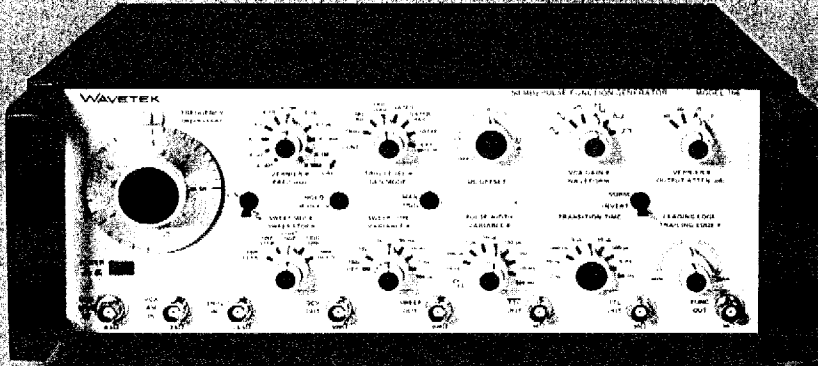




**PULSE/FUNCTION GENERATORS**  
**MODEL 166**



# 50 MHz Pulse/ Function Generator

- 0.0001 Hz to 50 MHz Range
- 30 Volt Peak-To-Peak Output
- Lin/Log Sweep Plus AM and FM
- Pulse Width and Transition Time Control
- Independent Pulse Width and Rate

**SWEEP/FUNCTION GENERATOR**

**Selectable Waveforms:** Sine, triangle, square and ramp. All can be inverted. All can be amplitude and frequency modulated.

**Operational Modes:** Continuous, Triggered, Double Triggered, Triggered Haverwave, Gated, Gated Haverwave, Continuous Sweep, Triggered Sweep and Sweep and Hold.

**Frequency Range:** 0.0001 Hz to 50 MHz in 11 ranges. Maximum sweep 1000:1 in lin or log.

**Sweep Time Range:** 100s to 100  $\mu$ s in 6 ranges.

**Function Output:** Variable to 30 Vp-p (15 Vp-p into 50 $\Omega$ ). Voltage attenuation 0 to 80 dB: to 60 dB in 20 dB steps, plus 20 dB continuous vernier.

**DC Offset:** DC offset of all waveforms is adjustable to  $\pm 10$ V ( $\pm 5$ V into 50 $\Omega$ ). Waveform plus offset is limited to  $\pm 15$ V ( $\pm 7.5$ V into 50 $\Omega$ ).

**GCV Output:** 0 to +5V (nominal, open circuit).  
**Output Impedance:** 600 $\Omega$

**Sweep Output:** 0 to +5V (nominal, open circuit) ramp.

**Output Impedance:** 600 $\Omega$ .

**Sweep Time:** 100s to 100 $\mu$ s.

**VCG (FM)—Voltage Controlled Generator:** Up to 1000:1 frequency change with external 0 to +5V signal.

**Mode:** Linear or logarithmic.

**Slew Rate:** 2% of range per  $\mu$ s.

**VCG Linearity:** 0.0005 Hz to 50 kHz  $\pm 0.5\%$  of range.

**Voltage Controlled Amplitude (VCA):** 0 to  $\pm 5$ V gives 0 to 30V amplitude change. AC input allows 0 to 200% modulation (suppressed carrier).

**AC Input Range:** 5V minimum for 100%, 10V minimum for 200% AM.

**Input Impedance:** 4.99 to 10 k $\Omega$ , depending on gain control.

**Input Bandwidth:** 10 kHz.

**Trigger Input**

**Trigger Signal:** 1 Vp-p minimum.

**Trigger Level:**  $\pm 5$ V.

**Input Impedance:** 1.5 k $\Omega$ , 30 pF.

**Maximum Repetition Rate:** 25 MHz.

**FREQUENCY PRECISION**

**Dial Accuracy:** (For  $\sim$ ,  $\wedge$ ,  $\nabla$ ,  $\square$  and linear dial setting of 0.5 to 5.)  
 $\pm 2\%$  of full scale for 0.0005 Hz to 5 MHz.  
 $+15\%$ ,  $-6\%$  of full scale for 5 to 50 MHz.

**AMPLITUDE PRECISION**

**Amplitude Change With Frequency**

Sine and square variations:  
 $< \pm 0.1$  dB to 100 kHz;  
 $< \pm 0.2$  dB to 1 MHz;  
 $< \pm 3$  dB to 50 MHz.

**Step Attenuator Accuracy:**  $\pm 0.3$  dB to 20 dB step to 100 kHz.

**WAVEFORM CHARACTERISTICS**

**Sine Distortion (Test at 10 Vp-p):**

$< 0.5\%$  for 10 Hz to 50 kHz.  
 All harmonics greater than:  
 30 dB down for 50 kHz to 5 MHz; 20 dB down for 5 to 50 MHz.

**Triangle Linearity:**  $> 99\%$  for 0.005 Hz to 100 kHz.

**Square Wave Aberrations (Test at 10 Vp-p):**  
 $< 5\%$  of p-p voltage.

**PULSE GENERATOR**

**Pulses:** Variable amplitude positive or complementary pulses  $\square$ ,  $\square$ , TTL and TTL pulses are simultaneous with main pulse. All pulses can drive 50 $\Omega$  terminations.

**Operational Modes:** Continuous, Triggered, Double Triggered, Gated and Continuous Sweep.

**External Width:** The trigger input determines the output pulse width and period.

**Pulse Period Range:** Pulse period is selectable from 20 ns to 10,000s (50 MHz to 0.0001 Hz) with approximately 1% vernier.

**Pulse Width:** 10 ns to 100 ms in 7 ranges. Maximum duty cycle is 70% for periods to 200 ns, decreasing to 50% for 20 ns periods. Control has nominal 50% duty cycle detent.

**Transition Time:** 7 ns to 50 ms in 7 ranges, independently variable for leading and trailing edges.

**Function Output:** 0 to  $\pm 15$ V into open circuit (0 to  $\pm 7.5$ V into 50 $\Omega$ ). Voltage attenuation 0 to 80 dB.

**TTL and TTL Pulses:** Transition times less than 4 ns into 50 $\Omega$  termination.

**GENERAL**

**Stability:** Amplitude, dc offset and frequency in linear mode to 500 kHz.

**Short Term:**  $\pm 0.05\%$  for 10 minutes.

**Long Term:**  $\pm 0.25\%$  for 24 hours.

**Environment:** Specifications apply at  $23^\circ \pm 5^\circ$ C after 30 min warm-up. Operates  $0^\circ$  to  $\pm 50^\circ$ C.

**Dimensions:** 36.2 cm (14 1/4 in.) wide; 13.3 cm (5 1/4 in.) high; 38.1 cm (15 in.) deep.

**Weight:** 8.8 kg (19.4 lb) net; 10.9 kg (24 lb) shipping.

**Power:** 90 to 105V, 108 to 126V, 198 to 209V and 216 to 252V; 50 to 66 Hz; 50 VA nominal.

**FACTORY/FOB**  
**San Diego, CA**

**PRICE**

**Model 166**

**\$2,695**