

P5020A-05A

Information Only Service Note

Supersedes:
P5020A-05

P5020A Keysight Streamline USB Vector Network Analyzer

Serial Numbers: MY58200001-MY58299999, SG58200001-SG58299999

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Repaired MY58100001-MY58199999, SG58100001-SG58199999

Manufacturing ID Number: N/A

Firmware update requirement to A.15.60.08 or newer for P5020A with MY582, SG582 serial prefix.

Parts Required:

| P/N | Description | Qty. |
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None

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Calibration Required
 Calibration NOT Required

PRODUCT LINE: WN
AUTHOR: ls

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Situation:

Background

P502xA is shipped with new chassis hardware. New chassis requires latest firmware Rev A.15.60.08 or newer to function.

Scope of impact:

1. MY582/ SG582 serial prefix VNA (Brand new)
2. MY581/ SG581 serial prefix VNA (Repaired with new chassis hardware by Keysight service center)

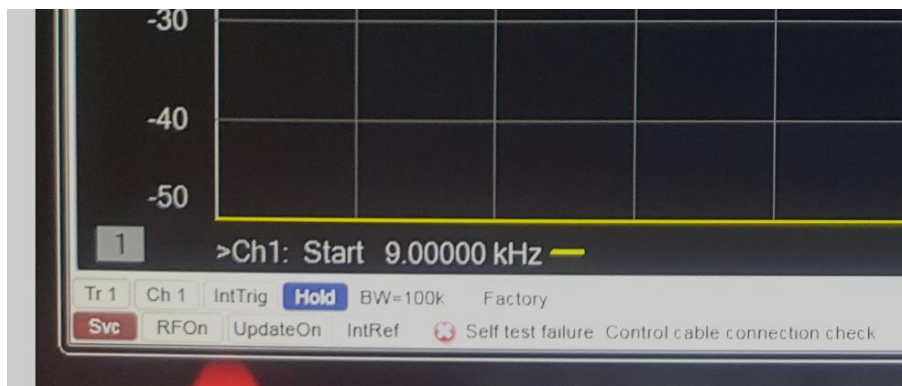
To identify the chassis generation, refer to the hardware serial number break as follows.

| HW generation | Chassis Serial number |
|---------------|--|
| Old | MY58351xxx and below MY58353xxx and above |
| New | MY58352xxx |



Listed are the known limitations if older firmware revision is used on the new chassis hardware.

1. 10MHz Ref-In (VNA front panel) fails to lock with external reference input signal.
2. On dual source VNA (P502xA option 402), firmware will prompt false alarm on self-test failure on cable connection check.



Solution/Action:

Solution#1 (Highly Recommended)

When the above symptom is discovered, update the user controller’s PC firmware revision to A.15.60.08 or newer.

P502xA Vector Network Analyzer Firmware Update (Keysight.com)
[PXle/USB Vector Network Analyzer Firmware Update \(64 bit\) | Keysight](#)

Note: VNA firmware update can be easily performed by user on the intended controller PC/ embedded controller. User does not need to return controller or VNA to Keysight service center.

For more details, visit <http://www.keysight.com/find/P502xAMY582FWreq>

Solution#2 (Backup solution)

If end user would like to retain the existing firmware revision, the work around is to update the IVI drivers manually.

1. Navigate to <http://www.keysight.com/find/P502xAMY582FWreq>
2. Download Ingot Chassis IVI-C Driver and save **KtPUsbChassis-IVI.NET-x64-1.1.8.0.msi** to Controller PC(s).
3. Download Ingot Chassis IVI.NET Driver & SFP and save **KtPUsbChassis-IVI-C-x64-1.1.8.0.msi** to Controller PC(s).
4. Install **KtPUsbChassis-IVI-C-x64-1.1.8.0.msi** followed with **KtPUsbChassis-IVI.NET-x64-1.1.8.0.msi** on user controller PC(s).
5. Restart both controller PC and VNA.

Note: IVI drivers update can be easily performed by user on the intended controller PC/ embedded controller. User does not need to return controller or VNA to Keysight service center.

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Revision History:

| Date | Service Note Revision | Author | Reason for Change |
|-------------|-----------------------|--------|---|
| 6 Apr 2022 | P5020A-05 | ls | As Published |
| 30 Nov 2022 | P5020A-05A | ls | Added “MY58353xxx and above” on old chassis HW serial number range. |