

General Caution

Please use a USB Memory Stick for firmware updates.

If there is a firmware update question, please contact Anritsu service support at <https://www.anritsu.com/test-measurement/contact-us> for further information.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T

Application Package : V4.00

Release Date : Quarterly Release Sept. 2020

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4917] Resolved an issue where it was not possible to set Zero Span time markers to negative values remotely. This change applies only to Spectrum Analyzer (SPA) modes.

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4809] Added .csv file save format for the Cable/Antenna analyzer (CAA) measurements.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-4935] In response to numerous customer requests, dual trace .dat measurement files will no longer result in 2 individual files saved. Dual trace .dat measurement files saved are fully compatible with Line Sweep Tools (LST). This change affects the Cable/Antenna analyzer (CAA) mode only.

[SPH-4936] Fixed an issue in PIM Hunting mode when the RBW was set at 1 KHz the sweep could freeze.

[SPH-4937] Fixed an issue where the attenuation level was changing based on the Reference Level setting. For the PIM Hunting application this behavior has been changed so that the value stays the same and the default is 0 dB attenuation.

[SPH-4957] Resolved an issue where certain combinations of start/stop frequency and number of data points could result in spikes appearing after calibration.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4949] Fixed an issue where the Spectrum graph in PIM Hunting measurement covered the Center Frequency as well as Span and other annotations in (ms/s) after switching mode from SPA PIM Hunting to AM-FM-PM => PIM Analyzer => Spectrum Analyzer.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4830] Resolved an issue where recalling a [Trace + Memory]/2 measurement resulted in the Trace Math function being re-applied.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T, MW82119B

Application Package: V3.90

Release Date : Release May. 2020

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-2095] The following cables have been added per customer requests: RLCX-SL 158R, RLCX-SL 114R, RLCX-SL 078R, RLCX-SL012R, RLCX-SL038R, RLCX-SL014R, RLCX-SL012S, RLCX-SL038S, RLCX-SL014S, RLCX-SL012R FPR.

[SPH-4778] CSV file format added to File Save Menu.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2095] The following cables have been added per customer requests: RLCX-SL 158R, RLCX-SL 114R, RLCX-SL 078R, RLCX-SL012R, RLCX-SL038R, RLCX-SL014R, RLCX-SL012S, RLCX-SL038S, RLCX-SL014S, RLCX-SL012R FPR.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-4731] Resolved an issue where sometimes the last point marker value displayed would not match the last point data in the saved measurement.

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Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T, MW82119B

Application Package: V3.80

Release Date : Release Jan. 2020

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-4852] Adding initial support for TD-LTE measurements for S412E.

-> Software - PIM

[SPH-4844] Added Support for MW82119B-0703 option.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4806] Added support for amplitude blanking capability in S11 and S21 Log Mag graph types only, for models with option 007 installed.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4808] New PIM Hunting mode, used for PIM Hunting applications on rooftops with the PIM Hunting probe or Yagi antennas.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-4884] Corrected an error on the Band plan. The frequency and channel numbers for P25 will now be correct.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-4798] Improved Trigger Timeout message responsiveness.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4760] Resolved an issue in VNA Mode where saving a measurement + JPG could result in repeated file confirmation messages.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T, MW82119B

Application Package: V3.70

Release Date : Quarterly Release October 2019

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-4784] Added (Trace + Memory)/2 feature to Trace Memory. Allows users to reduce or eliminate peak-to-peak ripple caused by standing waves when making 1-port cable loss measurements.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - NXDN

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - dPMR

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

[SPH-4690] Fixed an issue where TETRA Base Station Receiver Sensitivity loading of customer patterns did not operate correctly. Added a softkey to display BCC, MCC, and MNC of loaded BSRS custom patterns.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

-> Software - PDT

[SPH-4000] regional language Support for S412E LMR Master is available.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T

Application Package: V3.50

Release Date : Quarterly Release April 2019

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-4627] Added Samsung and Huawei to PIM Aid radio preset selections.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4691] Fixed an issue where field strength measurement settings might not properly apply after power cycle.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4617] Fixed an issue in S412E where setting the Input Power Warning to ON would prevent the 'available firmware update message' from displaying when appropriate during power-up.

[SPH-4713] Fixed an issue where automatic firmware updates would not execute in S412E under some circumstances.

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Application Package: V3.40

Release Date : Quarterly Release January 2019

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-4535] Added cal coefficient support for cal kits with 4.3-10 connectors.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-4442] Added common American Association of Railroads (AAR) frequency standards to our Signal Standards lists, and made them available in PTC mode.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-4566] Added dBuW, dBmA, and dBuA units in SPA mode.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4535] Added cal coefficient support for cal kits with 4.3-10 connectors.

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-4590] Added Band 71, the new 600 MHz LTE Band to the signal standard list.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-4597] Fixed an issue where recalled 4x4 MIMO LTE measurement would not properly display the green/grey antenna icons.

-> Software - ISDBT/SFN

[SPH-4687] Corrected the antenna.txt file so that it would behave correctly in ISDB-T mode.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4689] Fixed an issue in field mode that unnecessarily limited scale settings in Field Mode VSWR measurements.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-3745] Fixed a corner case error with averaging in Interference Analysis Field Strength measurement.

[SPH-4458] Antenna selection list now includes EMI antennas when 'All' is selected.

-> Software - PIM

[SPH-4642] Changed the time/date text layout in the PIM Calibration Due popup.

[SPH-4644] Addressed an issue that could cause an option 600 or 902 instrument to lock up when they are set to high band and perform a calibration via the SCPI command:
CAL:PIM:FULL ON

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4593] Fixed an issue where unit would hang during power-up under certain conditions after recalling a VNA setup from SPA mode.

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-4593] Fixed an issue where unit would hang during power-up under certain conditions after recalling a VNA setup from SPA mode.

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Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T

Application Package: V3.30

Release Date : Quarterly Release October 2018

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-3853] External - Used Training Sequence symbols to determine BER for both allocated and unallocated signal bursts.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - ISDBT/SFN

[SPH-3731] Fixes an issue where over a 100 ISDBT files were saved into a folder which resulted in the unit slowing down in time. Files are now saved in multiple folders with date and timestamp.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4026] Fixes an issue where the application would hang in Transmission Measurement mode when recalling a set up file to put the unit into Cable and Antenna Analyzer Mode, and then attempting to run an OSL calibration.

[SPH-4028] Fixes an issue where the SPA Amplitude Menu would show up in Transmission Measurement Mode.

[SPH-4605] Fixed an issue in VNA mode where glitches would appear at 375MHz and 1500 MHz after a calibration.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-3745] Fixed a corner case error with averaging in Interference Analysis Field Strength measurement

[SPH-3951] Disabled the use of Start Freq and Stop Freq in Interference Analysis mode. Center Freq is the proper way to set frequency in this mode.

[SPH-4547] Fixed an issue with field strength limits under V/m units setting

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-3570] Fixed a bug in TETRA where some units would not recall the correct Tx Output pattern as part of a recalled measurement or setup

[SPH-3943] Fixed an issue in TETRA app where recalling a measurement or setup would not correctly recall the Tx pattern.

-> Software - OBSAI

[SPH-3738] Fixed an issue where the system time would not recall properly under some saved measurement conditions

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-3738] Fixed an issue where the system time would not recall properly under some saved measurement conditions

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Application Package: V3.20

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning July 2018

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-4471] Motorola EBTS added to Base Station Selections in Tetra Base Station Sensitivity Tests

-> Software - NB-IoT

[SPH-4569] Fixes an issue where performing a preset does not set the center frequency of the analyzer correctly. Similar behavior can be noticed during setup and measurement recall.

-> Software - PIM

[SPH-4546] Changed the default F2 frequencies for Option 700 to 764 / 761 MHz for low / high band, respectively.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4429] Improved battery charge algorithm.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-3621] Fixes an issue where the Back soft button is inactivated incorrectly after pressing Max/Min Active Graph soft button

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - NXDN

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-4504] Fixes an issue where in Dual Channel mode, the Smith Chart marker table TR1 and TR2 readout text would overwrite each other.

-> Software - dPMR

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4426] Fixed the issue where saving files to a USB memory via the MMEMoRY:STORe:JPEG command failed when the usr folder was not present in the USB memory.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-3797] Fixes an issue where ENTER button from keypad to collect new data points from Coverage Mapping doesn't work.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MW82119B

Application Package: V3.10

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning April 2018

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - GSM/EDGE

[SPH-3938] Added option 880, GSM/EDGE Signal Analyzers to model S412E

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-4436] Change MIMO auto detect threshold in LTE and TD-LTE applications, so that the unit is less likely to assume that noise is another active antenna.

-> Software - dPMR

[SPH-1520] Enables NXDN_4800 O.153 pattern in dPMR

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-3316] Fixed an issue where mapping data points could unexpectedly persist between applications.

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-3833] Fixed an issue where values for PHICH and PDCCH in LTE application did not export correctly into Master Software Tools.

-> Software - NXDN

[SPH-3316] Fixed an issue where mapping data points could unexpectedly persist between applications.

-> Software - dPMR

[SPH-3316] Fixed an issue where mapping data points could unexpectedly persist between applications.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-3940] Fixed an issue in spectrum analyzer mode where adding multiple markers, and/or setting markers beyond the instrument's frequency range, could cause the instrument to lock up.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-3316] Fixed an issue where mapping data points could unexpectedly persist between applications.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-4360] Fixed an issue where the GPS information in the title would disappear after recalling a setup file.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-3316] Fixed an issue where mapping data points could unexpectedly persist between applications.

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Application Package: V3.00

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning January 2018

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-3864] Added additional save type Measurement and JPG" to the uWave VNA family."

-> Software - PIM

[SPH-3921] PIM Measurement Tx1 range adjusted to cover 731 MHz to 734.5 MHz

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-3864] Added additional save type Measurement and JPG" to the uWave VNA family."

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-3591] Fixes an issue with Cable Loss mode where limit lines would change after a calibration was completed.

[SPH-3646] Fixes an issue where the touch screen functionality would be disabled due to the Attention" dialog moving behind the main form window."

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-2932] Fixed an issue in single sweep CPRI Spectrogram where it would not always stop the measurement after one sweep.

[SPH-3536] Fixed an issue - Limits can now only be recalled if the limits were saved in the same mode of operation (SPA, CPRI, OBSAI) as is currently running on the unit.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-3572] Fixed an issue where the GPS tag does not disappear even though GPS is off. This would occur when recalling a trace with GPS data then switching to a live trace and switching modes.

[SPH-3739] Fixed an issue where the unit didn't display an error message when setting the Save Location to USB, then removing the USB, and pressing the camera icon to save a screenshot.

[SPH-3829] Fixed an issue where the option list on the boot up screen was beyond the right edge.

-> Software - OBSAI

[SPH-3536] Fixed an issue - Limits can now only be recalled if the limits were saved in the same mode of operation (SPA, CPRI, OBSAI) as is currently running on the unit.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-3321] Fixed an issue with file format. Saving control channel files now places each group of associated data on its own line, when recalled with a text editor.

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-3646] Fixes an issue where the touch screen functionality would be disabled due to the Attention" dialog moving behind the main form window."

[SPH-3837] Fixes an issue where the Dmax value could be manually set to a value that was large then the calculated Dmax value.

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Product : S33xE, S36xE, MS271xE, MT821xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MT822xB, MT8220T

Application Package: V2.90

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning October 2017

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-3136] Added Option 886 for 256 QAM extension to FD-LTE and TD-LTE applications

[SPH-3777] Fixed an issue in TD-LTE that would cause constellation to occasionally make bad measurements on valid 256 QAM input signals. (MS2720T Only)
Fixed an issue where changing modes directly to LTE or TD-LTE after a factory default would not correctly display a 256-QAM constellation (MS2720T Only)

[SPH-3188] Added 3GPP Release 13 Spectral Emission Masks for frequencies > 3 GHz in LTE & TD-LTE measurements.

-> Software - PIM

[SPH-3658] SPH-3658 Adds support for the SCPI command MMEMory:DELeTe for deleting setup and measurement files.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2592] Increases the number of markers from 8 to 12 in VNA mode (mwVNA Instruments, VNA and Field measurement views).

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-2941] Added remote command to maximize/minimize the active graph type. (See Programming manual for details)

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2451] Fixes an issue where the Cable List Window was not remaining the top-most form and would move behind the VNA graph.

[SPH-2593] Changes the mwVNA Instruments Limit Line Feature such that each measurement mode can now have independent limit line settings.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-3237] Fixed the issue where using the arrow keys to move around the indoor map was slow in the Spectrum Analyzer mode.

Fixed the issue where moving the cursor around the indoor map failed after recalling a AZM file.

Fixed the issue where pressing the Enter key didn't record data points in indoor map in Spectrum Analyzer mode.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-2811] Fixed a bug in NBFM that would cause beep with every sweep when Auto Scan is On.

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-3029] Fixed a bug that could prevent the second waterfall graph from displaying in a Dual Display recalled spectrogram measurement.

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Application Package: v2.80

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning July 2017

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*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-2922] In LTE-EMF mode, when the EMF antenna is disconnected, error messages have been reorganized to have better readability.

[SPH-2924] In WCDMA-EMF mode, when the EMF antenna is disconnected, error messages have been reorganized to have better readability.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2594] Fixed an issue with multiple markers and touching the trace, which was causing the nearest marker to become active and move to the touched location. The new behavior is such that touching the trace will result in the marker that is already active to move to the location that was touched.

[SPH-2595] Fixed an issue where when Marker on trace" was set to "All" (in field mode for example) the marker would not update correctly when the start or stop frequency was changed."

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-2708] Preset now set Spectrogram Record to 'Off' state

[SPH-2898] Starting with MST V2.36.8 and unit firmware V2.8x, MST will support multiple traces from OBSAI and CPRI applications.

[SPH-2969] Corrected preset values for limit lines in CPRI and OBSAI applications.

[SPH-2970] Fixed a bug where CPRI/OBSAI limit lines would not correctly export to Master Software Tools. Also requires MST v2.36.8

[SPH-2971] Lower Limit line default value corrected in CPRI and OBSAI to match the RF applications

[SPH-3232] Fixed a bug where internal time base would not always lock to external or GPS reference in CPRI mode

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-2841] Fixes an issue where EMI antenna selection was off by one.

[SPH-3138] Fixes rounding error of BW value in Channel Scanner file after Scriptmaster scan.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-3237] Fixed the issue where using the arrow keys to move around the indoor map was slow in the Spectrum Analyzer mode. Also fixed the issue where moving the cursor around the indoor map failed after recalling a AZM file.

-> Software - OBSAI

[SPH-2975] Fixed a bug where Single Sweep mode would occasionally cause the Layer 2 Alarms display to flicker

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-3147] Mapping data collection for is now limited to 8 hours or 60,000 points of data collection to avoid memory overrun issues.

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-2424] Fixed an issue where the unit would hang if a SCPI preset was issued and the Cable list table dialog was open.

NOTE: THIS FIX ALSO APPLIES TO THE PIM MASTER.

[SPH-2548] Fixed an issue where the marker would not move when adjusting the twiddle knob to the left.

[SPH-3114] Fixed an issue where Marker-to-Peak and Marker-to-Valley were shifted 1 pixel to the left when recall a measurement file type .dat.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MW82119B

Application Package: V2.70

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning April 2017

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-2156] Tx Output will now synchronize to Base Station downlink signal

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2402] The limit line behavior in the Cable and Antenna mode of the BTS Master has been enhanced. With this update, the limit line settings for each measurement type will be unique for that measurement and will persist even if the measurement type is changed.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-2337] Fixes an issue where Emission Mask measurements produced erroneous pass/fail results under certain conditions.

[SPH-2504] Fixed an issue where Field Strength measurements in Coverage Mapping did not display the correct results for non-dBm units

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-2860] Added support for commands with a block data parameter for the raw socket SCPI interface.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-2397] Fixed a bug where saved .mtd files were not correctly storing EVM data.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-2891] Fixed a bug in NBFM where changing DCS value could corrupt the Signal Generator pattern outputs for all LMR demod applications

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-2393] Fixed an issue with the Back soft key in the Application Options menu that would not return the user back to the System Menu once they have entered into the Bias Tee menu.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-2455] SOURce:DM:PATtern and SOURce:DM:PATtern? remote commands are now functional

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Application Package: V2.60

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning January 2017

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-1811] DMR2 Application nomenclature changed to DMR" Remote command remain compatible."

-> Software - CAA

[SPH-2508] Added support for easyTest in the VNA Master (MS20xxB series) and LMR Master (S412E).

[SPH-1506] Added a SCPI command to allow saving of .dat measurement files.

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-2296] Added limited support for TD-LTE 4x4 MIMO

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2508] Added support for easyTest in the VNA Master (MS20xxB series) and LMR Master (S412E).

[SPH-1506] Added a SCPI command to allow saving of .dat measurement files.

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-2180] For Option 751 CPRI - Added the ability to show two spectrum or spectrogram graphs which can display up to four separate AxC groups (traces).

[SPH-2448] Added support for CPRI line rate 8 (10.1376 Gbps)

[SPH-2449] Added support for compressed LTE sampling rate on 20 MHz LTE signals

[SPH-2640] Auto Detect improved with Ericsson presets

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-2515] Web UI tab removes model information.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - LTE

[SPH-47] Fixed a bug in LTE EMF recalled measurements where RS values might recall improperly

[SPH-2240] Fixed an issue that prevented 4x4 MIMO time alignment data from recalling properly to unit.

[SPH-2788] Shift-1 Preset is now prevented while a recalled measurement is displayed.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-1988] Fixes a bug where the zero span max RBW value was incorrectly limited in the GUI and as a result was out of sync with the actual RBW value.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-1812] Fixed an issue where black on white and color on white schemes were not displaying correctly in some LMR Master modes.

-> Software - HiPM

[SPH-1667] Fixed a bug where the unit would unexpectedly attempt to zero the sensor after recalling a measurement

[SPH-2381] Fixes an issue where the Quick name buttons were not saved with the setup in Hi-PM mode.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-2376] Save on Event .csv measurement files are updated to contain results for recently-added RMS Vector Error and Peak Vector Error measurements.

-> Software - VSG

[SPH-1800] BTS Master VSG now allows up to 48 waveforms to be loaded

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-2373] Fixed an issue that could cause the unit to hang when recalling setups for an application other than the current one.

[SPH-2501] Updated remote DISPlay:TRACe<Tr>:FORMat:SIGAnalyzer command/query parameters to match the Programming Manual.

-> Software - WiMAX

[SPH-2309] Fixed a bug where the unit would intermittently hang when displaying Spectral Emission Mask

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Application Package: V2.50

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning October 2016

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*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-2147] Added Residual Carrier Magnitude measurement to the Summary display

[SPH-2149] TETRA remote queries :FETCh:SIGAnalyzer? :READ:SIGAnalyzer? :MEASure:SIGAnalyzer? will now contain two additional values in the response for Peak Vector Error and Residual Carrier Magnitude

[SPH-1603] Added Police Digital Trunking Options 563 and 562

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-119] Improved error message on LTE trace save failure when trying to save before the end of the first sweep.

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-1919] Remote command :FETCh:SIGAnalyzer? updated so the second returned value in the string will represent the value indicated by the Summary Freq Disp front panel setting. (Carrier Frequency or Frequency Error)

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-1921] Added select SCPI commands to support VNA Field Mode.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-2307] Resolved an issue with marker interpolation on Smith Charts or Polar Charts that caused stray lines to be drawn over the entire screen. This issue only affected VNA mode in the VNA Master products.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-282] Fixed an issue where Markers on Result traces do not jump to the right frequency when markers are toggled between traces.

[SPH-2182] In SPA field strength graph, negative antenna factors show correctly over frequency.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-1642] Fixed a typo in the power limit warning message at boot.

[SPH-1653] Clearing old messages when changing modes from a recall state.

[SPH-1681] Fixed a black out of the web interface remote display in Chrome when selecting a different browser tab then selecting the remote display tab.

[SPH-1863] Fixed an issue where SPA application performed a LO Null search on the second application load after a master reset.

[SPH-1889] Fixed a problem where user defined calibration files were getting deleted on entering the PIM application a second time after a master reset.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : S33xE, S36xE, S412E, MS202xB, MS203xB, MS202xC, MS203xC, MS2720T, MS822xB, MT8220T, MW82119B

Application Package: V2.40

Release Date : Quarterly Release beginning July 2016

Information below may not apply to every model/option in Product list

*** NEW FEATURES ***

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-1744] Added support for interpolated markers in VNA mode. When marker values are set via the numeric keypad or via SCPI, interpolation will be used if the desired marker x-axis value is not an actual measurement point. Markers will continue to snap to the nearest point if the twiddle knob or the arrow keys are used to set their location.

-> Software - dPMR

[SPH-1656] Added remote command support for dPMR.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-1914] New trace result types Max Hold and Total Max Hold added to EMF Measurements.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-116] Added Quick Name Matrix support to Transmission Mode.

[SPH-1858] Added EasyTest repeat script capability.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-1565] Added remote command support for RMS, Peak Vector Error and Residual Carrier Feed Through.

-> Software - CPRI

[SPH-1804] Added Option 413 Ethernet, which is compatible with all options.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-36] P25P2 - Added four new Control Channel summary displays - Active Control Channel Summary, Adjacent Site Summary, Band Plan Summary, Backup Control Channel Summary.

*** IMPROVEMENTS ***

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-1510] Fixed an issue where web server popups were showing up off screen on pages that can be scrolled.

*** BUG FIXES ***

-> Software - DMR2

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

-> Software - NXDN

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

-> Software - VNA

[SPH-502] Resolved an issue that prevented the instrument settings from getting preset after a measurement file was recalled.

-> Software - HiPM

[SPH-1606] Fixed a bug in High Accuracy Power Meter mode where max power for the MA24106A sensor could not be set up to +23 dBm.

-> Software - OS/Base

[SPH-104] Fixed an issue where Option 31 (GPS) was listed as an add-on option in MT8220T. It is standard in this model.

[SPH-107] Fixed an issue where instruments would respond to multiple IP addresses.

[SPH-1859] Fixed the issue where the instrument would hang at the last step when executing an easyTest script with the maximum number of steps(500) allowed.

-> Software - SPA and Sub-apps

[SPH-283] VBW set to correct bandwidth in Zero Span after presetting the instrument.

[SPH-284] Enabled ability to turn on Markers after sending Preset command over SCPI.

[SPH-289] Initial attenuation level values are restored after going in and out of Coverage Mapping.

[SPH-298] Fixed an issue where sweep time was not estimated correctly after preset

[SPH-302] Preset SCPI command now resets Auto RBW from Off to On when C/I is turned On.

[SPH-303] RBW/VBW ratio returns to default value after AM/FM/PM mode switching.

[SPH-304] Navigation hard keys when map is not loaded works in Coverage Mapping.

[SPH-305] Fixed an issue where a mode switch, after Esc-On, from SPA into IA and then back into SPA, will cause the Save On Event button to vanish.

[SPH-307] Fixed an issue where IFBW state indicator in the status window displays incorrectly.

[SPH-325] Fixed an issue where recalling a measurement file with field strength units would not recall correctly.

-> Software - TETRA

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

[SPH-1443] Fixed an issue where 'Received Pwr' of the summary display did not show power within acceptable range.

[SPH-1513] TETRA - Fixed a bug where recalled measurements would not correctly populate values in the Summary Table

-> Software - NBFM

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

-> Software - P25/P25p2

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

[SPH-1665] Modified SCPI command to include new Summary display graphs in P25 P2 Analyzer measurement

[SPH-1690] Fixed Motorola Base Station Test in P25 Phase 2 app. Removed additional sampling that was added when when implementing FDMA Control Channel measurement. Additional sampling was causing improper delay estimation for re-sync of signal pattern.

-> Software - PTC

[SPH-660] Fixed an issue with pan and zoom with indoor maps where data points would not zoom in sync with the map.

[SPH-1555] EVM and other summary measurements were adversely affected by PTC burst selection method when frequency offset between transmitter and receiver was more than about 150Hz. The burst selection method was optimized to increase the frequency offset capability to at least +/- 340Hz. This should allow customers to measure the standard of +/- 330Hz Wayside requirement.

Changed 'IQ Imbal' to 'IQ Offset' to better reflect all combined DC offsets (LO leakage, IQ DC Offset, etc...). Measurement now responds to changes in IQ DC Offset injection

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V2.31

Release Date : June 14, 2016

*** MISCELLANEOUS ***

Vector Network Analyzer [1]

- Updated the application version number to return it to the numbering scheme used in releases prior to V2.30.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V2.30

Release Date : May 13, 2016

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [3]

- Substantial updates to Japanese language translation files for SPA and System applications.
- Substantial updates to Chinese language translation files for all applications.
- Added the ability to select and display favorites in the VNA Cable List.

Vector Network Analyzer [2]

- Improved Waveguide List 'Top of List' and 'Bottom of List' speed.
- Updated the Waveguide List menu Page Up and Page Down to move by a set of 25, in order to move a whole page at a time.

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [3]

- Fixed an issue where the instrument would display an incorrect IP address when using a Zyxel mobile router powered by the instrument's USB port. #23728
- Fixed an issue where the status window reported an invalid IP address of 169.254.x.x if the window was opened shortly after the Ethernet cable was plugged in. #23045
- Fixed an issue where the file type warning message was not shown in the Select File Type dialog.

Vector Network Analyzer [2]

- Fixed an issue where the active waveguide was not shown when opening the list, if the active waveguide was not on the first page. #23760
- Fixed an issue where the first time recalling a setup resulted in wrong marker info. #23367

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V2.20

Release Date : February 12, 2016

*** NEW FEATURES ***

Vector Network Analyzer [2]

- Improved Cable List speed by adding 'Top of List' and 'Bottom of List' buttons. #23500

- Update the Cable List menu Page Up and Page Down to move by a set of 25, to move a whole page at a time for page up and down.

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [1]

- Updated the CableList.txt file to add 9 additional cables in response to customer request.

*** BUG FIXES ***

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [2]

- Fixed an issue in coverage mapping where the direction hard keys would not function when a GPS map was not loaded.
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where 'Save On Event' button was hidden after using IA mapping feature.

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V1.20

Release Date : November 20, 2015

*** MISCELLANEOUS ***

General [1]

- Adjusted LCD Horizontal and Vertical timing to work with display manufacturer revision changes.
Updated SPL/IPL to V3.60 and ATABoot revision to V3.71 for improved the handling of battery charge termination while unit is in the powered down state.
SPL/IPL and ATABoot are only available for update at Factory or Customer Service Centers.

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [2]

- Added additional monitoring of Battery SMBus to improve the handling of battery charge termination while unit is in operation. #23219.
- Changed several icons used in Night Vision mode for better visibility. #22831

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [1]

- Added Pan & Zoom functionality for .azm maps inside Coverage mapping measurements for SPA mode. #3217

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [1]

- Fixed an issue where the File type selection in Save dialog was very slow when using the rotary knob. #22559

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [19]

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Fixed an issue in SPA mode where 'Save On Event' button gets hidden after using IA mapping feature.

- Fixed an issue in coverage mapping where the direction hard keys would not function when a map is not loaded.
- Fixed an issue in IA RSSI mode where color of the trace changed erroneously from yellow to red while recalling a measurement. #23007
- Fixed an issue in power meter where the saved setup values did not account for the offset settings. #23199
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode that prevented changing reference level using the rotary knob or arrow keys on the device. #22630
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where a Preset operation soon after a recall could cause problems with GPS measurements. #23186
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where changing the sweep time in Zero Span using the rotary knob or arrow keys would cause the value to fluctuate before settling to the set value. #22803
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where channel power used to show 0 dBm for smaller span values. #22772
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where Emission Mask incorrectly reported "Fail" on segments that were actually a "Pass". #21687
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where setting detection to Quasi Peak did not allow the correct range of permitted RBW values for this detection standard. #22918
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where the counter marker showed the marker in the wrong location after changing frequencies. #22400
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where the marker value shown above the graph area varied from the value shown inside the graph after the marker location was moved with the rotary knob. #22083
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where the number of points for the limit envelope was not updated properly when the limit envelope shape was changed. #22821

- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where the reference level after recalling values from file was wrong. #22224
- Fixed an issue in SPA mode where the SCPI command returned values with incorrect number of decimal point precision. #11751
- Fixed an issue in SPA where the Spurious emissions data was not cleared when doing a preset. #23183
- Fixed an issue in Spectrogram mode where invalid data was shown on screen when the view setting for the trace was set to 'blank'. #22819
- Fixed an issue where a preset was required to re-enable the auto reference level/attenuation coupling after recalling a manual attenuation setup or measurement file. #21981
- Fixed an issue where Fast Sweep Mode would periodically pause during the sweep under unique setups. #23002

Vector Network Analyzer [4]

- Fixed an issue in mwVNA measurements where the limit line amplitude showed incorrect values due to rounding errors. #22834
- Fixed an issue where Auto gain ranging of S21 measurements resulted in inconsistent values. #22897
- Fixed problem where the markers in a recalled measurement did not display the marker values of the recalled measurement. #22204, 3338
- Fixed problem where VVM looked like it was freezing after doing calibration.
This happened when the unit was put to single sweep in VNA mode. #23225

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC
Application Package: V1.19
Release Date : July 6, 2015

*** NEW FEATURES ***

General [1]

- Added separate message dialog box when deleting folders when file type selection is not set to "All Files" type. #21672

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [3]

- 'Auto Ref Level' button added to Amplitude Menu (in Spectrum Analyzer and Interference Analyzer modes) for quick access. #3045
- Enabled editing center frequency when in RSSI coverage mapping mode. #21664
- Save Measurement and JPG feature added for AM/FM/PM mode. #21670

High Accuracy Power Meter [1]

- Added support for the MA24208A and MA24218A High Accuracy power sensors.

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [4]

- Added the ability to lock an instrument from Telnet and FTP connections.
After setting the remote password and rebooting the unit, the unit will no longer allow Telnet and FTP connections.
To remove the lock, either do a factory reset or remove the remote password by setting it to blank. #22432
- Enhanced visibility of traces and text in "Black on White" display mode. #21738
- Improved start-up power management to prevent reboot when first turned on after being off for a while, especially with less than full battery or running on external power. #21153
- Made error message more meaningful when saving files with target memory nearly full. #21966

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [3]

- Counter Marker accuracy improvements for center frequency of 5 MHz and 10 MHz.
- Display format of amplitude units on graph is now changed. Units are displayed only on top and bottom of the grid. #22145
- When recalling saved setup, invalid channels/frequencies are shown as "--" and readings are masked out corresponding to the invalid channels. #21603

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [1]

- Changed the Spanish Language translation of ON/OFF to fit within the allowable space of the Marker Table. #22315

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [19]

- Corrected back button behavior in detection menu for SPA mode, to properly return to previous menu.
- Fixed an issue where Emission mask would fail at times, even though the measurements were well below the limit lines. #21687
- Fixed an issue where Main Channel power showed invalid values when Span was less than Main Channel BW. #20922
- Fixed an issue where more than 255 calibration data points were not properly accepted by the device when reading an antenna.txt file. #21854
- Fixed an issue where RBW could be set to an invalid value in zero span under SPA mode. #21788
- Fixed an issue where recalling spectrogram measurement file causes unit reboot. #21952

- Fixed an issue where sweep time was not updated properly when auto sweep time was enabled in SPA mode. #22210
- Fixed an issue where the attenuation level was set incorrectly upon recalling a measurement in IA mode. #21981
- Fixed an issue where the BW could be set to 0 in Channel Scanner Custom Scan list.
This is now limited to 1 Hz. #21960
- Fixed an issue where the number of digits after the decimal point were incorrect when querying a measurement using SCPI, for SPA mode. #11751
- Fixed an issue where the Reference Level value returned via SCPI command was erroneous when RL Offset was set to a non zero value. #11751
- Fixed an issue where the Save On Event button would show up in IA Mapping measurement mode. #21471
- Fixed an issue where trace shows erroneous data when sweep mode changes while a sweep is in progress. #21868
- Fixed an issue with selecting a frequency with Mapping mode not locked to GPS, the frequency pop-up obscures part of the GPS warning.
GPS message has been moved to the bottom of the map area to prevent the overlap. #22240, #3045
- Fixed an issue with the "Distortion/Total Vrms" value returned by the SCPI data query did not match the value displayed in the table. #21597
- Fixed an issue with the Limit Envelope Offset when using linear units of measure. #21558
- Fixed issue where measurement value "Distortion/Total Vrms" was not updated properly in GUI when in single sweep mode. #21597
- Fixed the issue in Channel Scanner mode where power readings and graph were updated in frequency scanner mode, for invalid frequencies. #21603
- GUI updates are now consistent after Spurious Emission segment changes via SCPI. #18981

Vector Network Analyzer [1]

- Fixed an issue where preset operation did not work when calibration procedure had warnings. #21998

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V1.18

Release Date : March 17, 2015

*** NEW FEATURES ***

General [1]

- File sort method and sort order will now be persistent through window closes.

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [6]

- Added a new SCPI command, "CALCulate:MARKer#:MAXimum:NEXT" to move the marker to the highest peak anywhere in the trace which is lower than the current marker.

If the given marker is not on, the command turns it on and sets it to the second highest peak in the trace.

The command uses the existing peak threshold values to determine what is and is not a peak.

- Added commands to check for end of sweep in SPA and LTE modes.

1) In LTE/TD-LTE mode :[SENSe:]LTE:STATus? Returns 1 when sweep is complete. Returns 0 when sweep is in progress.

2) In SPA mode :[SENSe:]SWEep:STATus? Returns 1 when sweep is complete. Returns 0 when sweep is in progress.

See Programming Manual for details.

- Added warning message when turning on markers 2-6 with marker 1 reference ON.

With Marker 1 reference turned ON, turning on other markers with Delta markers OFF now turns On the Delta Marker with warning message. #21472

- Antenna File updated to V2.07 to include Anritsu Antenna 2000-1715-R

- Improved speed for INST:NSEL command in Base application. See Programming Manual for details.

- User can now select FM scale % values with a minimum of 0.01%. #21502

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [2]

- Free space on the storage device will be checked before JPGs can be saved. #21369

- The same file type used when SAVING a measurement is initially selected when opening the RECALL measurement dialog.

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [2]

- Changed the lower limit of the CS Frequency BW from 0 to 1 Hz. #21663

- Made improvements in Counter Marker accuracy. #20982

Vector Network Analyzer [1]

- Updated the Cable List to add support for an additional manufacturer of RG58C-U Cable with a propagation velocity of 0.656

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [8]

- Files or directories with leading spaces in their names cannot be saved. #21560

- Fixed an issue where a '(null)' was displayed on unit buttons. #21038

- Fixed an issue where a Save/Recall message would partially cover the parameter status area. #20786
- Fixed an issue where icons in Save/Recall window were not being updated to match the current color scheme of the device. #20996
- Fixed an issue with an overflowing USBtmc queue by increasing the buffer size from 50 to 500.
This solves a problem where the queue was overflowing from SCPI commands. #21312
- Fixed an issue with changing the instrument device name to close the dialog box cleanly. #21135
- Fixed an issue with the date/time window focus, shifting behavior after an error encountered while attempting to set a leap year date in a non leap year. #21366
- Fixed an issue with the Save/Recall dialog screen size. Enlarged the screen to allow entire warning messages to fit. #20113

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [5]

- Fixed an issue where the spectrogram trace count did not reset with Sweep Interval if the Trace mode was set to average. #20609
- Fixed an issue with Sweep Once when invoked via SCPI command. #18978
- Fixed an issue with the header units for Attenuation in SPE file. #21568
- Fixed an issue with the Input Attenuation setting after loading a saved setup file. #21482
- Fixed single sweep not sweeping when manually triggered with auto sweep time turned on. #20981

Vector Network Analyzer [1]

- Fixed an issue with the Group Delay scale for higher units of measure. #20908,

High Accuracy Power Meter [1]

- Hi Accuracy Power Meter summary window now correctly clears with preset command. #21352

What will the customer see in this release?

Product : MS202xC/MS203xC

Application Package: V1.17

Release Date : Jan. 7, 2015

*** NEW FEATURES ***

General [1]

- Added an error message pop up during Code Loading to notify the user in the case the USB stick does not have enough space to store all of the

user files from the instrument. #20524

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [2]

- Added a special key combination (Shft+9+5+3) which loads a frequency calibration button in the System Menus to allow Customer Field Calibration of the 10MHz Reference for SPA only measurements. See the Maintenance Manual for details on use. #20761
- Added Span Setting to ACPR coverage mapping mode. #20923

Vector Network Analyzer [2]

- Added an individual Thru cal step for MS2026C/MS2027C/MS2028C & MS2036C/MS2037C/MS2038C.
- Allow user to select user cal kit for waveguide SOLR, SSLR, and SSSR. #20355

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [7]

- Added a timer that automatically dims the display of the instrument when it is operating under battery power to save power.
"Auto-Dim" feature is enabled in System Options -> Display -> Brightness menu.
Each Model has its own unique default time. Most are approximately 15 minutes. #2521
- Added a warning message to the SAVE FILE dialog to indicate excessive files saved in a single directory, which may slow down file access performance.
- Added more improvements to System Level Russian language translations. #19993
- Added support for Anritsu antennas 2000-1726-R, 2000-1747-R, and 2000-1748-R
- Displaying >1 hr for sweep time estimates over 1 hour instead of showing ~1.2 hours.
- Updated Support files.
Updated the Antenna.txt file to V2.06 by adding 3 antennas.
Updated the CableList.txt file to V3.05 by adding 13 cables.
Updated the Signal Standards File to V2.10 by replacing 43 Standards that had been previously removed. (CDMA, Fixed WiMAX, TD-LTE, and a number of the 700MHz bands)
- Updated System Level Portuguese language support.

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [8]

- Added a message saying that Spurious Emissions is getting turned off when switching to the unsupported Interference Analyzer mode. #20123

- Added the ability to continue capturing bearings with the MA2700A after switching from Interference Mapping to Interference Analyzer Spectrum measurement. #20585
- Improved Counter Marker Stability. #20559
- Increased maximum value of RSSI time span to 7 days ($60*60*24*7 = 604800$ seconds). #10873
- Limited minimum sweep time entry to 7 us. #20406
- Preset will now default the upper envelope limit number of points to 20. #20182
- Saturation and ADC over-range error messages are cleared more quickly in zero span and IA signal strength modes. #20006
- Sweep time is reduced from ~20 minutes or more, by adjusting VBW to a higher value.

Vector Network Analyzer [3]

- Increased Reference Plane Length minimum from -100m to -1000m and maximum from 100m to 1000m
- Increased Reference value minimum for Group Delay from 0 to -1ms.
- Increased user cal kit maximum capacitance and inductance value from 2000 to 100,000.

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [9]

- Fixed an issue in Spectrum Analyzer mode that did not show a warning dialog when saving a measurement file with existing filename. #20011
- Fixed an issue where "fW" was displayed when "fA" was expected. #20911
- Fixed an issue where a message "Successfully Saved File to USB1" when the save operation actually failed due to the disk being full. #20031
- Fixed an issue where not all files were listed in the Recall dialog. #19989
- Fixed an issue where pressing the back button in the Script Master menu in GSM/EDGE would go to the incorrect menu.
- Fixed an issue where pressing the touchscreen enter key twice when saving a JPEG obscured the graph with the Save dialog. #19775
- Fixed an issue where, under unique conditions, the counter marker could show incorrect frequency values. #15953
- Fixed an issue with incorrect values being displayed for marker frequency, for values less than 1 Hz. #15953
- Fixed an issue with 'Save Measurement As' to properly handle multiple '_' in the filename.

Spectrum Analyzer and Sub-modes [17]

- Added 0|1 as valid parameters to the SCPI Command ":CALCulate:MARKer:TABLE:STATe" command for consistency with Programming Manual. #20089
- Coverage mapping measurement mode is set properly to default upon performing preset. #20920
- Fixed a problem where manually setting a sweep time with a narrow span on single sweep mode caused a very inaccurate actual sweep time to be

reported. #20558

- Fixed an intermittent issue with presetting the instrument in Zero Span Mode. #20439
- Fixed an issue in IA mode where the limit line would not get reset properly following a preset. #19998
- Fixed an issue in Spectrum Analyzer mode that did not show a warning dialog when saving a measurement file with existing filename. #20011
- Fixed an issue in zero span, where Marker units are sometimes in Hz, after changing from log amplitude units to linear amplitude units. #20626,
- Fixed an issue involving SCPI command to change Trigger Mode to Free Run. #20257
- Fixed an issue when incrementing or decrementing sweep times with arrow keys or twiddle knob. #19991
- Fixed an issue where ADC Over Range Error message did not appear on the screen when a marker was not located within the ADC Over Range area of the trace. #20493
- Fixed an issue where not all files were listed in the Recall dialog. #19989
- Fixed an issue where the Spurious Emission menu could show up in the IA mode. #20123
- Fixed an issue where there were differences between the recalled measurement and JPEG files color and location of vertical reference lines. #20341
- Fixed an issue where, under unique conditions, the counter marker could show incorrect frequency values. #15953
- Fixed an issue with recalled Spectrogram colors corrected to match the colors during measurement.
- Fixed an issue with Recalling an AM/FM/PM measurement file with a marker on, now retains original marker position rather than snapping to center screen. #20318
- Fixed several issues related to Spurious Emissions not handling Reference Level Offset correctly. #20144

Vector Network Analyzer [4]

- Fixed a problem where the center and span was being restored to the default values as opposed to the values before cal.
This problem is encountered when redoing a cal, prior to which the center and span had been updated during a full range cal.
- Fixed a problem with the Reciprocal Calibration Method (SOLR, SSLR, SSSR) in models MS2026B, MS2028B, MS2026C, MS2028C, MS2036C, MS2027C, MS2038C, and MS2037C.
- Fixed an issue with Time Domain, to update trace when waveguide cutoff was changed.
- Removed Src Power Max button for MS2026C/MS2027C/MS2028C & MS2036C/MS2037C/MS2038C.

High Accuracy Power Meter [1]

- Fixed an issue with the Save Measurement button in High Accuracy Power Meter. Now it correctly selects a measurement file type instead of a setup file type.

What will you see in this release?

Product: MS2026C/MS2036C, MS2027C/MS2037C & MS2028C/MS2038C
Application Package: V1.16
Release Date: 08-26-2014

*** NEW FEATURES ***

General [11]

- Added "Delete All Points" confirmation for Coverage Mapping functions in all modes. #18221
- Added an EEPROM snapshot feature for troubleshooting intermittent instrument problems. A folder named "Anritsu_Snapshot" in internal memory contains these files, and may be deleted for security purposes. This feature does not apply to units with security option 7.
- Added GPS location in radians to saved measurement file headers.
- Added MA2700A compass calibration images.
- Added option 431(Coverage Mapping) to the MS2036C/MS2037C/MS2038C instruments.
- Added support for saving images(jpg) and measurement files simultaneously.
- Added support for USB stick Firmware Update on hardware that includes the replacement USB controller (1763A).
- Added the automatic turn on feature when power is applied to a unit without battery. The button has been added under the system menu. Requires IPL/SPL/ataBoot version 3.25 or later. Contact Anritsu Customer Service to update IPL/SPL/ataBoot.
- Added to Saved Measurement Files, the firmware package version number.
- Displays asterisks in entry field when Remote Access Password is set. #12998
- Now displays a different icon when battery is fully charged. #12031

Spectrum Analyzer [7]

- Added ":SENS:SWE:TRAC?" to return string with two integers: current trace average count & total traces to average. #16093
- Added additional SCPI commands in Interference Analysis application. #18286
- Added large marker table in AM/PM/FM mode. #17845
- Added SCPI command ":DISPlay[:WINDow]:TRACe:Y[:SCALe]:RLEVel:AUTO IMMEDIATE".
- Added SCPI command ":SENSe:FREQUency:REFerence:SOURce?".
- Added VBW/Average Type in zero-span mode for Spectrum Analyzer application.
- Provided Sample detection in fast sweep mode. #12283

Vector Network Analyzer [6]

- Added Distance Domain(option 501) as standard for MS2026C/MS2027C/MS2028C & MS2036C/MS2037C/MS2038C models.
- Added new SCPI commands(flex/standard cal, interpolation state, line length, and line delay).
- Added support for aborting calibration before complete.
- Added support for more than 1 cal kit per connector type.
- Added support for Thru Offset & Update, Reciprocal Cal & Update, Cal Interpolation, FlexCal, External Trigger.
- Updated SCPI commands for connectors and cal kits. See Programming Manual for details.

Operating System [4]

- Added a prompt on bootup to warn for battery communication failures.
- Added support for newer NAND file storage Hardware.
- Added support for passive (non amplified) GPS antennas.
- Added support for replacement USB Host Hardware (1763A).

*** MISCELLANEOUS ***

General [2]

- Updated Russian language translations.
- Updated signal standard file to V2.08.

Vector Network Analyzer [3]

- Updated cable list to V3.04.
- Updated MWVNA FPGA to V17.0.
- Updated waveguide list to V1.01.

*** ENHANCEMENTS ***

General [18]

- Added GPS altitude to saved measurement files. #11663

- Added label in file save dialog to show free space available. #12294
- Added label to show the free space on the currently selected save location.
- Added more descriptive file save error messages. #16298
- Added restrictions for special characters and spaces when naming filenames and folders. #9868
- Added smaller fonts for Russian translation to better fit available space on buttons in the system language files. #16851
- Added warning message when recalling a KML file whose map no longer exists. #12201
- Applied Night Vision mode at bootup. IPL/SPL/ataBoot V3.50 or higher is required. Contact Anritsu Customer Service to update IPL/SPL/ataBoot. #9778
- Changed low battery warning sound interval. #15829
- Improved error handling when overwriting existing files and folders. #14794
- Improved GPS frequency accuracy during temperature changes. #19096
- Improved handling of Recall KML Points & Map when the map isn't available. #18638
- Line-wrapping option numbers in Status dialog. #19979
- Moved text overlapping with error messages when using MA24105A sensor. #16236
- Prevented creation of folders and filenames with only spaces.
- Restricted the ability to copy from a parent directory into a sub-directory. #14794
- Short form for SCPI command parameter "QUAS"(or "QUASI") is now valid. e.g. ":SENS:DET:FUNC QUAS". #7635
- Updated battery message status when no battery is connected. #7866

Spectrum Analyzer [43]

- Added map-type delimited files to be saved in Interference Analysis and AM/FM/PM applications. #15156
- Added scrolling through the table selection when in Signal ID "Single Scan and Review" mode. #12456
- Added support for sweep time measurement in sample detection mode.
- Adjusted reference level maximum for field strength. #9858
- Allowing longer antenna names. #18714
- Allowing setting of center frequency to max value while in zero span. #16018
- AM/FM/PM sweep time increment/decrement should now behave the same as sweep time in SPA. #8429
- Applying Antenna Correction factors when using traces B and C. #15463
- Changed delta markers to follow corresponding reference marker when they are off-screen. #9453
- Changed message for available space from number of files to actual bytes remaining. #16298
- Changed minimum value for recalled center frequency to 0Hz in Spectrum Analyzer application after power cycle. #20021
- Channel Scanner Custom Scan frequency list can now use the full frequency range of the instrument. #16450
- Disabled access to the limit menu and all limit-line related SCPI commands when Emission Mask is enabled. #16848

- Disabled trigger menu and related SCPI commands while in interference mapping mode. #12671
- Fixed a save on event issue between "Save Then Stop" interaction with "Crossing Limit" and "Sweep Complete". #16842
- Fixed an unstable measurement in zero span for RBW 300kHz measurement setups. #16942
- Fixed preset problem when field strength is enabled. #19595
- Improved annotation of sweep time in zero span mode. #17588
- Improved auto reference level adjustment for field strength mode as units are changed. #18642
- Improved auto reference level adjustment with delta markers while changing units.
- Improved counter marker peak search operation. #19891
- Improved interface for trace averaging function. #10355
- Improved over power protection relay lockout. #16829
- Improved reference level offset calculation in Emission Mask. #20204
- Improved single sweep mode Channel Power measurements. #17617
- Improved the Audio Spectrum measurement in Spectrum Analyzer application. #17623
- Improved the spur performance at 1950 and 2041 MHz.
- Improved tone rate in IA Signal Strength mode. #18241

For MS202xC or MS203xC requires CPU FPGA V4.15 or greater. V5.02 or greater. V6.08 or greater. Contact Customer Service with Motherboard ID for update.

- Improved usability of setting recording time with twiddle knob for a Spectrogram measurement. #18211
- Improved user messages in IA Spectrogram mode. #17349
- Improved visibility of screen messages in IA Spectrogram mode. #17775, #18217
- Improved zero span narrow VBW performance in Spectrum IA mode. #19248
- Increased displayed resolution for sweep time in zero span. #17588
- Increased resolution for marker time in zero span mode. #10642
- Removing Auto Ref Level button from all SPA submodes except for SPA, PM, and IA.
- Revised EEPROM error message. #18651
- RSSI in Interference Analyzer mode auto-scale better positioned in graph. #17657
- Selecting "Set Demod Freq to Current Marker Freq" button turns on marker and demodulation frequency will be the last-edited marker frequency in AM/FM demodulation mode. #17425
- System will revert to internal reference when connected to an invalid or unstable external reference. #12207
- Turn coverage mapping off when "All Measurements Off" is pressed so last span will be restored. #19502
- Updated Channel Scanner Measurements button text from 'Units Display' to 'Power Display'. #11033
- Updated Chinese translation. #18427
- Updated preamp, input attenuation, reference level interactions. #7801

Vector Network Analyzer [6]

- Improved marker movement along trace.
- Improved marker twiddle knob interaction. #18765
- Marker adjustment is now independent of number of sweep points. #16934
- Relabeled source power level button. Preset applies defaults for IFBW and source power in Vector Volt Meter mode.
- Updated ":VVM:FETCh:DATA?" SCPI command. See programming manual for details.
- Updated Phase Reference Line Max value from 0 to 10. Updated Phase Reference max from 180 to 225 and min from -180 to -225. #19333

Operating System [9]

- Added additional error handling for USB incoming communication errors with Windows 7 systems. #15322
- Added check for 100% charge, so battery charger will not restart if the battery is full.
- Adjusted the SDRAM clock freq. to eliminate display flicker at extreme temperatures.
- Improved communication stability with replacement USB Host Hardware (1763A).
- Improved dynamic memory management with Windows 7 hosts. #15322
- Improved error handling for WiFi TCP data transfer functions.
- Improved field option upgrade operations.
- Improved timing of motherboard self test to prevent false reports of -5.8 Volt failures.
- Improved video controller operation to prevent unstable screen at extreme temperatures.

*** BUG FIXES ***

General [13]

- Changed VSWR limit line edits from "dB" to "Enter" since it is unitless. #18473
- Fixed a problem where ":SENSe:FREQUency:STARt" SCPI command truncates the last digit when setting frequency beyond 4,294,967,295 Hz. #15669
- Fixed a problem with displaying large Russian fonts. #16851
- Fixed a problem with editing and saving of instrument names when USB device is selected as save location. #15232
- Fixed a problem with pressing '1' when Signal Standards List is displayed. #17293
- Fixed an issue where ":MMEMory:DIRectory?" command was returning incorrect filenames and extensions. #19358
- Fixed an issue where sending a mode switch command through SCPI with the mode selector displayed, which would cause the unit to freeze after the mode switch. #16100
- Fixed defect that allowed overwriting an existing measurement file without notification. #15975

- Fixed defect where the user could not use the left/right arrow keys to navigate the buttons in the "Confirm File Delete" dialog when the instrument language was set to French. #19073

- Fixed error where negative volts or watts was being displayed as huge negative femto-Volt or femto-Watt values. #14636
- Fixed French translation for "Save Measurement As". #19074
- Fixed night vision mode grid from white to red in Coverage Mapping mode. #12718
- Increased VSWR limit line parameter entry resolution to two significant digits past the decimal point. #18473

Spectrum Analyzer [43]

- Corrected intermittent false self-test failures. #16540
- Corrected language file for Chinese translation. #17600
- Fixed "Sweep Once" in IA Spectrogram mode. #10982
- Fixed a color inconsistency in RSSI map legend. #14673
- Fixed a defect where a counter marker's location on the screen would not match its actual frequency. #15671
- Fixed a defect where Video trigger level with RL Offset was not displayed properly. #11523
- Fixed a display issue with external trigger representation. #18623
- Fixed a problem with instruments not remembering field strength measurement setup state following power cycle.
- Fixed an intermittent problem where an EEPROM error message was displayed.
- Fixed an issue preventing triggering from working while in IA Spectrum zero span mode. #12671
- Fixed an issue where "GPS Hi Accy Freq Ref" did not display following a preset. #15355
- Fixed an issue where GPS Hi Accuracy was not always reported correctly. #19181
- Fixed an issue where the twiddle knob does not work properly in Zero span. #17626
- Fixed an issue where trace A was not shown even when it was enabled. #15147
- Fixed an issue with Audio demodulation of a narrow band FM tone. #15208
- Fixed an issue with Field Strength measurement: antenna factor display is no longer affected by changes in the reference level offset. #10628
- Fixed an issue with recalling emission mask measurements while in zero-span mode. #12156 #12336
- Fixed auto ref level not working in IA mode.
- Fixed Channel Power Measurement table not getting drawn after recalling measurement file or using some related SCPI commands. #19518, #18917
- Fixed channel power units displayed in the table in Adjacent Channel Power Ratio and Carrier/Interference. #2149
- Fixed colors for coverage mapping plotted points and RSSI value. #14673
- Fixed defect in the limit line envelope that had a restriction for even number of points. #16853
- Fixed defect where Spurious Emissions Mask amplitude was not set correctly for the first segment added to empty table. #18877
- Fixed duplicate signal appearing under narrow VBW in fast sweep mode. #16860

- Fixed limit move button showing wrong units when using non-dB units. #14963
- Fixed marker position update displayed after SCPI command to change the marker location in Single sweep mode. #13118
- Fixed marker snapping to center when recalling zero-span measurements. #12178
- Fixed marker units not getting updated immediately after switching units. #18516
- Fixed occasional freeze when measurement units are non-dBm based.
- Fixed preset following C/I measurement that did not reset certain parameters properly. #7971
- Fixed problem where instrument lost setup after multiple power cycles when measurement units are in dBuV. #16596
- Fixed problem with peak search of reference delta markers. #9999
- Fixed recalling a limit line in IA Spectrogram mode. #17841
- Fixed SCPI command ":AFPanalyzer:RFSpectrum:DATA?" result. #15100
- Fixed SCPI command ":CALCulate:LIMit:POINt:Y?". #17464
- Fixed setting wrong Reference Level when noise marker is turned on.
- Fixed spikes in performance and fast sweep mode causing erroneous measurements. #16897
- Fixed squelch amplitude bug in AM demodulation mode below 8 MHz. #18621
- Fixed unexpected trace problems when issuing SCPI command ":TRACe:DATA?". #18093
- Limited Emission Mask to 12 segments(13 limit points). #12553
- Recalling setups without counter markers enabled did not reset existing counter markers. #12159
- Reference level offset applied to SCPI command ":DISPlay:WINDow:TRACe:Y:RLEVel?". #11751
- Reference level restored correctly when Field Strength is turned On/Off with linear units.

Vector Network Analyzer [5]

- Fixed a problem where IFBW selection had no effect. #16654
- Fixed an issue where Hold mode was carried over between application switches. #13264
- Fixed an issue which caused display problems when switching out of VNA application when the sweep was in hold mode. #16720
- Fixed an issue which was causing the memory Trace frequency axis to be incorrect if the number of points were changed after the display was set to Trace + Memory. #12012
- Fixed erratic behavior in Vector Volt Meter when the phase measurement is exactly 180 degrees. #14874

High Accuracy Power Meter [2]

- Corrected order of magnitude for percent of duty cycle in HI-PM mode for MA24105A power sensor. #17756
- Fixed defect that caused strange behavior of two buttons ("Reverse Lower Limit" and "Reverse Upper Limit") in HI-PM mode with MA24105A power sensor attached when connected to MST. #16431

Operating System [1]

- Fixed battery charge LED response and improved battery charging operations. #18488
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What will the Customer See in this release? MS2026/28C, MS2027/37C, & MS2036/38C
Application Package V1.12 01-28-2014

General Features

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- Addressed an issue with the video driver where the display could stop working and turn white.

Channel Scanner

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- No changes

High Accuracy Power Meter Application

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- No changes

Interference Analyzer Application

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- No changes

Spectrum Analyzer Application

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- No changes

Vector Network Analyzer Application

- In Language Selector, 'Custom 1' is now 'Russian', 'Custom 2' is now 'Custom'.

Channel Scanner

- No changes

High Accuracy Power Meter Application

- No changes

Interference Analyzer Application

- No changes

Spectrum Analyzer Application

- Fixed a bug where RSSI was not reflecting Ref Level Offset correctly in coverage mapping mode.
- Fixed a bug where a Counter marker's location on the screen would not match it's actual frequency.
- Sweep Time is now displayed with an initial 'estimate' for the first sweep and updated to measured values in subsequent sweeps.
- Added support for new units - dBW, A and dBA and Watt/cm2 in Field Strength mode.
- Added support for 'Burst Detect' mode under Sweep Types.

Vector Network Analyzer Application

- Max scale for Group Delay is now 1ms.
- Fixed an issue where the cable list could not be updated through MST or LST.
- Fixed an issue where the command CALCulate:MARKer#:X? SCPI command was returning 0 Hz for markers on all traces.
- Fixed an issue where the command :CALCulate:MARKer<Mk>:SOURce was not working.

General Features

- Temperature reading in status window now displays both in Celsius and Fahrenheit
- Fixed a bug that would sometimes include the save dialog when saving as a jpeg

Channel Scanner

- Fixed several bugs related to Script Master.

High Accuracy Power Meter Application

- No changes

Interference Analyzer Application

- Improved timing accuracy of sweep interval in RSSI.

Spectrum Analyzer Application

- Fixed a bug where Save-on-event would continue to save after switching to other modes
- Fixed a bug in the saved measurement file that caused Reference Level Offset to be incorrectly read and applied in Master Software Tools
- Fixed a bug where Quasi-peak detection wouldn't use the correct CISPR RBW filters
- Fixed a bug with Option 89 (IF Output) where the button to turn on the output wouldn't work correctly
- Fixed a bug where level accuracy was affected by ~2 dB with the 3 MHz RBW filter in certain spans

Firmware updates to MS2036/38C REQUIRES Master Software Tools Revision 2.19 or later.
If this failure should occur, Recovery is possible using the Emergency Repair feature with Ethernet connection.

NOTE: Update is not required if V1.00 package is already installed in the unit.
NOTE: Please be careful to choose the correct model when upgrading firmware.

What will the Customer See in this release? MS2036/38C Application Package V1.00 10-14-2010

General Features

- Initial Release

Channel Scanner Application

- Initial Release

High Accuracy Power Meter Application

- Initial Release

Interference Analyzer Application

- Initial Release

Spectrum Analyzer Application

- Initial Release

Vector Network Analyzer Application

- Initial Release

