



Robert W. B. Gerritsen (Inventor)  
Universiteitsweg 1, 6500 KU  
Princetonplein 4  
Utrecht  
Tel. 030-233111 ext.

DV 8000

## 8 CHANNEL VARIABLE DELAY

### FEATURES:

- \* 8 independent channels
- \* Delay adjustable from 10-50 ns
- \* Pulse-pair resolution <15 ns
- \* 2 non-inverting plus one inverting output
- \* Temperature instability <10 ps/deg. C

### APPLICATIONS:

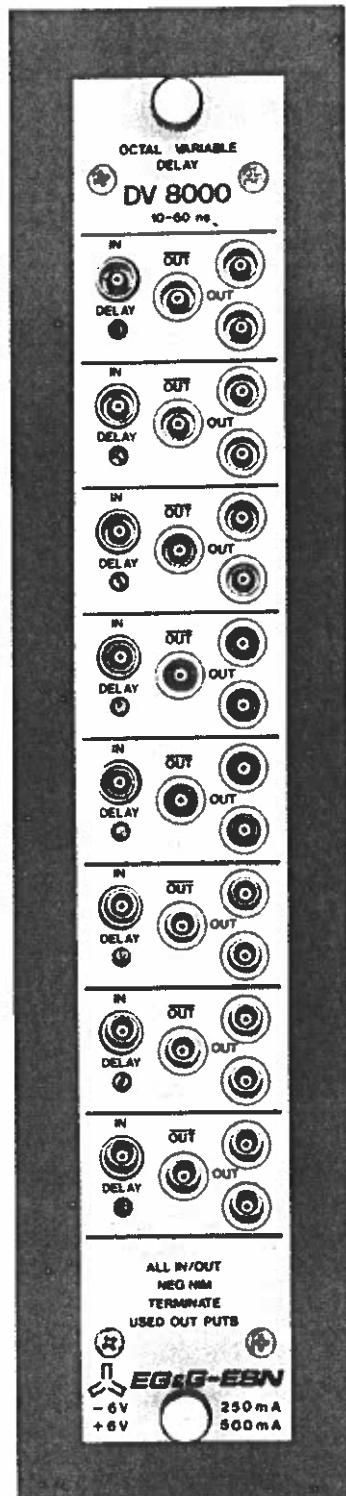
- \* Fast NIM logic delay alignment
- \* Timing experiments
- \* Cable delay replacement

The Model DV8000 Octal Variable Logic Delay provides a compact, reliable delay adjustment for aligning timing experiments. The unit contains 8 continuously variable logic delay circuits in a single-width NIM module.

The DV8000 is useful in applications where delay adjustments must be set with very fine resolution. A front-panel 20-turn screwdriver adjustment allows a delay adjustment range of 10-50 ns per channel.

Inputs must be negative Fast-NIM logic signals. A pair of non-inverting outputs plus one inverting output offer fan-out possibilities.

The Model DV8000 is temperature-compensated to give stability similar to that of a good quality cable. Logic-refresh circuitry in the DV 8000 maintains the logic signal at a strong level.



**SPECIFICATIONS:**

**DELAY ADJUSTMENT** (8 channels) 20-turn front-panel screwdriver adjustments allow precise setting of delay in range of 10-50 ns.

**PULSE PAIR RESOLUTION** less than 15 ns

**DELAY TEMPERATURE INSTABILITY** Less than +/-10 ps/deg.C averaged between 0 and +50 deg.C.

**INPUT** (8 channels) Front-panel LEMO connectors accept negative Fast-NIM logic signals. Minimum amplitude, -400 mV.; minimum width, 10 ns FWHM; Input impedance ,50 Ohms.

**OUTPUT** (OUT and OUT) 2 non-inverting and one inverting negative Fast-NIM logic output per channel. Nominal -16 mA output ; risetime and falltime, 3 ns typically; output width is same as input width.

**ELECTRICAL/MECHANICAL**

**POWER REQUIRED** +6 V, 620 mA  
-6 V, 1 mA

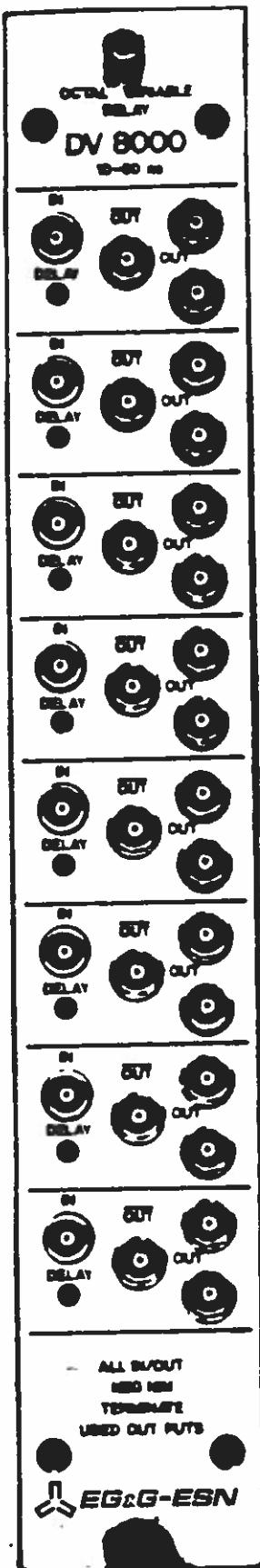
**WEIGHT** 0.5 kg

**DIMENSIONS** NIM single-width module, 3.3x22.1 cm front panel.



For more information on EG&G products and their applications contact your local representative or United States EG&GORTEC, 100 Midland Rd Oak Ridge, TN 37830 telephone (615) 482-4411 telex 55-7450 Canada: EG&G Instruments Div. Ontario telephone (416) 475-8420 telex 389-6966615 West Germany: EG&G Instruments GmbH, Munich telephone 089-926920 telex 52825 France: EG&G Instruments S.A.R.L. Evry Cedex telephone 06-077-93-66 telex 680785 United Kingdom: EG&G Instruments Ltd. Bracknell telephone 0344-471931 telex 847164 Italy: EG&G Instruments s.r.l. Milan telephone 02-738-6294 telex 320377 The Netherlands: EG&G Instruments B.V. AB Nieuwegein telephone 30-887520 telex 40830 Japan: SEIKO EG&G Co. Ltd. Koto-Ku, Tokyo telephone 03-638-1506 telex 781-02622410

DV 8000  
OCTAL VARIABLE DELAY  
FOR FAST NIM SIGNALS  
(DELAY=18 TO 52 ns )



DELAY VARIABLE FROM 18 TO 52ns  
VIA FRONT-PANEL SCREWDRIVER-DELAYLINE

FAST NIM INPUT  
THRESHOLD -400mV  
MINIMUM WIDTH 10 ns  
50 TERMINATED

CAUTION: TO AVOID DAMAGE DO NOT  
OVERWIND SCREWDRIVER DELAYLINE

TWO FAST NIM OUTPUTS  
(-16mA=-0,8v IN 50 )  
RISETIME 3ns  
OUTPUT WIDTH=INPUT WIDTH

ONE COMPLEMENTARY FAST NIM  
OUTPUT  
(-16mA=- 0,8V IN 50 )  
RISETIME  
OUTPUT WIDTH=INPUT WIDTH

TERMINATE USED OUTPUTS

TERMINATE DEPENDANCE  
6ps /° C

CURRENT REQUIREMENTS -6V AT 620mA  
+6V AT 0.5mA

## D V 8000

### O C T A L   V A R I A B L E   D E L A Y

#### Specifications:

- 8 channels of Delay per single width NIM module
- Lemo connectors on front panel
- FAST NIM INPUT (once per channel)
  - threshold - 400 mV
  - minimum width 10 ns FWHM
  - 50 Ohm terminated
  - direct coupling
- Two FAST NIM OUTPUTS per channel
  - 16 mA = - 0.8 V in 50 Ohm
  - risetime 3 ns
  - termination of used outputs necessary
- One Complementary FAST NIM Output per channel
  - 16 mA = - 0.8 V in 50 Ohm
  - risetime 3 ns
  - termination of used outputs necessary
- Delay continuously variable from 18 to 52 ns
  - via front panel screw driver delay line ( 40 turn)
- Double pulse resolution less than 15 ns
- Variation of Delay with temperature less than 6 ps/ $^{\circ}$ C
- power requirements
  - 6 V              620 mA
  - + 6 V              0.5 mA

## Test procedure for DV 8000

1. Measure current on -6V power line.

Should be approx. 620 mA

Measure current on +6V power line.

Should be approx. 0.4 mA

2. Measure voltage on -2V line.

Should be -1.95V to -2.15V

3. Threshold adjustment.

a) Input threshold

Monitor  $V_{IN}$  with a DVM and using pot. P1 adjust for -1.15V

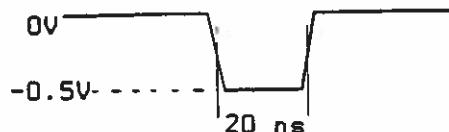
b) Increasing the temperature compensation

Using DVM, measure resistance between pins 2 & 6 of IC 3130.  
Adjust for 3 k $\Omega$  using pot. P3.

c) Offset for temperature compensation

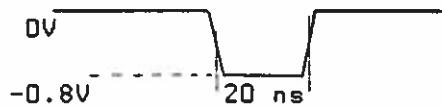
Monitor  $V_{BS}$  with a DVM and using pot. P2 adjust for -1.35V

4. Input signal



Rise and fall times approx. 2 ns. Pulse width 20 ns. Negative signal, -0.5V.

Input above signal to channel 1. Trigger the oscilloscope with the input signal and look at the signal from connector "OUT". (terminate with 50  $\Omega$ )  
Signal shape should be as follows:-



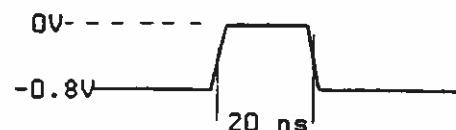
The output signal width should be the same as input signal.  
Continuously monitor the output signal and adjust the channel 1 front panel pot. over full range. The delay range should be:-

min. approx. 16 ns  
max. approx. 53 ns

Note values for future reference.

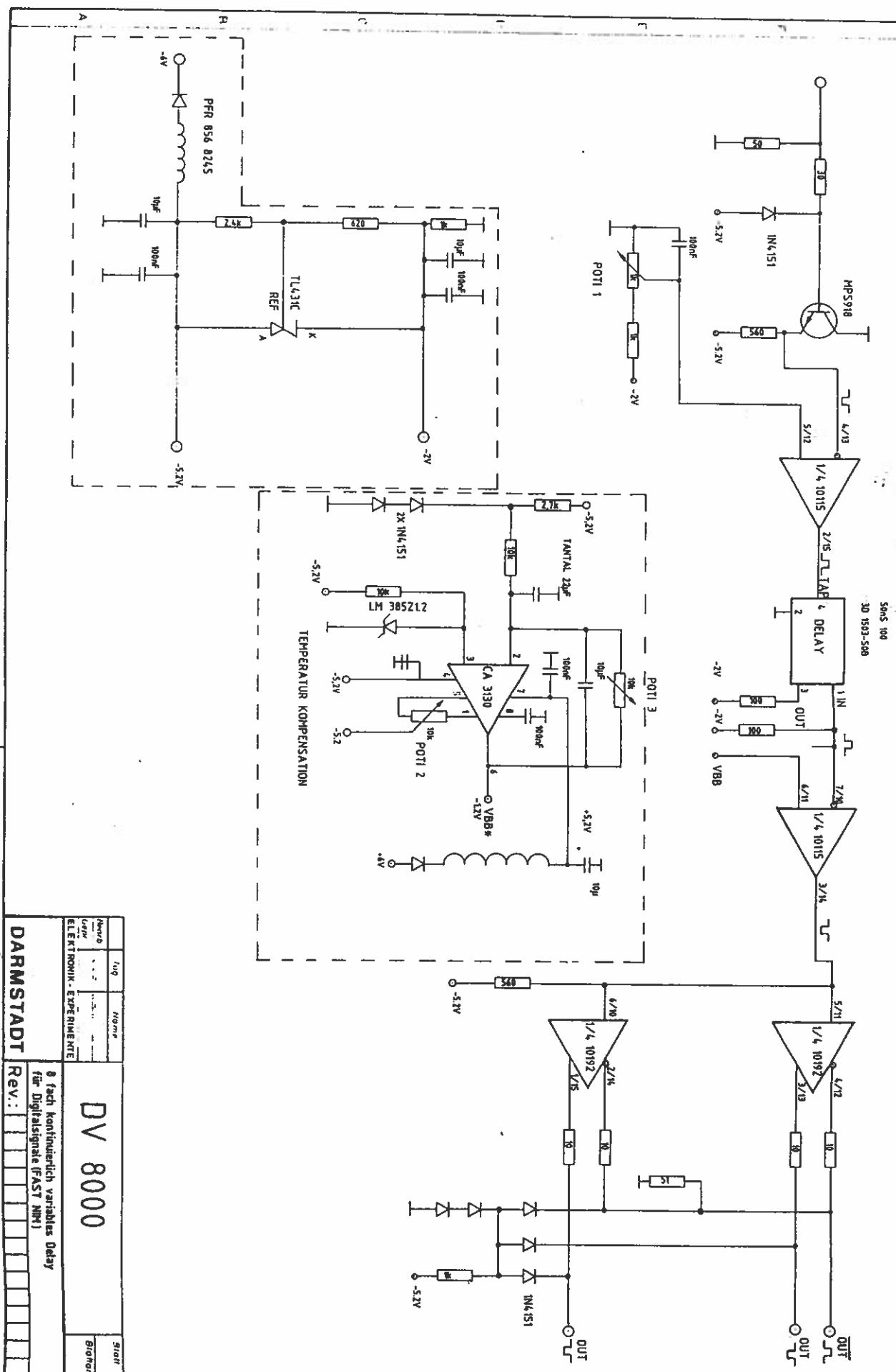
Repeat for the second "OUT" output and check that the results are identical.

Repeat procedure for the channel 1 "OUT" output. The pulse form should be as follows:-



Check over full adjustment range of unit and note results. Delays should be identical to those already seen.

Repeat entire procedure for channels 2 - 8.



|                         |                         |          |          |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Hersteller              | 119                     | Modell   | DV 8000  |
| Leistung                | ...                     | Spannung | Strom    |
| ELEKTRONIK- EXPERTINNEN | ELEKTRONIK- EXPERTINNEN |          | Steigung |

8 fach Kontinuierlich variables Delay  
für Digitalsignale (FAST NM)

Rev.: \_\_\_\_\_





| POS | QTY | PART # | TYPE               | VALUE | FORM | DESCRIPTION | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL PRICE | COMMENTS |
|-----|-----|--------|--------------------|-------|------|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| 47  | 4   | 19277  | ABSTANDSBOLZE      | 3,2   | x 1  |             |            |             |          |
| 48  | 2   | 19162  | GEWINDENIEHTBUCHSE |       |      |             |            |             |          |
| 49  | 2   | 19163  | RÄNDELSCHRAUBE     |       |      |             |            |             |          |
| 50  | 1   | 19231  | FRONTPLATTE        | 1/12  | NIM  |             | DV 8000    |             |          |
| 51  | 1   | 19222  | KASSETTE           | 1/12  | NIM  |             | DV 8000    |             |          |

|                   |              |         |
|-------------------|--------------|---------|
| BILL OF MATERIAL: | MODULE:      | PAGE:   |
| EGG-ESN           | DV 8000      | 3<br>of |
| COMMENTS:         | DESCRIPTION: |         |
|                   |              |         |
|                   |              |         |
|                   |              |         |