# **Small Instrumentation Modules**

SIM914 — 350 MHz preamplifier (2-channel)

- · DC to 350 MHz bandwidth
- Two independent amplifier channels
- · Voltage gain of 5 (14 dB) per channel
- 6.4 nV/ $\sqrt{Hz}$  input noise
- · 3 ns overload recovery
- Excellent phase linearity





## SIM914 Dual-Channel 350 MHz Preamplifier

The SIM914 350 MHz Preamplifier contains two wide-bandwidth, DC-coupled amplifiers, each with a gain of 5 (14 dB). Its fast rise time, low noise, and excellent DC accuracy make it an ideal instrument for amplifying signals like those from photomultiplier tubes and photodiodes.

The gain stages of several SIM914 can be cascaded without creating oscillation problems. Input clamping gives a 3 ns recovery time from a 10× overload.

Wide bandwidth, along with  $50\,\Omega$  input and output impedance, ensures a linear phase response across the entire frequency range, preserving pulse shapes.

#### **Ordering Information**

SIM914 350 MHz preamplifier

## **Specifications**

Amplifier channels 2

Inputs, outputs 50  $\Omega$ , DC coupled Bandwidth DC to 350 MHz

Rise/fall time 1 ns

Voltage gain 5 per channel (14 dB) Input noise 6.4 nV/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  (typ.)

Operating range  $\pm 200 \text{ mV (inputs)}, \pm 1 \text{ V (outputs)}$ 

Propagation delay 2.7 ns (typ.)

Recovery time 3 ns for  $10\times$  overload Input protection  $\pm 50 \text{ V}$  for  $<1 \text{ }\mu\text{s}$ 

Output clamp  $\pm 1.6 \text{ V}$ Output overload detect  $\pm 1.3 \text{ V}$ Crosstalk -60 dB

Operating temperature 0 °C to 40 °C, non-condensing Connectors BNC (4 front), DB15/M SIM interface

Power  $\pm 5$  VDC (100 mA max.)

Weight, dimensions 1.4 lbs.,  $1.5" \times 3.6" \times 7.0"$  (WHD) Warranty One year parts and labor on defects in

materials and workmanship

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