



# USB Frequency Synthesizer Module, Phase Locked Loop (PLL), 25 MHz to 6 GHz Output, SMA

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PE11S3901

### Features

- Wideband Output Frequency
- 25 MHz to 6 GHz
- Integer and Fractional operating modes
- Up to 50 dB Attenuation adjustable in 1 dB steps
- USB 2.0 Interface
- Female SMA output
- USBTMC VISA Compliant
- User Selectable internal reference or externally applied reference
- Small compact package size
- LED indicators
- Downloadable User Manual
- Accessory cables included

### Applications

- Signal Generators
- Test Equipment
- RF System Integration
- Communication Systems
- EW Systems
- UHF/VHF Systems
- Radar Systems
- Frequency Conversion
- SIGINT

### Description

The PE11S3901 is a Frequency Synthesizer Module that covers a wide frequency band from 25 MHz to 6 GHz with exceptional spurious rejection and phase noise performance. Attenuation range up to 50 dB is adjustable in 1 dB steps across the entire frequency band. This high quality signal source has several outstanding features including a USB 2.0 interface that is powered and command controlled directly by a host PC and a Female SMA output connector, and is VISA compliant which enables seamless cross platform use. The synthesizer can be GUI controlled via Windows®, Macintosh®, or Linux® platforms, or with SCPI compliant VISA commands (downloadable user manual), or with other system design software such as LabVIEW®. The compact size makes it ideal for bench top test and measurement use or for radar and communication systems. Frequency resolution of the PE11S3901 is available in integer and fractional operating modes and the User can select between an internal reference (capable of phase locking) or externally applied reference. The module supports integrated phase locked loop (PLL) circuitry that the User can select between an internal reference (capable of phase locking) or externally applied reference. The RF Synthesizer Module comes complete with a USB 2.0 A extension and an SMA male to MMCX plug cable.

### Electrical Specifications (TA= 25°C)

Mode	Integer/Fractional
Reference	Internal (External Optional)
Option(s)	Phase Lock Indicator
Control Interface	USB

Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Frequency Range	0.025		6	GHz
Phase Locked Speed		1		ms
Phase Noise @100kHz Offset		-86		dBc/Hz
2nd Harmonic		-24.66		dBc
3rd Harmonic		-10.66		dBc
4th Harmonic		-34.5		dBc
Reference Frequency	10	50	100	MHz
Reference Power (CW)	+0		+15	dBm

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Internal Reference Frequency	50	MHz
Internal Reference Accuracy	0.5	ppm

### Performance by Frequency

Description	F1	F2	F3	F4	Units
Frequency	0.05	3	6		GHz
Phase Noise @ 100 kHz Offset (with internal reference)	-104	-95	-86		dBc/Hz
2nd Harmonics	-24.66	-26.17	-28.5		dBc
3rd Harmonics	-10.66	-29	-47.5		dBc
4th Harmonics	-34.5	-46.83	> -70		dBc

Description	F1	F2	F3	F4	Units
Frequency	.025 to 1	1 to 1.5	1.5 to 3	3 to 6	GHz
Step Size (Integer Mode)	12.5	25	50	100	MHz

Electrical Specification Notes:  
 Step size specified under default conditions (a 50 MHz reference input with a reference divider of 1).

### Mechanical Specifications

#### Size

Length	4.1 in [104.14 mm]
Width	0.9 in [22.86 mm]
Height	0.645 in [16.38 mm]
Weight	0.27 lbs [122.47 g]

#### Configuration

Package Type	Connectorized
Reference Connector	MMCX Female
Output Connector	SMA Female
Control Connector	USB Type A - Male
Reference Divider Out Connector	MMCX Female

Mechanical Specification Notes:  
 The USB Type A - Male connector is used for both Power and Control.

### Environmental Specifications

#### Temperature

Operating Range	0 to +55 deg C
Storage Range	-50 to +100 deg C

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**Compliance Certifications** (visit [www.Pasternack.com](http://www.Pasternack.com) for current document)  
RoHS Compliant

**Plotted and Other Data**  
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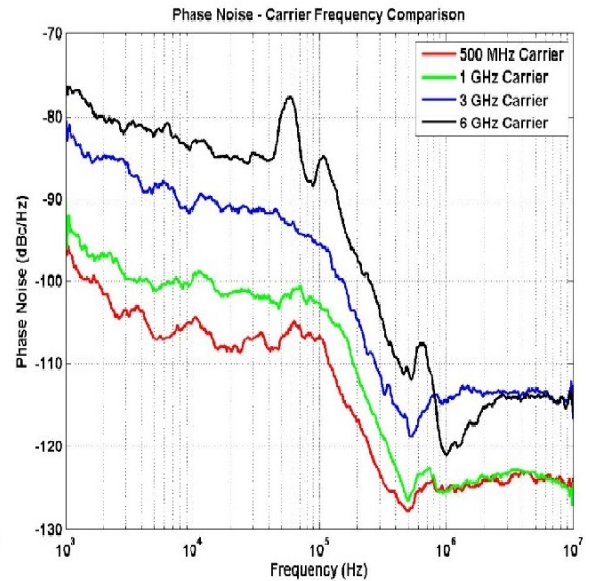
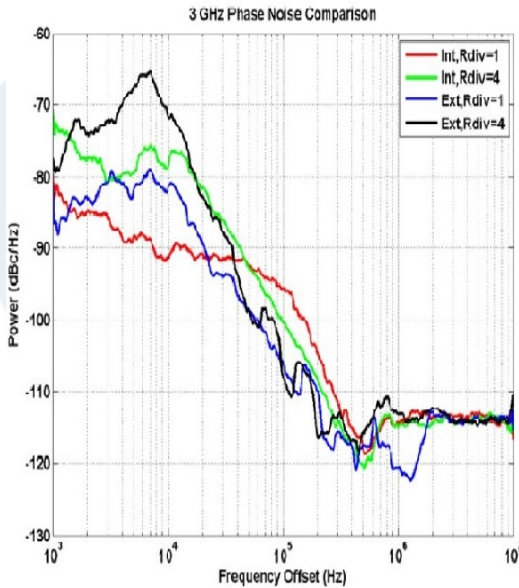
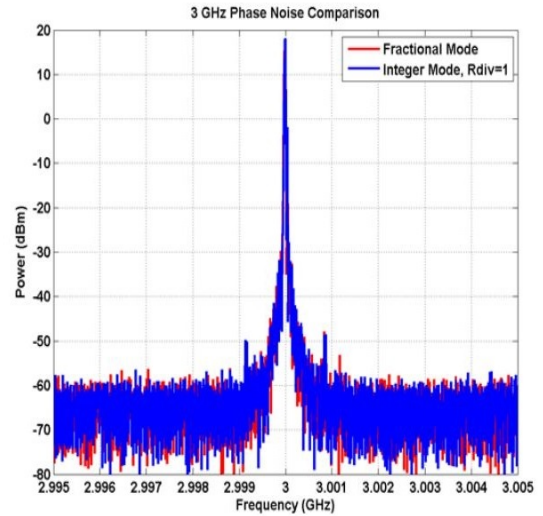
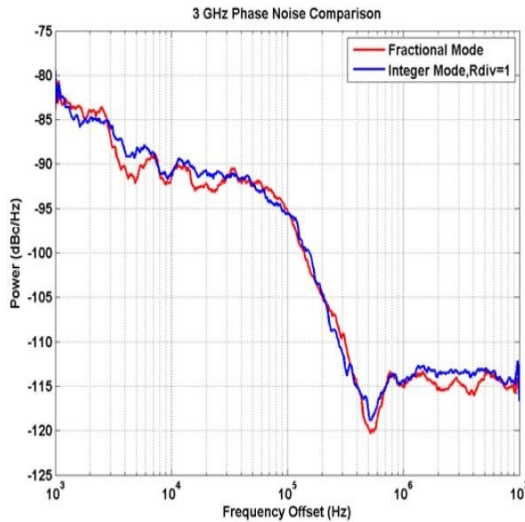


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Typical Performance Data



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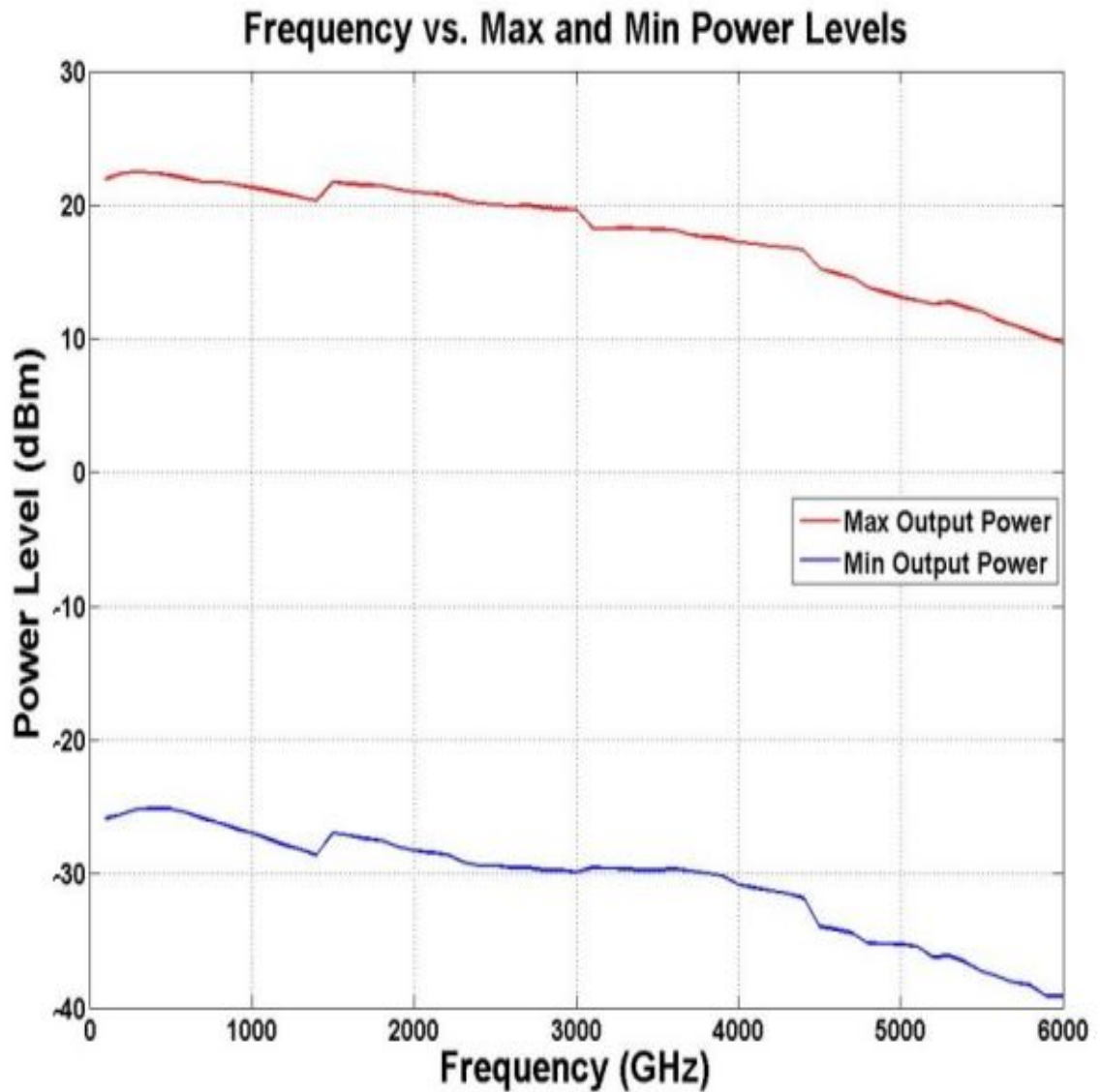




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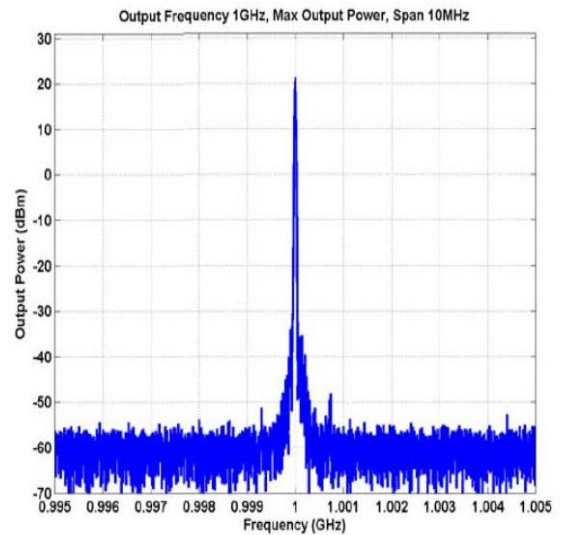
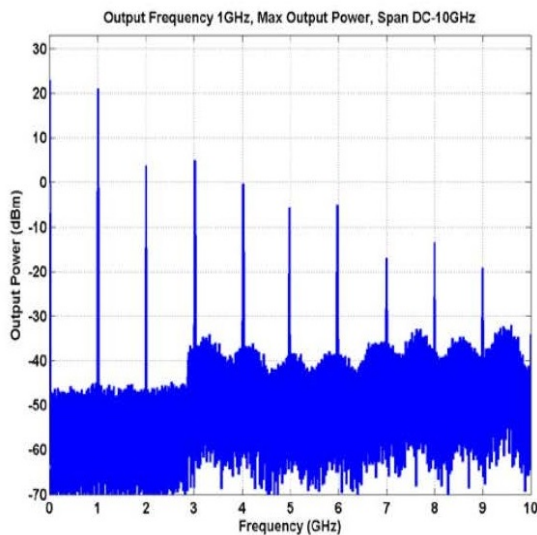
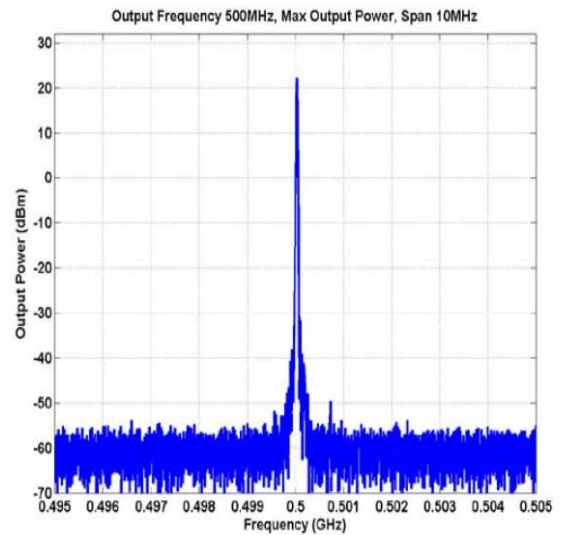
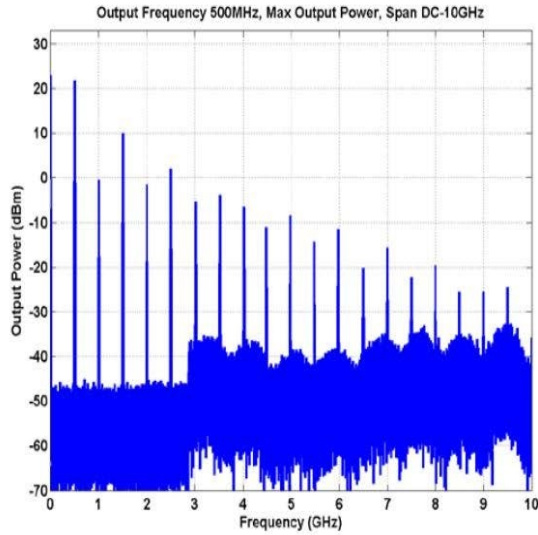




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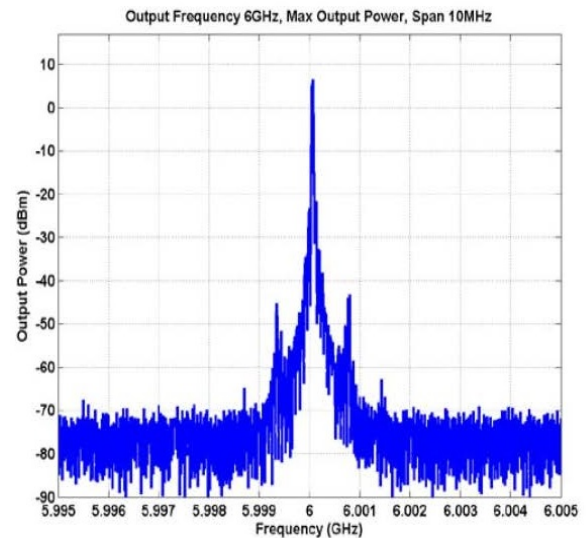
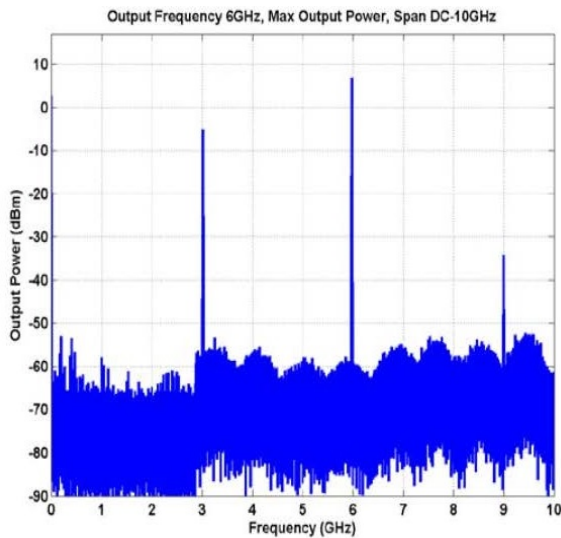
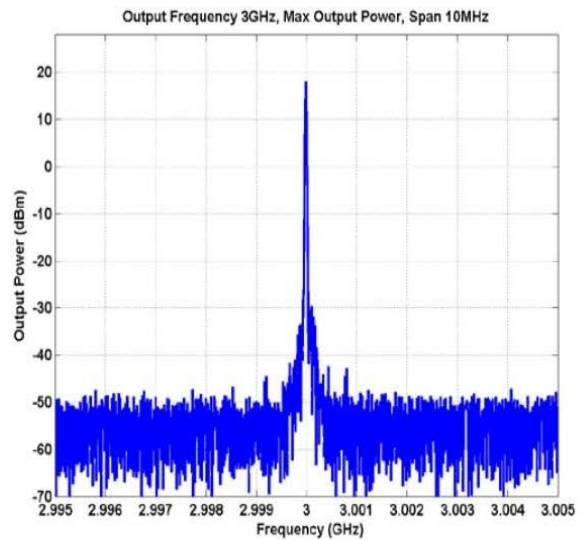
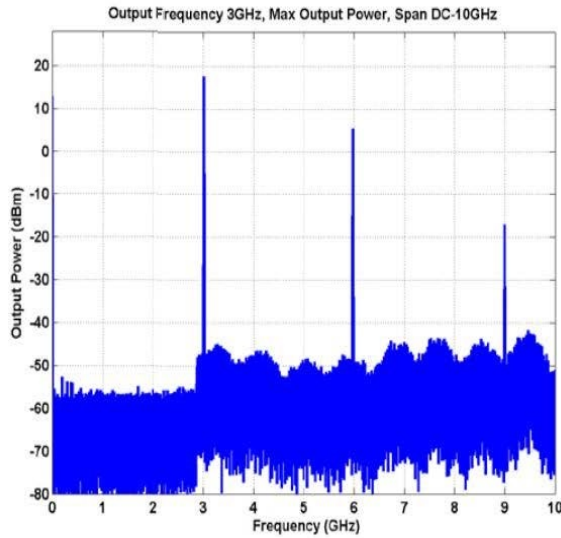




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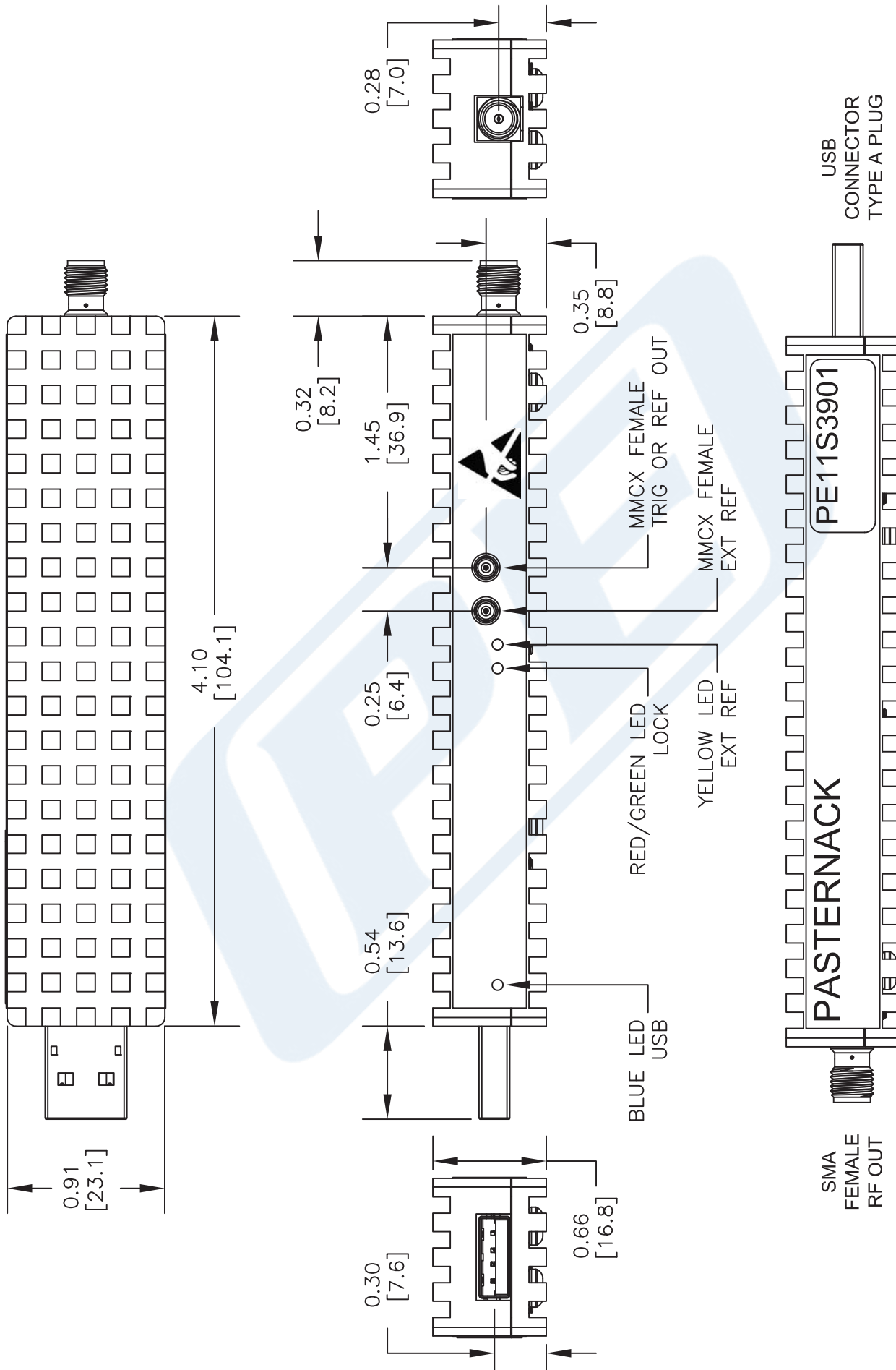
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