Release Notes

Keysight M9383A PXIe Microwave Signal Generator

2.6.153.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | September 2020 |
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| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.6.153.0.exe |

Enhancements

Added support for USB Dongle based licenses

Issues Resolved

Fixed issue with OUTP:MOD OFF SCPI command not working

2.5.234.0 Version Information

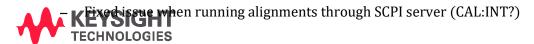
| Released Date: | April 2020 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.5.234.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Added support for option LW1 Long waveform playing (requires option C05 or C10)
- Added the ability to run Live SFP when running SCPI server

Issues Resolved

Fixed intermittent bootup issues when option C05 or C10 is present



Fixed issues with temperature stability warnings

2.4.355.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | January 2020 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.4.355.0.exe |

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with spurs and noise with RF Off.

2.4.354.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | December 2019 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.4.354.0.exe |

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with Windows10 installations
- Fixed issue with security certificates

2.3.527.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | September 2019 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.3.527.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Added support for option DNV which disables write access to non-volatile memory.
- Added improvements to "Temperature Stability" indicator in the Soft Front Panel

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with List mode not stopping the output when RF is turned off (Continuous mode)
- Fixed issue with driver not initializing when intermediate authentication certificate is missing
- Fixed issue with driver not listing the M9405A module for Option 1EB

2.2.975.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | April 2019 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| 1. 4 | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383 Setup-2.2.975.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Added support for the N7651C Real-Time AWGN Software Application
- Added to the ability to do more marker/trigger routing configurations
- Added more SCPI commands

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with FM modulation following a Reset
- Fixed issue with RF output signal before OUT:STAT ON SCPI command was issued

2.1.674.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | December 2018 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383 Setup-2.1.674.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Improved SCPI compatibility with EXG/MXG-B Series Signal Generators
- Added SCPI commands for ARB based Analog Modulation
- Added the ability to turn on corrections for External IQ (BBIQ)

Added RF ON Indicator to Soft Front Panel

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with high output power above 500 MHz when modulator is turned on
- Fixed issue with FM Modulation after a reset
- Fixed issue with auto power search

2.0.901.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | August 2018 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.0.901.0.exe |

Enhancements

Added mode for ACPR optimization for frequencies below 12.8 GHz

Issues Resolved

Fixed intermittent issue with DAC Overload warnings

2.0.880.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | June 2018 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.0.880.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Added support for S2P file de-embedding.
- Added SCPI commands to control External IQ
- Improved error messages

Issues Resolved

Fixed issue with internal alignments failing below 20 GHz.

Fixed issue with max bandwidth when option C06 is present

2.0.799.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | March 2018 |
|--|---------------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | None |
| Requirements category (other): | None |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-2.0.799.0.exe |

Enhancements

- Added the ability to control additional AWG channel synchronous with IQ channels for options C05, C06, C10, and C11.
- Added the ability to improve Vector modulation channel flatness by adding user phase corrections for options C05, C06, C10, and C11.
- Added the ability to swap I and Q as well as invert I signal for spectrum inversion.
- Added the ability to run Soft Front Panel and SCPI server simultaneously by adding the "/opensfp" option when starting the SCPI server as well as many more SCPI commands
- Added the option to display amplitude values in dBmV or dBuV.
- Added the ability to Log Step Sweep.
- Added the ability to save and recall instrument states.
- Improved error messages.

Issues Resolved

- Fixed issue with internal alignments failing above 20 GHz.
- Fixed issue with M9303A LO unlocking during initialization.

1.0.000.0 Version Information

| Released Date: | June 2017 |
|--|----------------------|
| Requirements category (e.g., operating system): | Microsoft Windows 7 |
| | Microsoft Windows 10 |
| Requirements category (e.g., instrument software version): | NA |
| Requirements category (other): | NA |
| File Name: | M9383_Setup-1.0.exe |

Initial Release

This is the initial release of the M9383A VSG.

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