

**TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS  
ON  
PLNA-30-10M20-292FF-12V**

PMI MODEL NUMBER PLNA-30-10M20-292FF-12V IS A 10 TO 20 GHz AMPLIFIER. THIS AMPLIFIER IS SUPPLIED IN OUR STANDARD PEAFS3 HOUSING THAT CAN BE USED AS A SMA CONNECTORIZED OR A SURFACE MOUNT COMPONENT.



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## Outline

**DESCRIPTION:**

PMI MODEL NUMBER PLNA-30-10M20-292FF-12V IS A 10 TO 20 GHz AMPLIFIER FEATURING A GAIN OF 26 dB MINIMUM, NOISE FIGURE OF 5.5 dB MAXIMUM, AND 2.92mm FEMALE CONNECTORS.

ZONE	REV.	DESCRIPTION	DATE	APPROVED
	A1	ORIGINAL RELEASE	2/11/2025	

**SPECIFICATIONS:**

- FREQUENCY RANGE:..... 10 TO 20 GHz
- GAIN:..... 30 dB TYP, 26 dB MIN
- GAIN FLATNESS @ ANY OPERATING TEMP:..... ±2.2 dB MAX
- NOISE FIGURE:..... 5.5 dB MAX (20 MHz TO 0.5 GHz)  
3.5 dB MAX (0.5 TO 18 GHz)  
3.75 dB MAX (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- OP1dB:..... +14 dBm MIN(10 MHz TO 18 GHz)  
+13 dBm MIN (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- PSAT:..... +15 dBm MIN (10 MHz TO 18 GHz)  
+14 dBm MIN (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- OIP3:..... +25 dBm TYP, +23 dBm MIN
- VSWR (INPUT):..... 2.0:1 MAX (10 MHz TO 18 GHz)  
2.4:1 MAX (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- VSWR (OUTPUT):..... 2.2:1 MAX (10 MHz TO 18 GHz)  
2.5:1 MAX (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- SECOND HARMONIC  
-30 dBm INPUT POWER:..... 33 dBc MIN  
@P1dB:..... 19 dBc MIN  
@PSAT:..... 13 dBc MIN
- REVERSE ISOLATION:..... 36 dB MIN (10 MHz TO 18 GHz)  
35 dB MIN (18 GHz TO 20 GHz)
- DC VOLTAGE SUPPLY:..... 12 VDC
- DC CURRENT DRAW:..... 140 mA MAX
- CONNECTORS:..... 2.92mm FEMALE REMOVABLE
- FINISH:..... GOLD PLATED

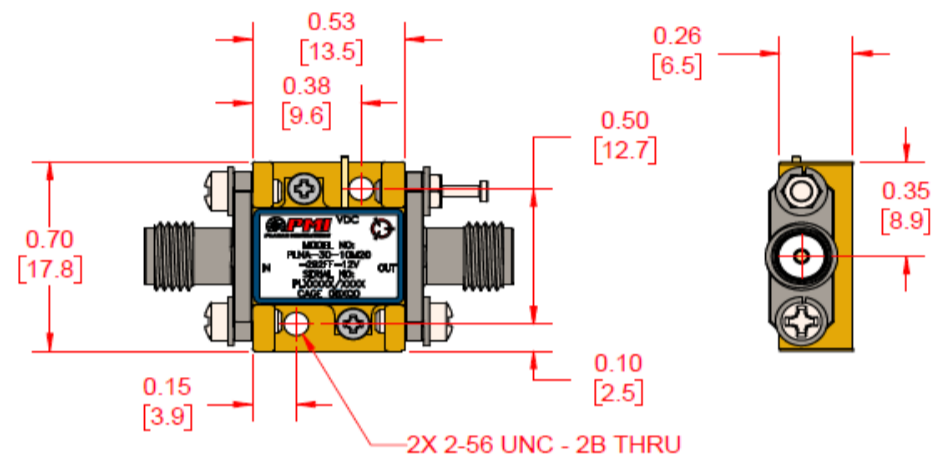
NOTE: NOISE FIGURE ONLY VALID ABOVE 20 MHz

**ENVIRONMENTAL RATINGS:**

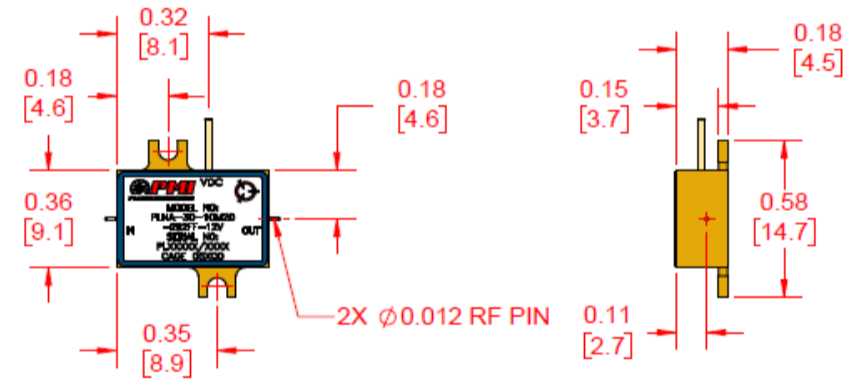
- TEMPERATURE:..... -54°C TO +85°C (OPERATING)  
-57°C TO +100°C (STORAGE)
- HUMIDITY:..... MIL-STD-202, METHOD 103B COND. B
- SHOCK:..... MIL-STD-202, METHOD 213B COND. B
- VIBRATION:..... MIL-STD-202, METHOD 204D COND. B
- ALTITUDE:..... MIL-STD-202, METHOD 105C COND. B
- TEMPERATURE CYCLE:..... MIL-STD-202, METHOD 107D COND. A

NOTE: SPECIFICATIONS WILL VARY OVER TEMPERATURE  
NOTE: THE ABOVE SPECIFICATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE OR REVISION

**HOUSING WITH CARRIER**



**HOUSING WITHOUT CARRIER (SURFACE MOUNT)**



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APPROVALS		DATE	TITLE	
DRAWN	G.MENDEZ	2/11/2025	OUTLINE	
ISSUED			PLNA-30-10M20-292FF-12V	REV. A1
SIZE	B	FSCM NO.	05XQ0	DWG NO.
			27054603	
SCALE 2:1			SHEET 1 OF 1	



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### Technical specifications

TEST ITEM NO.	PARAMETERS	SPECIFIED VALUE	Test Results		
			+25°C	-54°C	+85°C
1	Frequency Range:	10 MHz to 20 GHz	10 MHz to 20 GHz	10 MHz to 20 GHz	10 MHz to 20 GHz
2	Gain:	30 dB Typ. 26 dB Min.	26.74 dB See Graph	26.94 dB See Graph	26.06 dB See Graph
3	Gain Flatness: (@ any Operating Temp.)	±2.2 dB Max.	±1.78 dB See Graph	±1.99 dB See Graph	±1.62 dB See Graph
4	Noise Figure: (See Note)*	5.5 dB Max. (20MHz to 0.5 GHz) 3.5 dB Max. (0.5 to 18 GHz) 3.75 dB Max. (18 to 20 GHz)	4.26 dB	3.54 dB	5.01 dB
			2.9 dB	2.66 dB	3.24 dB
			2.99 dB	2.8 dB	3.42 dB
			See Graph	See Graph	See Graph
5	OP1dB:	+14 dBm Min. (10MHz to 18 GHz) +13 dBm Min. (18 to 20 GHz)	+16.36 dBm	+16.74 dBm	+15.55 dBm
			+14.1 dBm	+14.71 dBm	+13.61 dBm
			See Graph	See Graph	See Graph
6	Psat	+15 dBm Min. (10MHz to 18 GHz) +14 dBm Min. (18 to 20 GHz)	+17.44 dBm	+17.93 dBm	+17.16 dBm
			+15.53 dBm	+16.22 dBm	+14.82 dBm
			See Graph	See Graph	See Graph
7	OIP3:	+25 dBm Typ. +23 dBm Min.	±25.18 dBm See Graph	±25.7 dBm See Graph	±25 dBm See Graph
8	VSWR Input	2.0:1 Max. (10MHz to 18 GHz) 2.4:1 Max. (18 to 20 GHz)	1.89:1	1.88:1	1.89:1
			2.19:1 See Graph	2.29:1 See Graph	2.1:1 See Graph
9	VSWR Output:	2.2:1 Max. (10 MHz to 18 GHz) 2.5:1 Max. (18 GHz to 20 GHz)	2.09:1	2.18:1	2:1
			2.37:1 See Graph	2.44:1 See Graph	2.17:1 See Graph
10	Second Harmonics: (@-30dBm Input Power) (@ P1dB) (@ PSat)	33 dBc Min. 19 dBc Min. 13 dBc Min.	35.92 dBc	X	X
			20.22 dBc		
			14.04 dBc		
			See plots		
11	Reverse Isolation:	36 dB Min. (10 MHz to 18 GHz) 35 dB Min. (18 to 20 GHz)	37 dB	36 dB	37 dB
			37 dB See Graph	36 dB See Graph	36 dB See Graph
12	DC Supply:	+12 VDC @ 140 mA	+12V @114 mA (Idq)	+12V @112 mA (Idq)	12 V@116 mA (Idq)

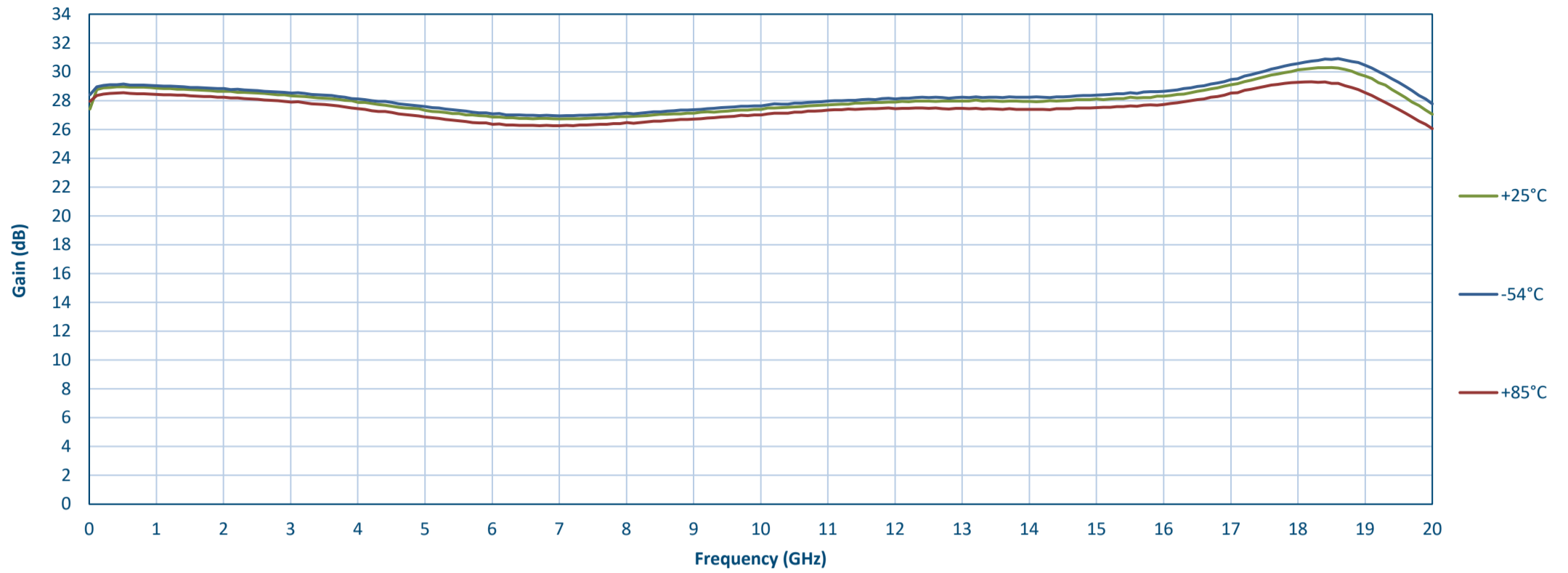
12	DC Supply.	+12 VDC @ 140 mA max (100)	(100) 127 mA (Psat)	(100) 125 mA (Psat)	128 mA ( Psat)
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Note : Noise figure only valid above 20 MHz

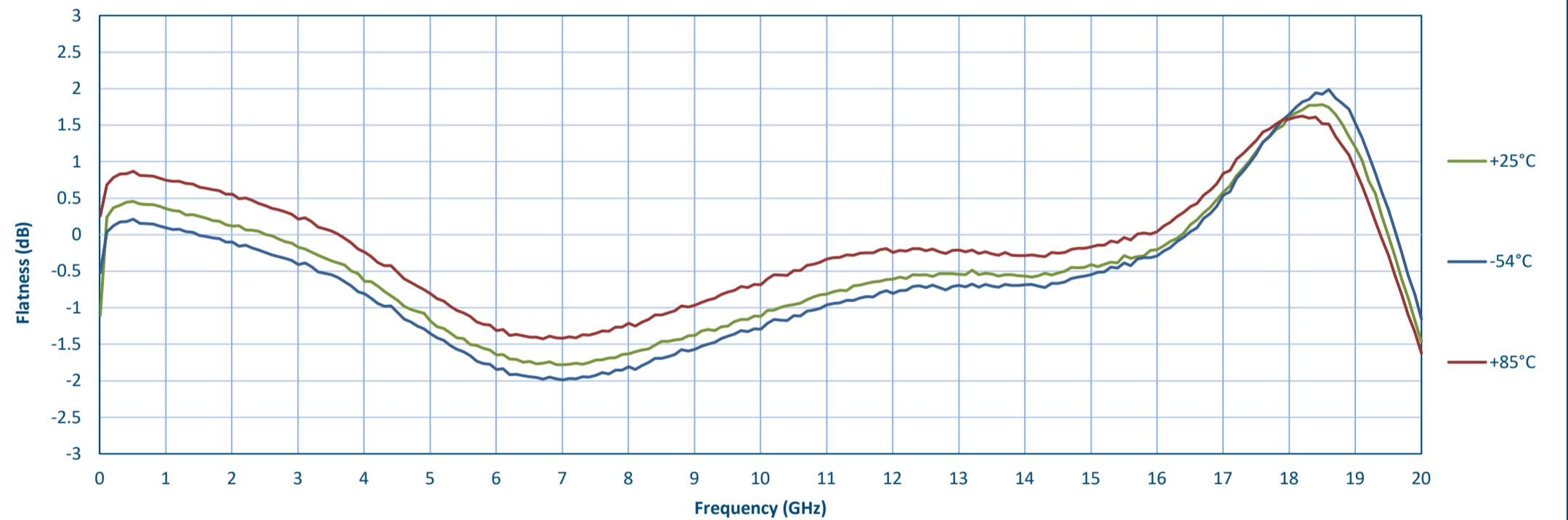
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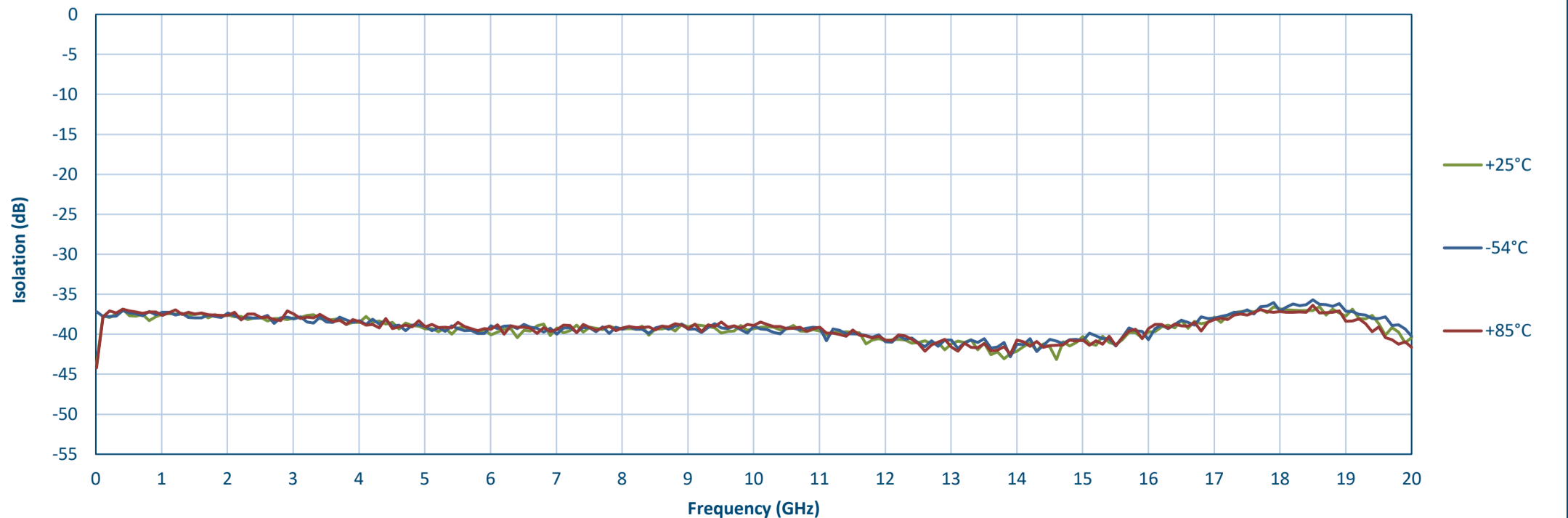
### Gain



### Gain Flatness



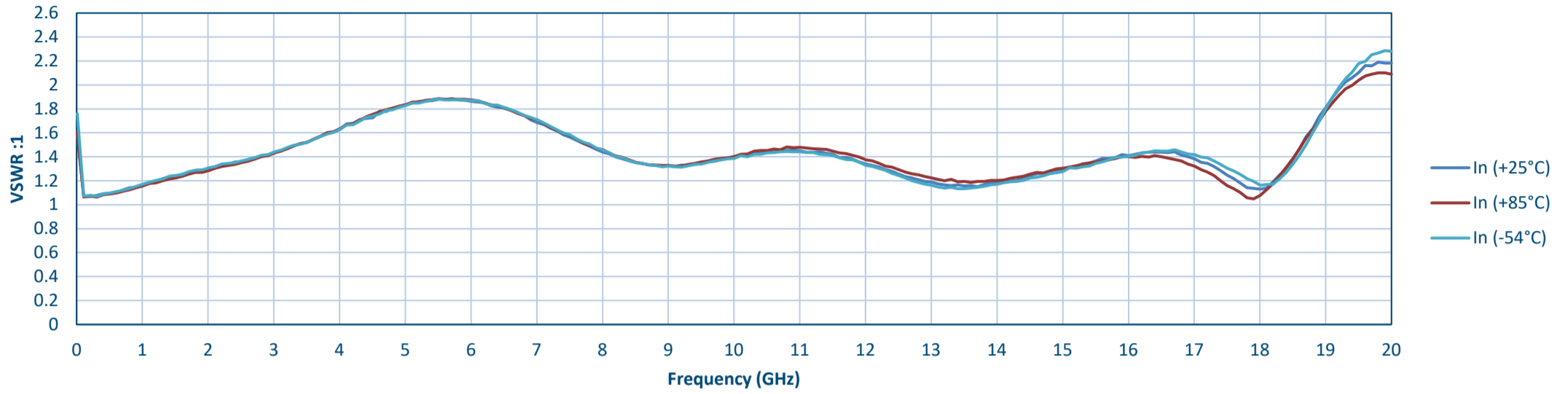
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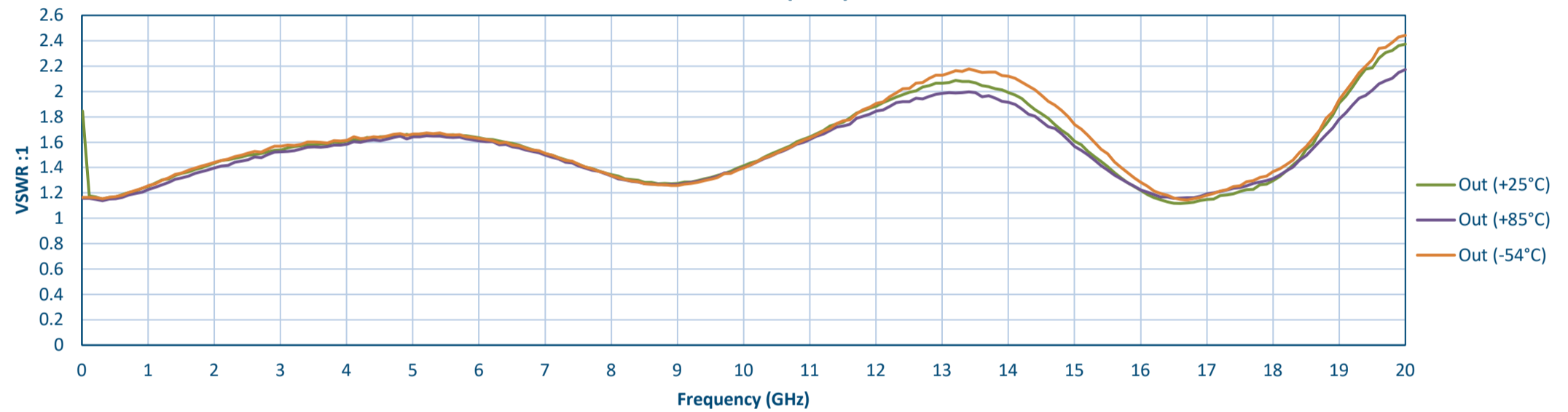


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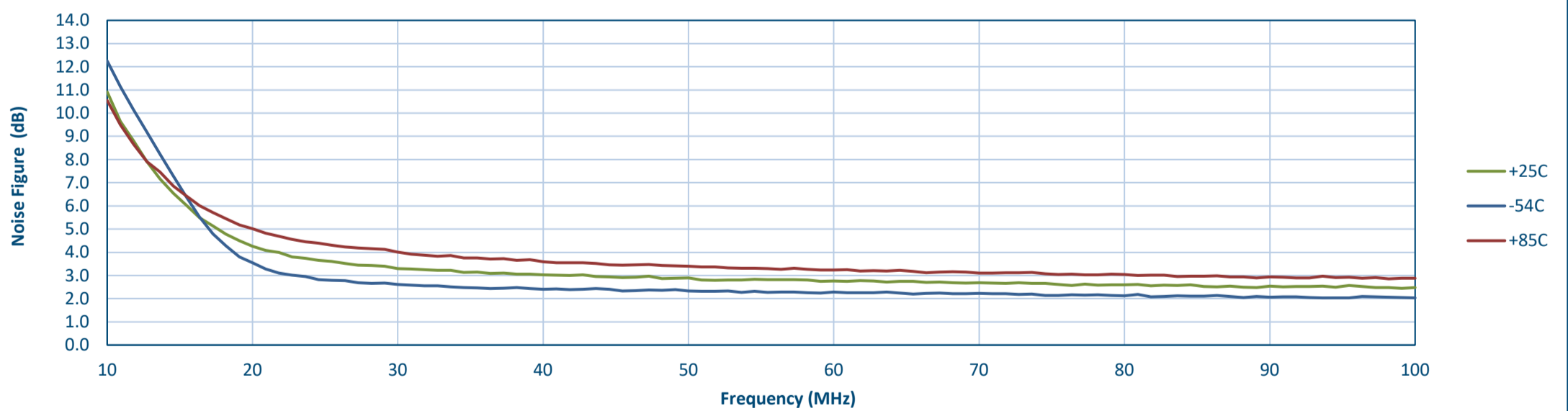
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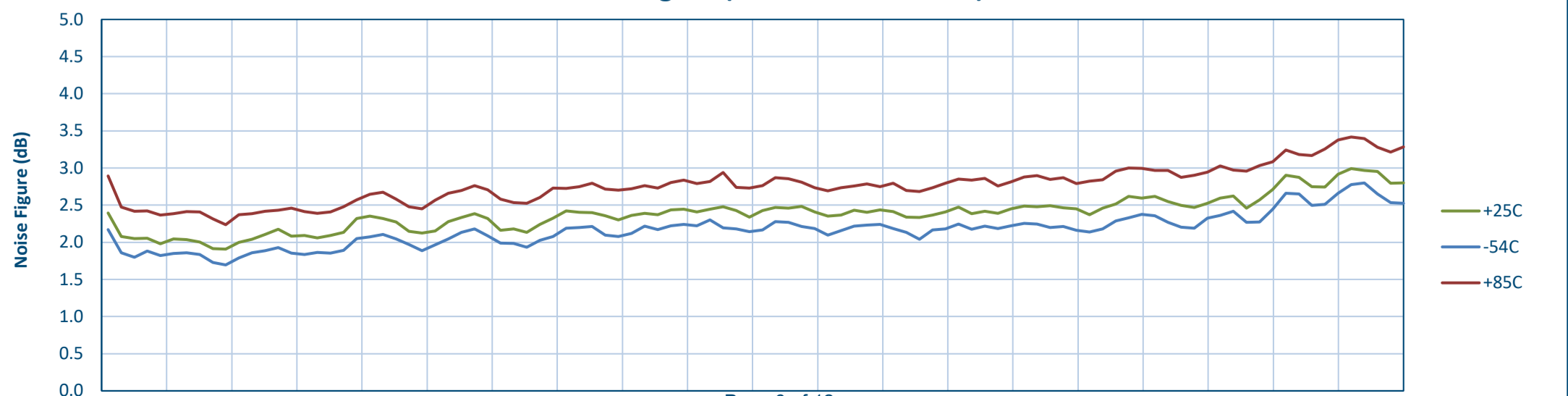
### VSWR (Out)



### Noise Figure (10 MHz to 100 MHz)



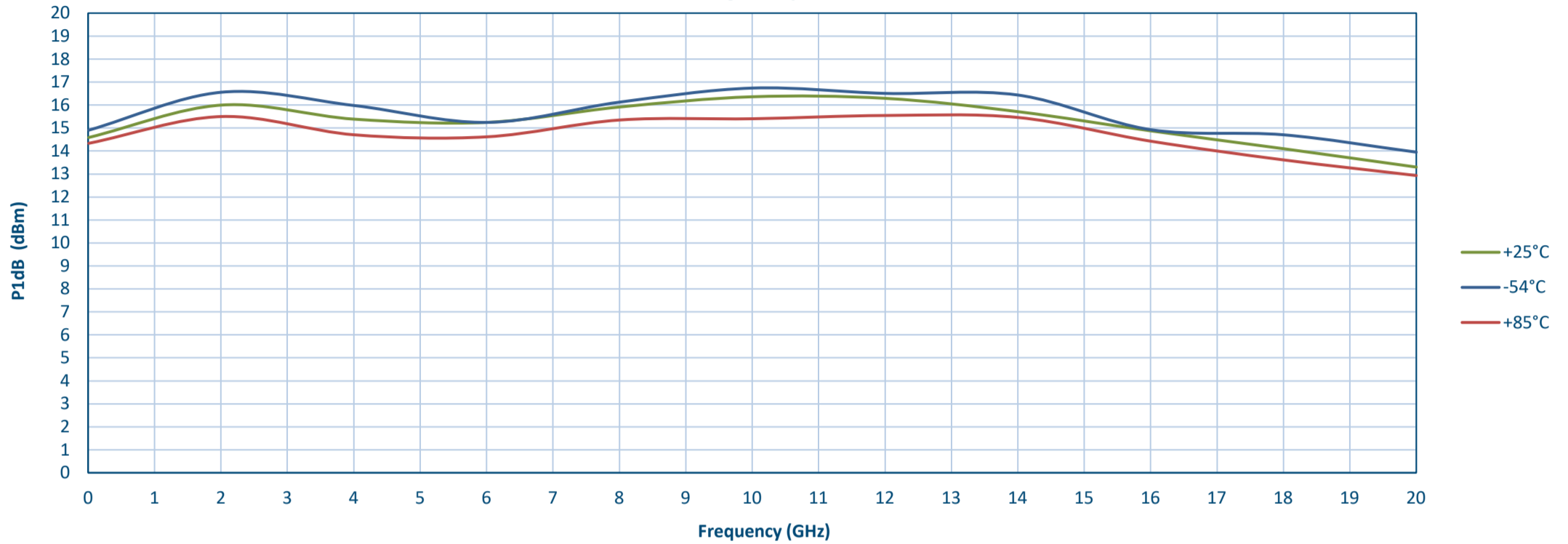
### Noise Figure (100 MHz to 20 GHz)



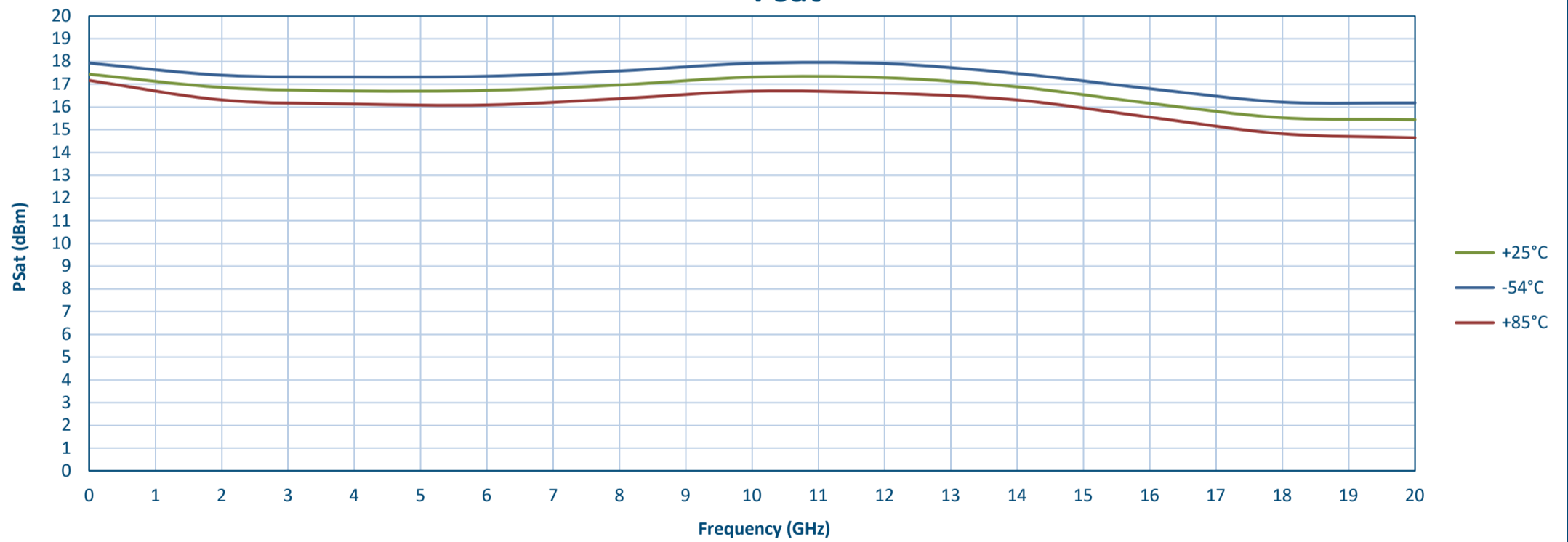


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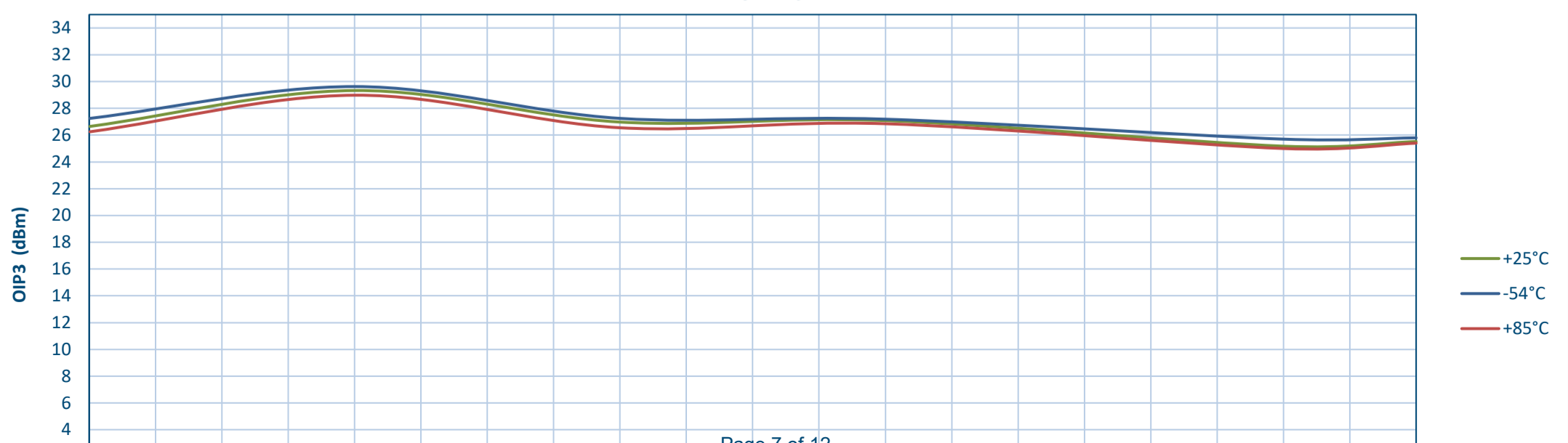
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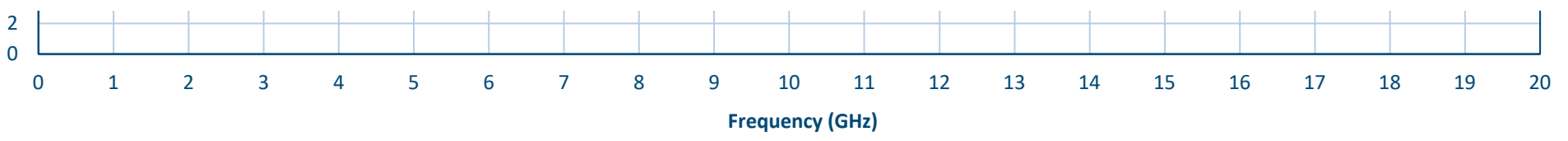


### Psat



### OIP3



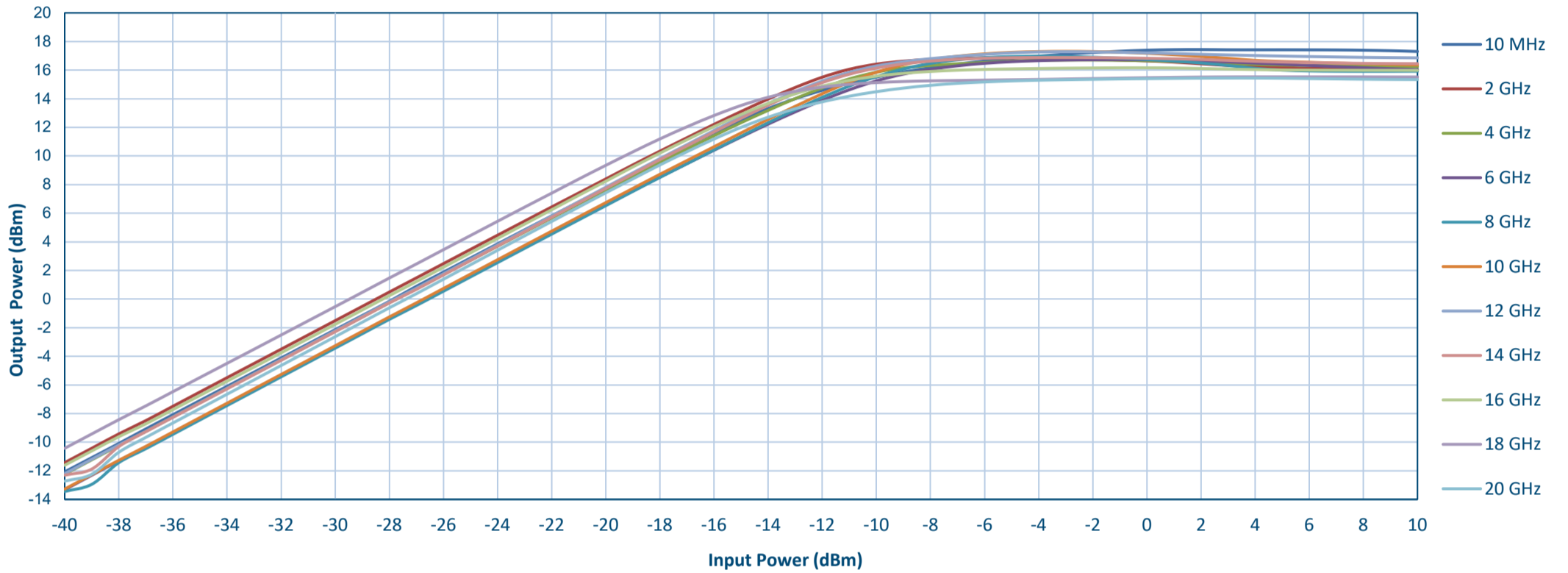


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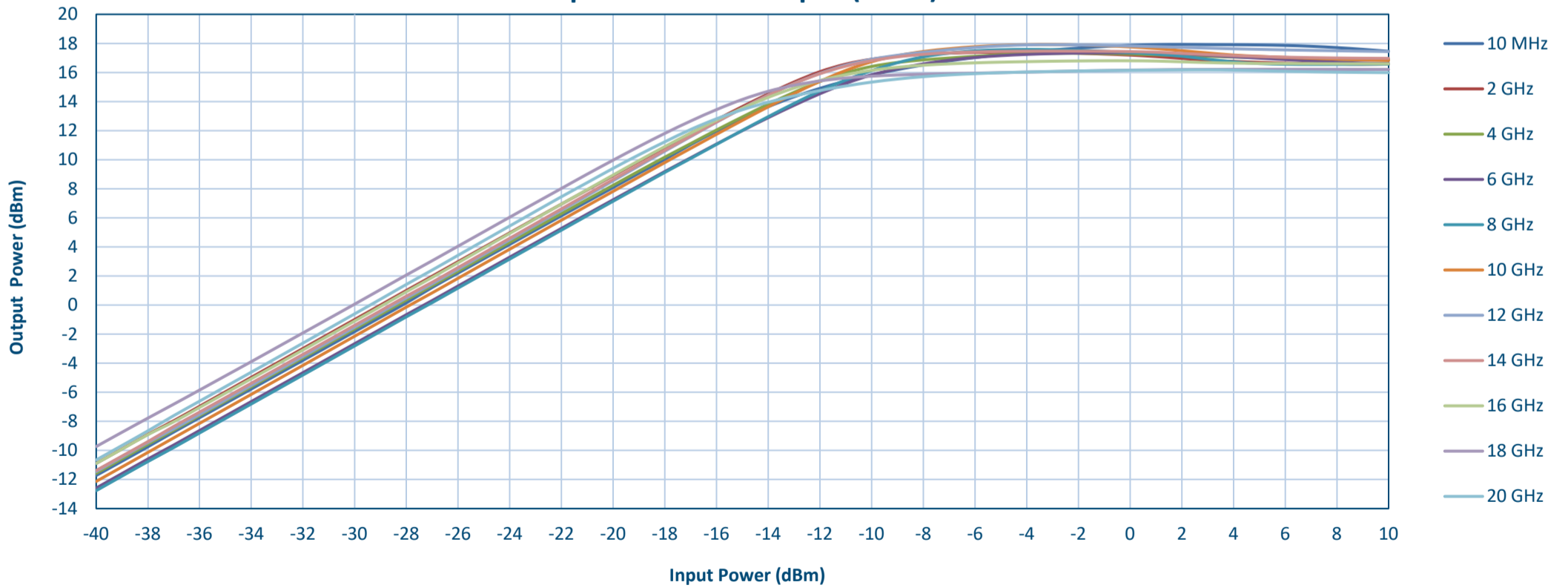


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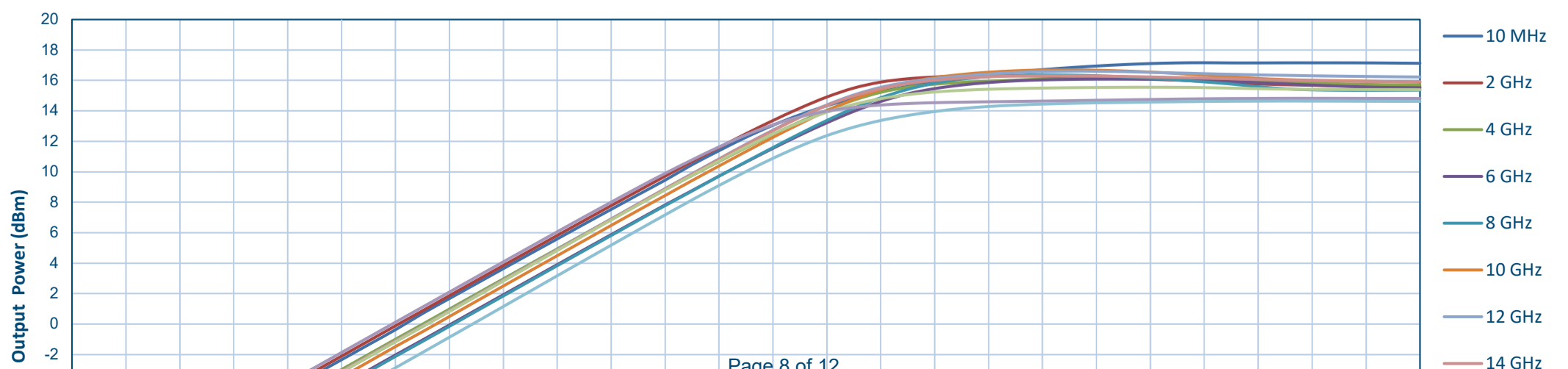
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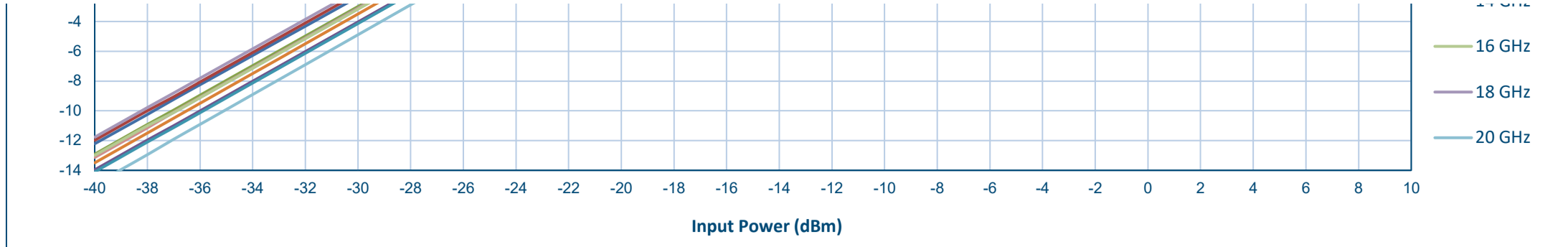


**Power Input Vs Power Output (-54°C)**



**Power Input Vs Power Output (+85°C)**



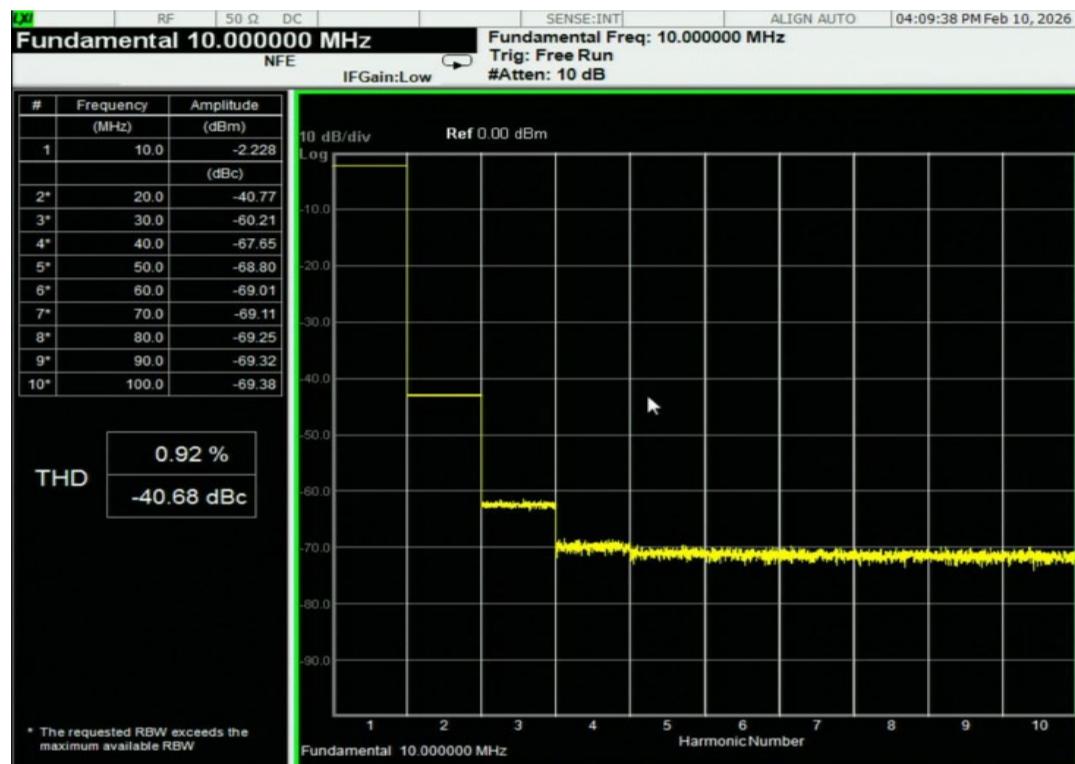


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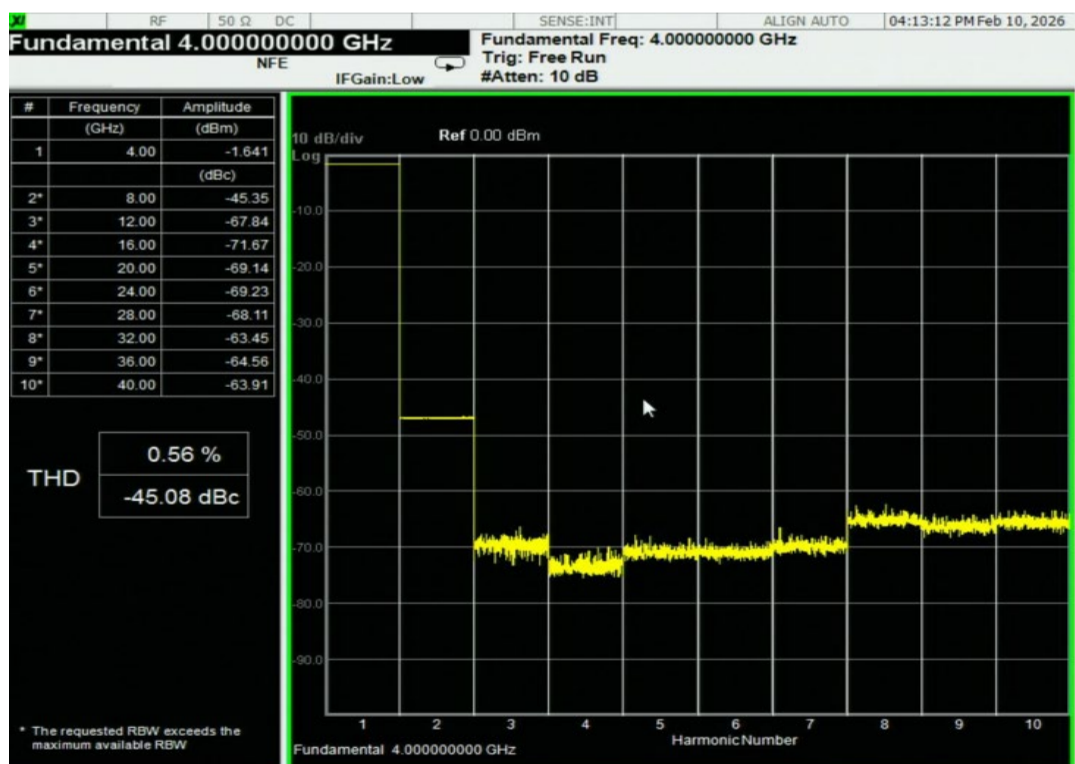
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Fundamental 10 MHz



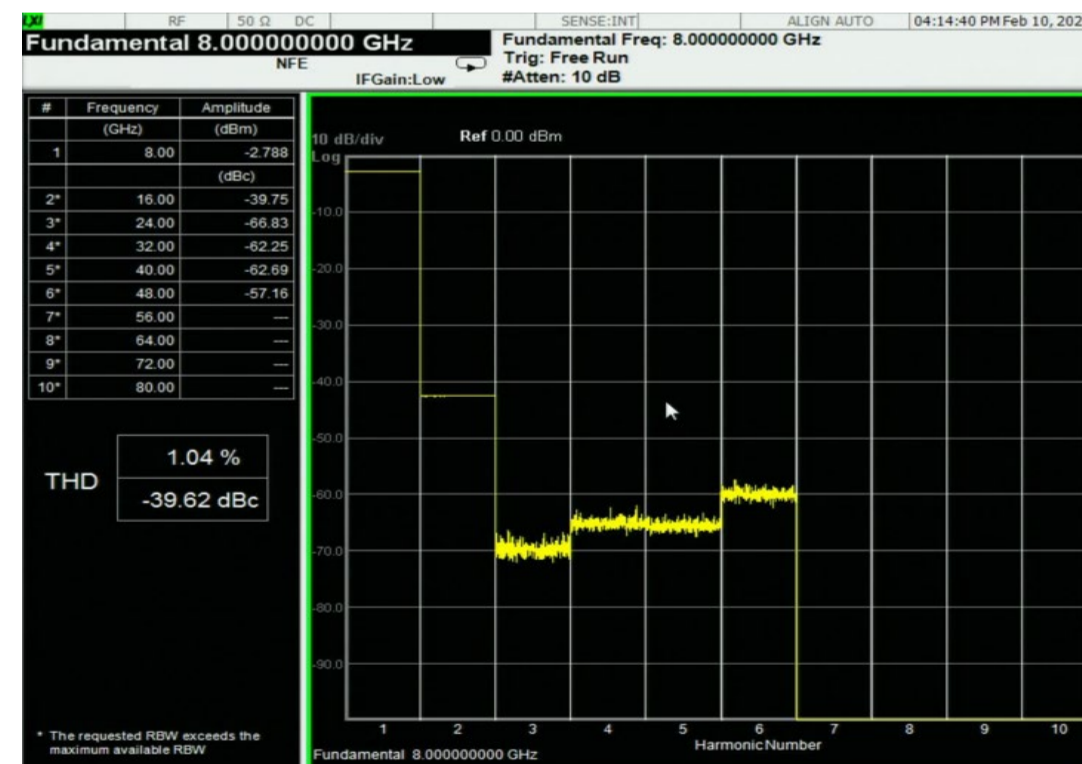
Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ -30 dBm Input Power  
Fundamental 2 GHz



Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ -30 dBm Input Power  
Fundamental 4 GHz

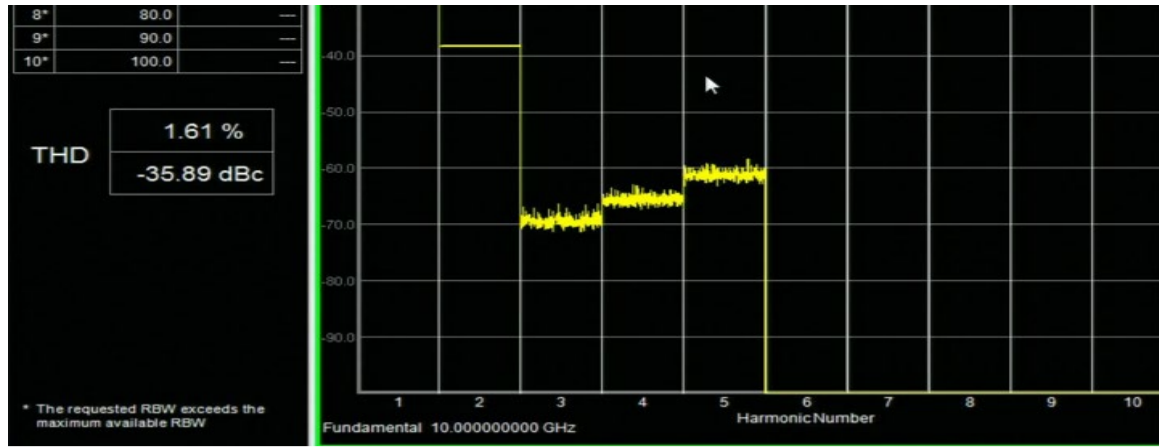


Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ -30 dBm Input Power  
Fundamental 8 GHz



Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ -30 dBm Input Power  
Fundamental 10 GHz





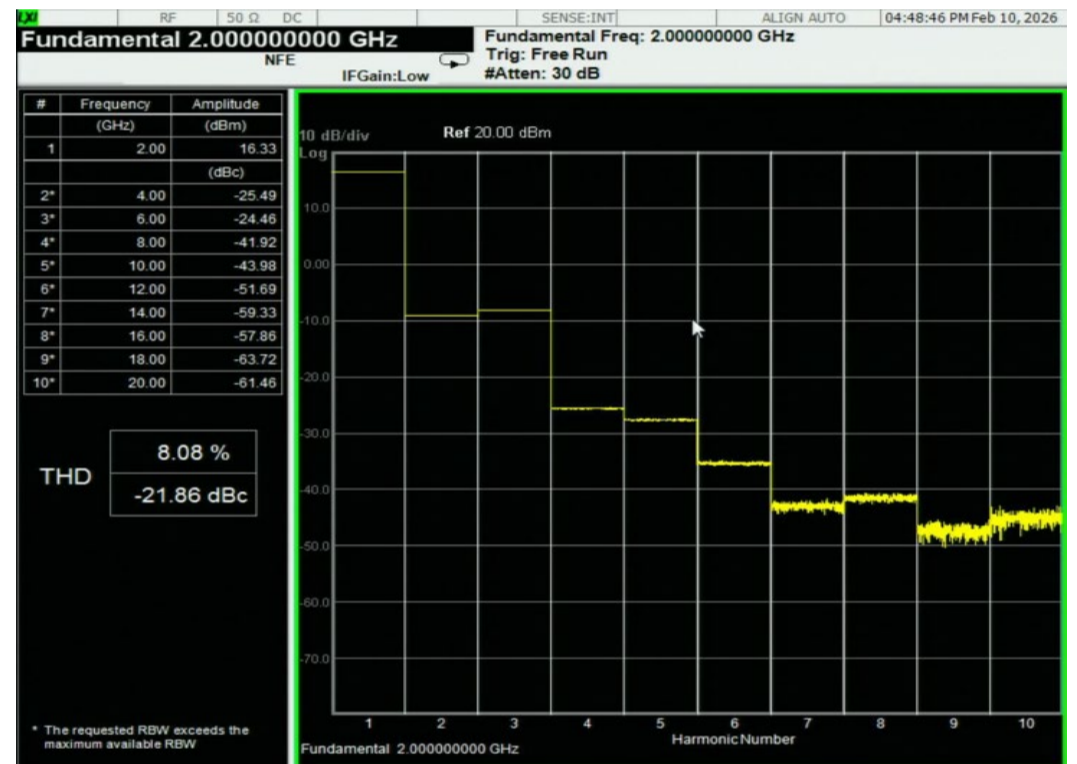
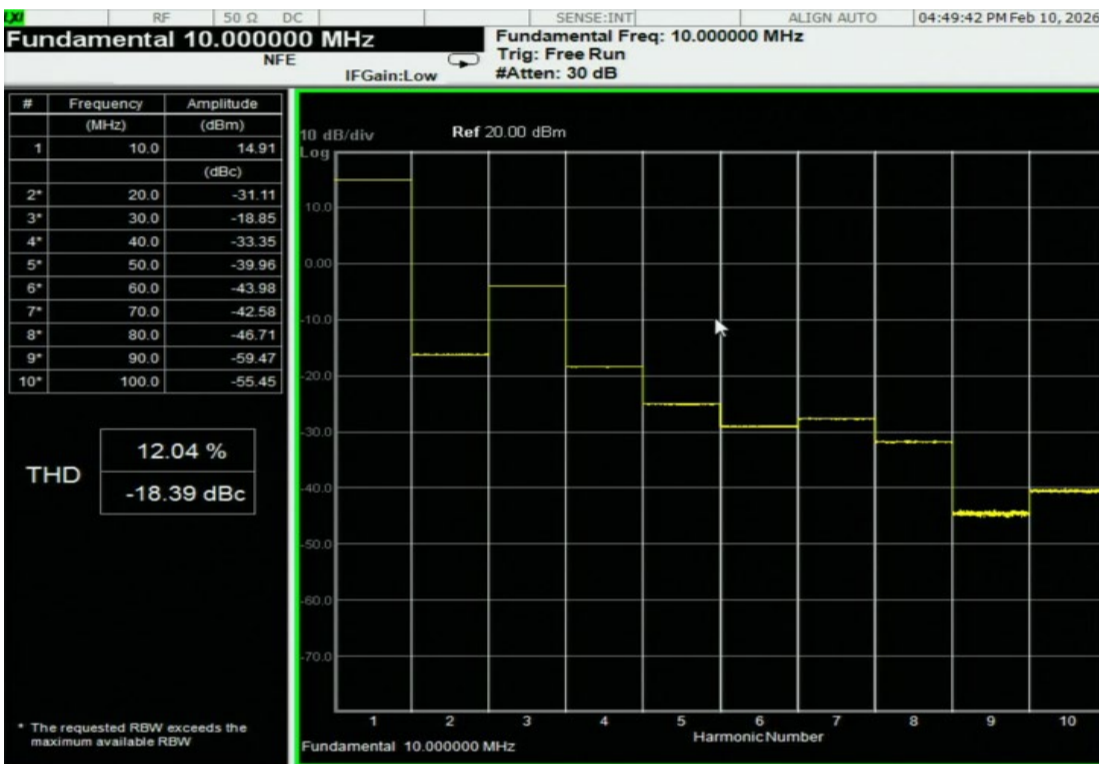
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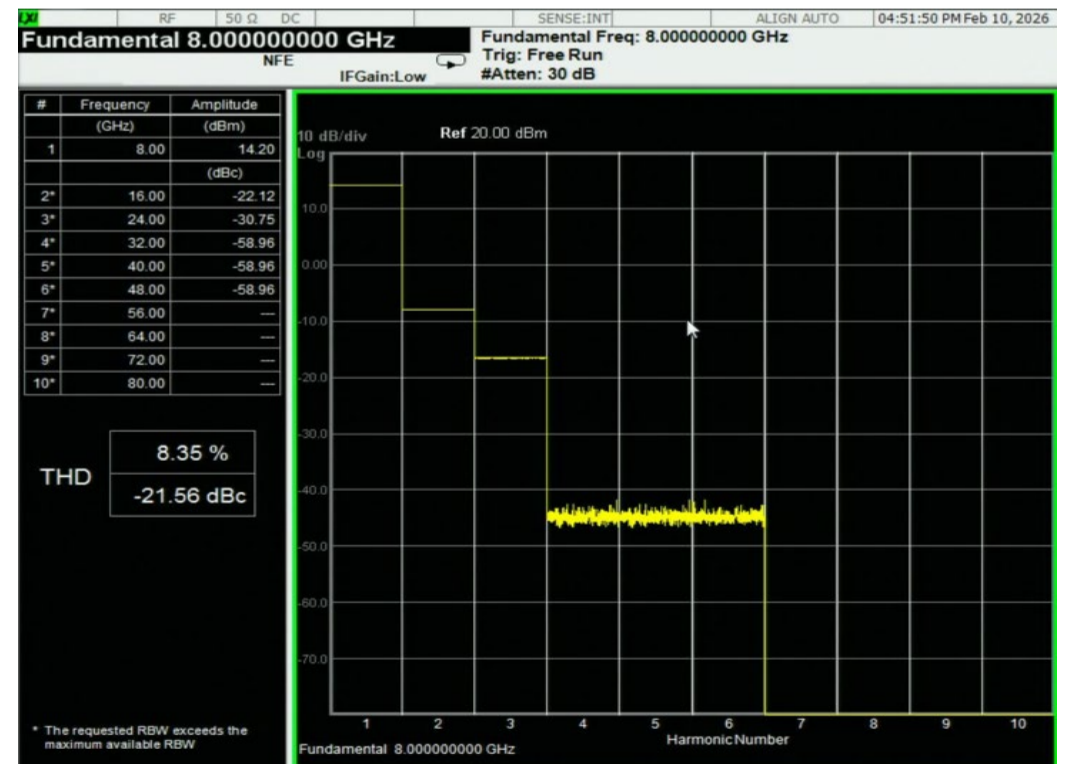
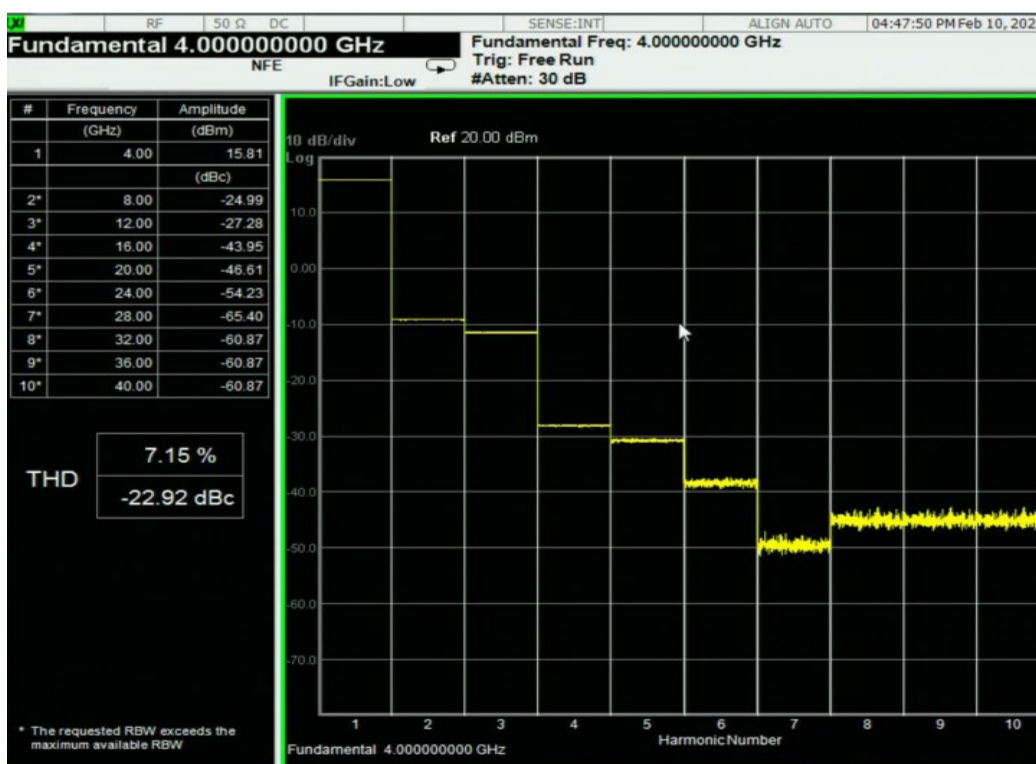
Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ P1dB  
Fundamental 10 MHz

Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ P1dB  
Fundamental 2 GHz

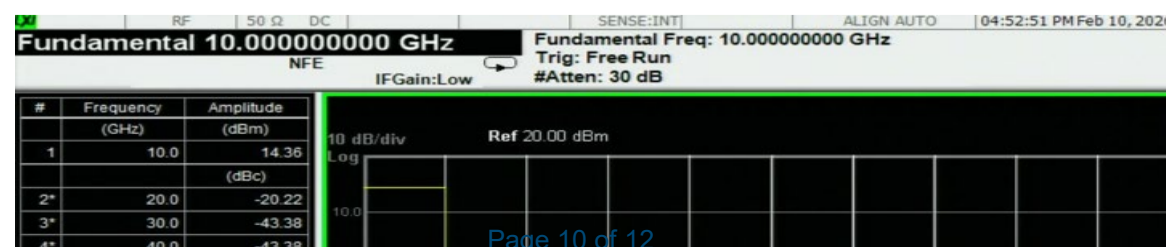


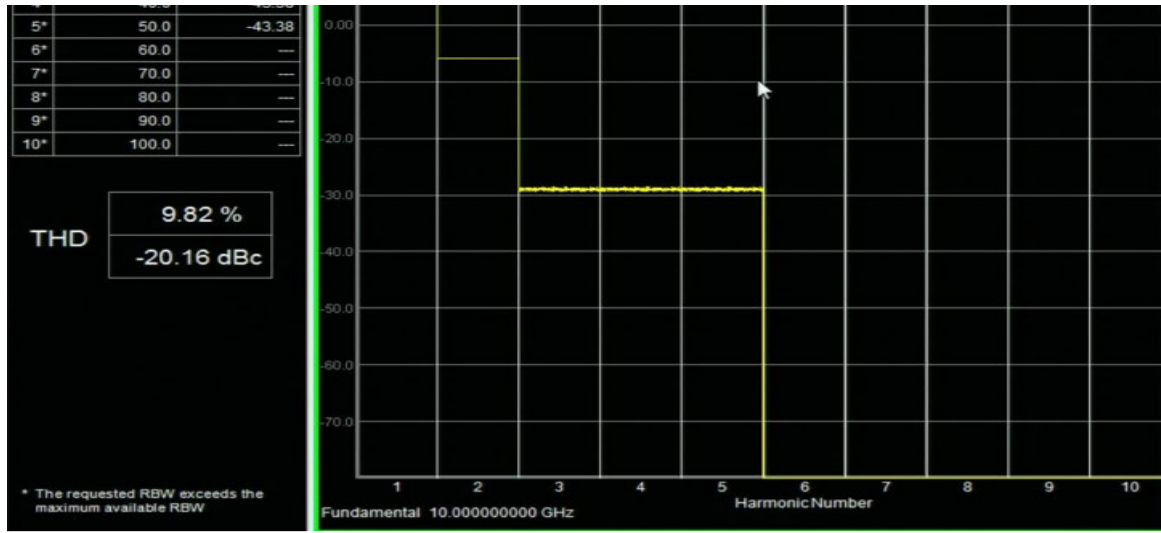
Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ P1dB  
Fundamental 4 GHz

Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ P1dB  
Fundamental 8 GHz



Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ P1dB  
Fundamental 10 GHz



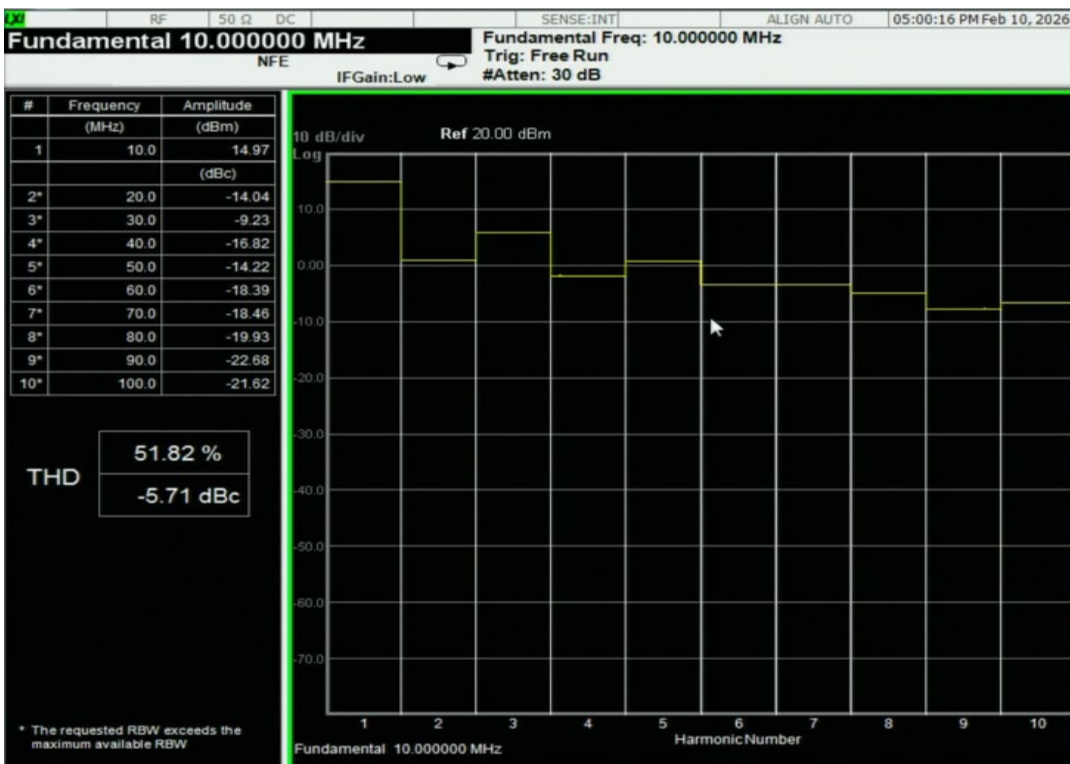


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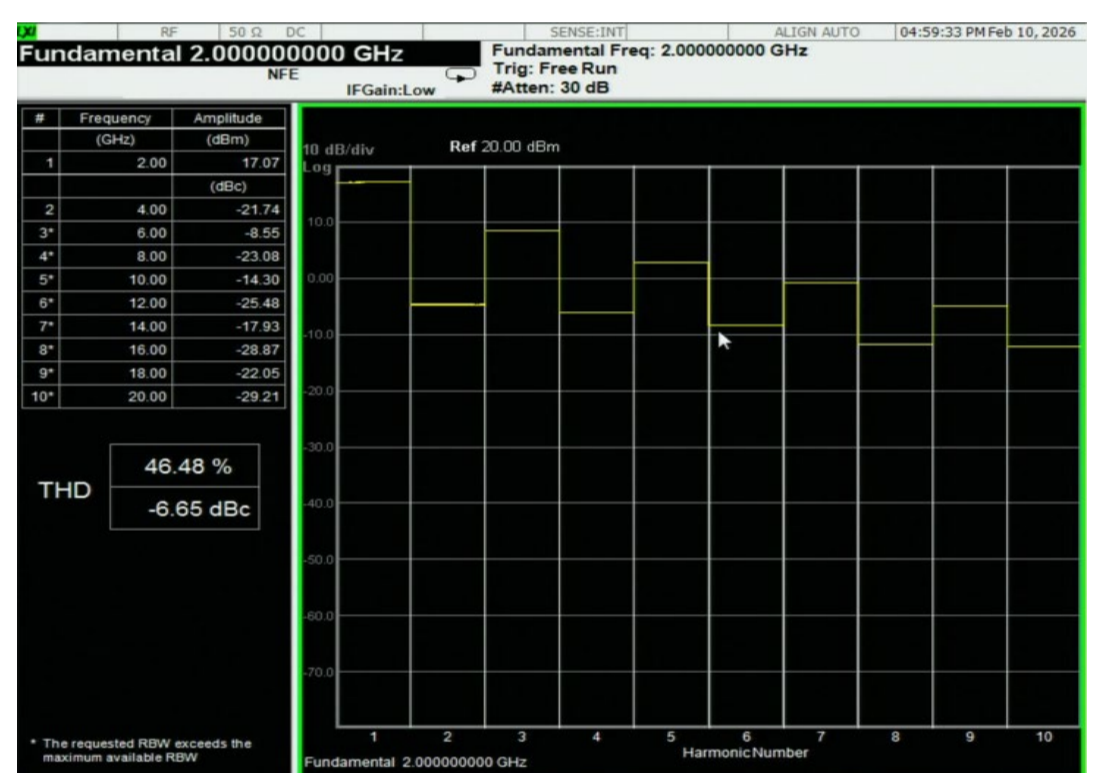


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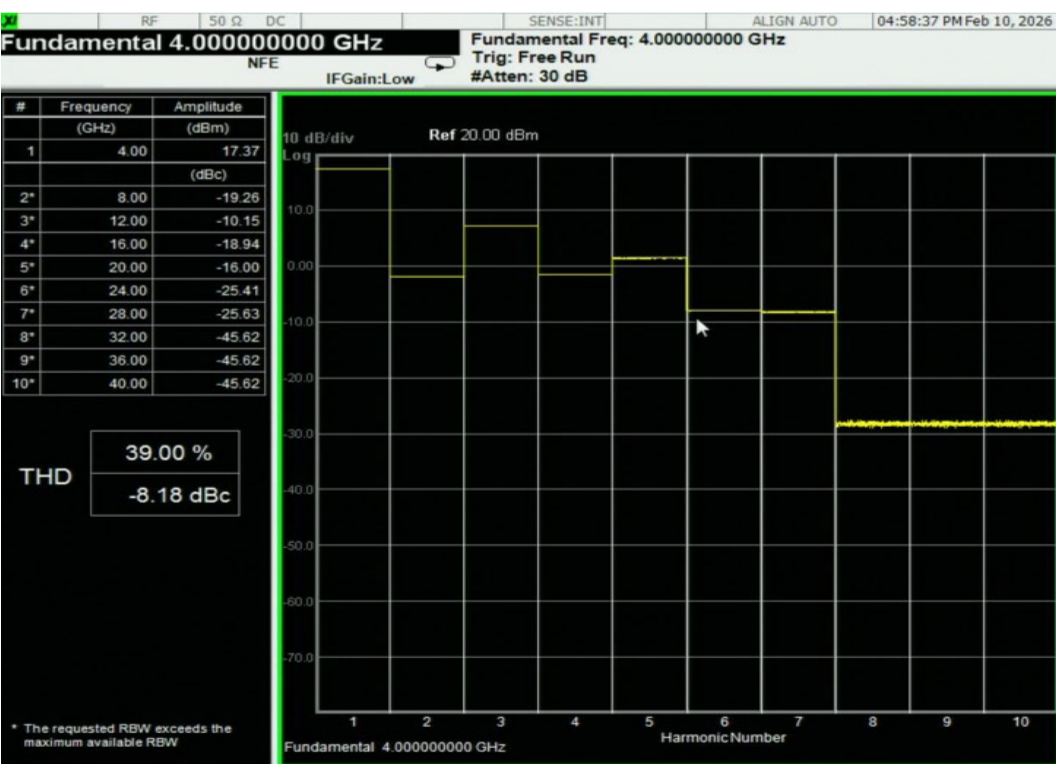
Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ Psat  
Fundamental 10 MHz



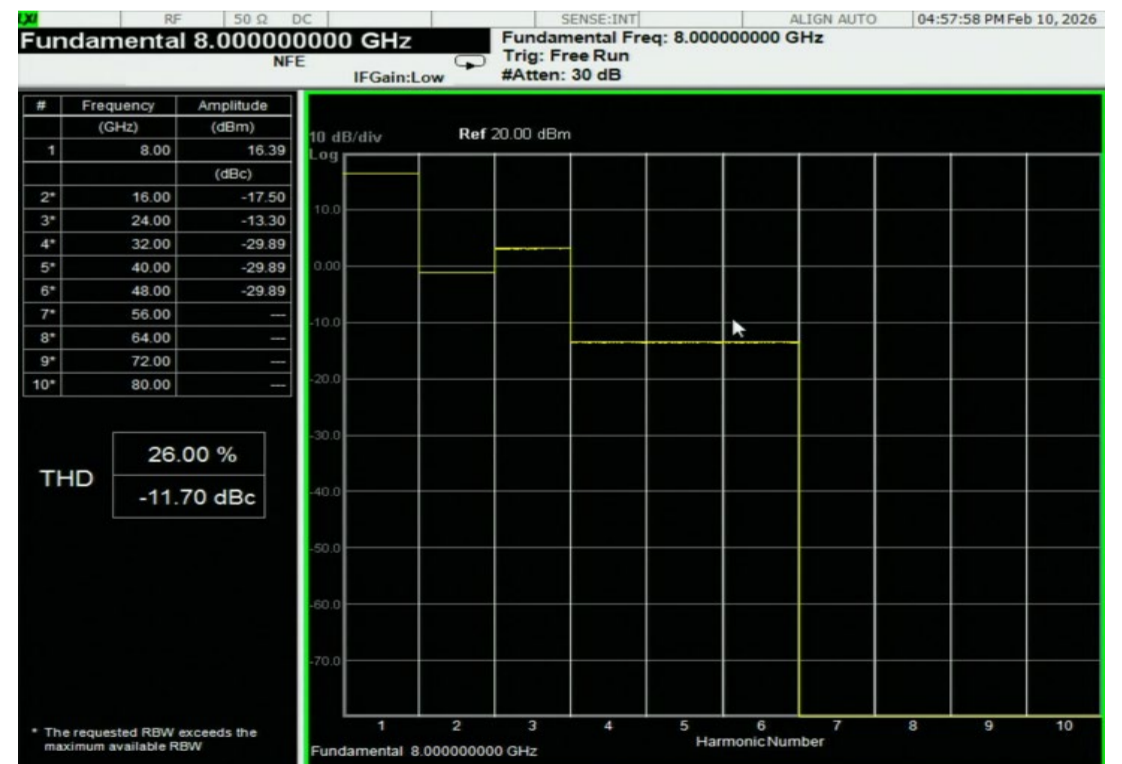
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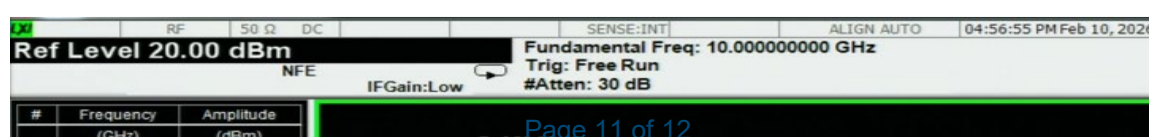
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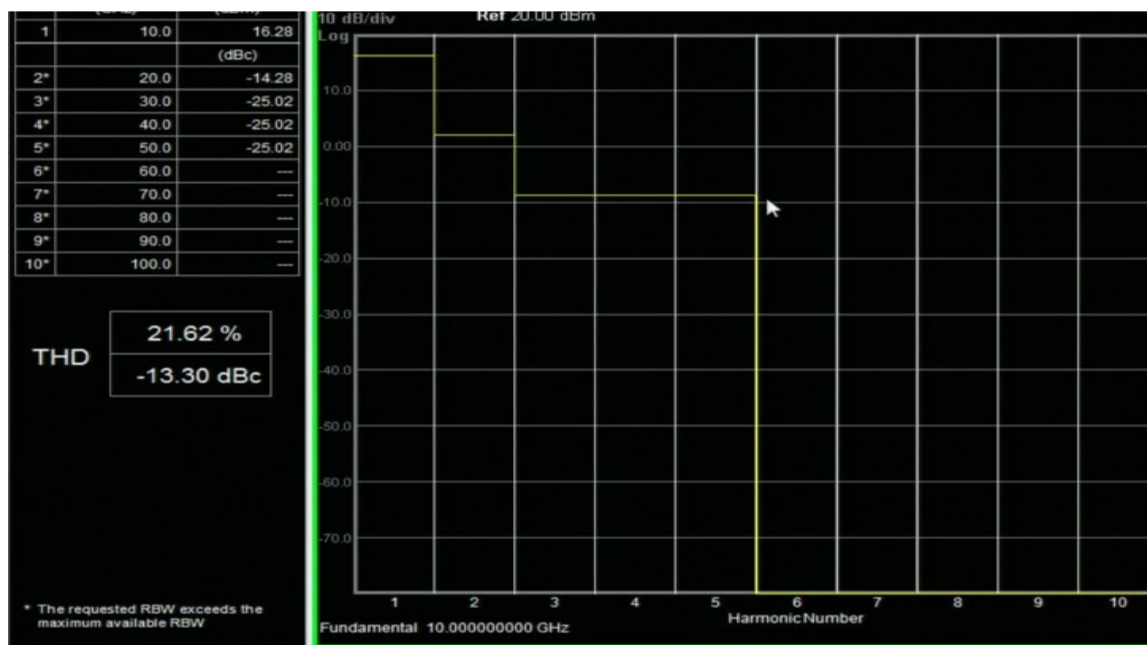


Second Harmonics Vs Frequency @ Psat  
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