
- SAGE Millimeter, Inc. reserves the right to change the information presented without notice.

Caution:

- Reversing polarity will destroy the device.
- Bias voltage should never exceed **+5.0 Volts**.
- The oscillator is factory set to operate around **90.0 GHz**. The self-locking set screw is for frequency trimming only. It is not designed for frequent frequency tuning.
- The case temperature of the device should never exceed **+50 ˚C**. Use an additional heatsink or fan if necessary.
- Proper torque, 8.0 ± 0.15 inch-pounds (0.92 ± 0.05 Nm), should be applied. **SAGE Millimeter torque wrench, model SCH-08008-S1, is highly recommended.**
- Any foreign objects in the waveguide will destroy the device.

The Outline of the Gunn Oscillator Regulator Model SOR-R3.



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