81110A-05B SERVICE NOTE

Supersedes: 81110A-05A

81100 Family Pulse Pattern Generators

Serial Numbers: DE41B03046 / DE41B04484 All serial numbers < DE41B04484 when a new display is installed

Intermittent display failures (shifting lines, inverted, fully lit or completely dark display)

To Be Performed By: Agilent-Qualified Personnel

Parts Required:
P/NDescriptionQty.0960-0996Filter Plate1

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

SERVICE NOTE CLASSIFICATION:			
MODIFICATION RECOMMENDED			
ACTION CATEGORY:	[[]] IMMEDIATELY X ON SPECIFIED FAILURE [[]] AGREEABLE TIME	STANDARDS: LABOR: 0.25 Hours	
LOCATION CATEGORY:	[[]] CUSTOMER INSTALLABLE [[]] ON-SITE X SERVICE CENTER	SERVICE [[]] RETURN USED [[]] RETUR INVENTORY: [[]] SCRAP PARTS: X SCRAF [[]] SEE TEXT [[]] SEE TE)
AVAILABILITY:	PRODUCT'S SUPPORT LIFE	AGILENT RESPONSIBLE UNTIL: May 2007	
AUTHOR: SM PRODUCT LINE: 24 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:			
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Situation:

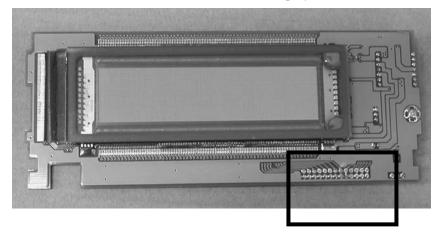
Intermittently the front panel display may show shifting lines that are falling back to their normal state. Additionally an inverted display, a display with all pixels lighted or a blank display may occur intermittently.

After cycling the power of the pulse generator the display works normally again. Reproducing the symptom might not be possible.

Solution/Action:

The following rework will improve the behavior of the display:

- Remove the front frame and unplug the connector cable from the 81100 mainframe.
- Carefully remove the display module from the front frame and check for a capacitor that might have been added during an earlier intermittent modification (see picture below). If there is such a capacitor, unsolder it from the module. Re-install the display into the front frame.



- On the 81100 mainframe replace the existing filter plate with the new filter plate, p/n 0960-0996. The new filter plate can be identified by a single connector pin that shows a red color code.

