

General Information



The **FM** - **SCK50W0CGH** Microwave Generators from **Fricke und Mallah Microwave Technology GmbH** are compact, light-weight and highly reliable Solid State Microwave Generators which provide continuous wave at frequencies ranging between 2400 MHz and 2500 MHz. This microwave generator features a output of **20.500 W CW** and the power is easily adjustable in 1-W-steps. Meanwhile, it integrates real-time monitoring and full automatic operation (through an optionally available software) with a user-friendly control panel which is allowing users to do easy set-up and control. In addition to CW operation, pulse operation is possible. The pulses can be set up to 20 kHz in a ratio of 20 % - 100 %.

For local operation (stand-alone), the control panel gives an overview of the most important parameters, such as frequency, forward and reverse power, error management and temperature of the generator. Furthermore, various operating modes can be set, such as random frequency, frequency scan, frequency sweep or automatic adjustment tracking. The whole is rounded by a recipe editor, in which various specifications for the power-time profiles can be set.

For the remote connection, the basic functions of the generator can be queried via the SCPI nomenclature. This includes information about the generator used (Get) (generator number, thus several generators can be controlled), the current frequency (Set / Get), the current power (Set/Get), the forward power (Get), the reverse power (Get), the RF energy introduced into the process (Get), the temperature of the generator (Get) and error number (Get). Optionally, software for control based on the functions can be ordered.

For plasma applications it is also possible to order the generator without an isolator. Without the isolator the generator reduce the forward output power in this way, that the reverse power is not higher then 250 W. The Generator works in a safe operating area. As the matching of the load gets better or the load absurbs more RF power, the power increases to the set forward power value.

The **FM - SGK50W0CGH Microwave Generators** operate perfectly with water cooling. They are the cutting-edge tool for industrial and scientific application.

Key features

- Designed for industry heating, drying and plasma processes
- Frequency band 2400 MHz 2500 MHz.
- Maximum 500 W output power.
- 20 W 500 W setting range in 1 W steps.
- Flexible signal generator with CW or Pulse.
- Protected against total mismatch (isolator)
- High efficiency water cooling mechanical design.
- Interlock (one or two channel)
- Knob switch to turn on the generator (lockable)
- Local or remote operation
- Measuring of forward and reverse power
- All connectors on the back side

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Specification

Electrical Data	
Input	
Line Input	100 V _{AC} - 260 V _{AC}
Line Frequency	50 Hz / 60 Hz
AC power consumption	1800 W max.
Output	
RF maximum output power	500 W 57 dBm
Efficiency	≥ 40 %
Power setting range	20500 W adjustable in 1-W-steps
Frequency setting range	24002500 MHz adjustable in 0.1 MHz-steps
Pulse frequency	1–20 kHz
Duty cycle	20 – 100 %
Pulse rise time	≤ 200 ns
Pulse fall time	≤ 200 ns
Isolator	Yes
MTBF	≥ 100000 h
Control / Monitoring	
Control Unit	Rotary encoder on the front panel
Interface	RS232 (SUB9 connector) / USB (Typ B connector) / Ethernet (RJ45 connector)
Protocol	SCPI (Standard Commands for Programmable Instruments)
Ambient Conditions	
Use	Indoor use only

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Environment temperature	+ 10° to + 45° C
Humidity	< 80%
Cooling	
Coupling	2 bulkhead fitting G1/4" for easy connecting to customer systems
Water flow	≥ 4 l/min
Cooling water temperature	+18° C to +27° C (non condensing)
Cooling water pressure	≥3 bar
Cooling	
Mechanical Data	
Rack Dimensions	19" x 4HE
Rack Total WxHxD (with connector)	482 x 177 x 540 mm



Front side



Back side



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Total Weight

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approx. 12 kg





Connectors

- 1 Water in and water out G1/4" inner thread
- 2 Additional plugs:
- 2.1 LEMO Typ ERA.2S.303.CLL for safety circuits interlock
- 2.2 LEMO Typ ERA.2S.304.CLL for REMOTE RF ON Switch
- 2.3 LEMO Typ ERA.2S.302.CLL for 12VDC for an additional device
- 3 Communication interface USB type B socket, RS232 (D-SUB9) or Ethernet (RJ45 socket). Interface is selected when ordering.
- 4 RF Output DIN 7/16 Female (50 Ohm)
- 5 M10 grounding bolt
- 6 Fuse holder for AC feed
- 7 AC feed with C19 socket

Scope of delivery

The customer must specify the desired communication centre for remote operation when ordering. It must also be stated whether an additional safety circuit interlock is required. The standard is 1 channel safety circuit interlock (compare connector discribition 3).

- Solid State Microwave Generator FM SGK50W0CGH
- AC power cable with 2m length (C20 plug to CEE7/4 plug (Schuko plug))

Optional parts for delivery:

- Waveguide Transistion e.g. R26/WR340 to DIN 7/16 plug
- High power coaxial cable with customize length, for e.g. with DIN 7/16 plugs
- Control software for the generator
- Plugs for the LEMO connectors with customize cable length to wire end ferrule
- Plug for REMOTE RF ON Switch
- Plug for 12VDC for an additional device

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