

OmniScan iX

Conventional UT Integrated Instrument



The Simple and Cost-Efficient Solution for Fully Automated Inspection Systems

The OmniScan® iX is a multichannel, conventional UT unit designed to inject high performance into fully automated inspection systems.

A single unit is capable of driving up to 8 conventional UT probes, offering increased coverage and reduced inspection time. A single OmniScan iX effectively replaces one or multiple conventional UT instruments.

The OmniScan iX can be easily interfaced with PC and PLC components for complete system automation.

Low Cost Solution

- Available with 2, 4, or 8 channels.
- Replaces multiple flaw detector units.
- Easy integration.
- Intuitive software.

Flexible Integration

- PC and PLC integration enabled.
- 16 real-time alarm and analog outputs.
- Rackmount or VESA compatible mounting.



OmniScan iX Specifications

GENERAL

Overall Dimensions (W x H x D)	Benchtop version: 375 mm x 238 mm x 185 mm (14.75 in. x 9.4 in. x 7.3 in.) Rackmount version: 485 mm x 222 mm x 190 mm (19 in. x 8.7 in. x 7.5 in.)
Weight	6.5 kg (14.3 lb)
Display	800 x 600, 10.4 in., TFT color LCD
Connectors	BNC (2, 4, or 8)

PULSER

Number of Pulsers	2, 4, or 8
Pulse Output	50 V, 100 V, 200 V, 300 V ($\pm 10\%$)
Pulse Width	Adjustable from 30 ns to 1,000 ns ($\pm 10\%$), resolution of 2.5 ns.
Fall Time	Less than 7 ns
Pulse Shape	Negative square wave
Output Impedance	Less than 7 Ω

RECEIVER

Number of Receivers	2, 4, or 8
Receiver Gain Range	0 dB to 100 dB, by steps of 0.1 dB
Maximum Input Signal	20 Vp-p (screen at 128 %)
Minimum Sensitivity	200 μ Vp-p (screen at 128 %)
Input-Referred Noise	160 μ Vp-p (26 μ V RMS) (128 %)
Input Impedance	50 Ω
Input Filters (100 % Bandwidth)	Band-pass: centered at 1, 2, 5, 10, 15, and 20 MHz Low-pass: 1 MHz from 0.25 MHz to 1 MHz (for low frequency transducers) High-pass: 12 to 35 MHz, 15 to 35 MHz, and 20 MHz to 35 MHz (for high-frequency transducer) Broadband: from 2 MHz to 25 MHz
Rectifier	Positive, negative, full wave, unrectified
Modes	PE (pulse-echo), PC (pitch-and-catch), and TT (through-transmission) In PC and TT modes, the maximum number of pulsers equals the number of channels divided by 2.
Smoothing	Digital

TIME-CORRECTED GAIN

Number of Points	32 (range up to 40 dB); TCG points can have a negative value.
Maximum Gain Slope	20 dB/ μ s

DATA ACQUISITION

A-Scan Acquisition Rate	6,000 A-scans/s (PRF/N, where N = number of channels) (512 point A-scan)
Maximum Pulsing Rate	12 kHz (C-scan + alarm mode). Up to 6 kHz with full A-scan recording

DATA PROCESSING

Real-Time Averaging	2, 4, 8, 16
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GATES

Quantity	3: I (synchro), A, and B (measure)
Synchronization	I, A, B referenced on main bang, B referenced on gate I or (postsynchronization)
Back Wall Echo Attenuator (BEA)	On the first half of the total available channels (for example: on a 4 channel instrument, BEA on channels 1 and 2)

DATA STORAGE

A-Scan Recording	6,000 A-scans/s (512 point A-scan) (3 MB/s transfer rate)
C-Scan-Type Data Recording	12,000 (A1, A2, A3, T1, T2, T3) (3 gates); 12 kHz (lower frequency for corrosion mapping)
Storage	Internal 8 GB CompactFlash

DATA VISUALIZATION

Refresh rate	60 Hz
Modes	A-scan, B-scan, C-scan, strip chart, and multiple A-scans
Data Synchronization	
Time	1 Hz to 12 kHz
Encoder	On 1 or 2 axes divided by 1 to 65,536 steps

INPUTS AND OUTPUTS

Number of Alarms	16 (programmable, hold time and delay, filters for n occurrences)
Conditions	Any logical combination of gates
Signal	Amplitude or time of flight (TOF) of gate A or B
Analog Outputs (at full PRF)	16 (0 V to 5 V) (programmable for each gate)
Digital Inputs	4 programmable DIN

OmniScan iX Options

Hardware Options



OmniScan iX Rackmount option



OmniScan iX Benchtop option

OMNI-IX-A-SCASE: OmniScan iX hard carrying case.

Software Options

OMNI-IX-SO-ENC1: OmniScan iX software option to activate two encoder inputs on the instrument.

OMNI-IX-SO-BEA: OmniScan iX software option to activate the back wall echo attenuator on the instrument.

OMNI-IX-SE-UTVME: OmniScan iX software option for the measurement of velocity on casting parts.

Standard Inclusions

- OmniScan iX instrument.
- Ethernet cable.
- OmniScan iX software with free lifetime updates.
- NDT Remote Control Library (RCLIB) license.
- User's manual.
- USB storage key.

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