

## **Revision History**

Date	Version	Rev	vision
2/4/2021	6.01.01.36	1.	Allowed one channel to modulate the other
		2.	Supported Burst in TrueArb mode
		3.	Supported Burst Counter in Burst mode so the number of
			burst trains can be set to > 1 when trigger source = external
			or manual
		4.	Added an option to let the SDG start with activated outputs
		5.	Added 50 ohm output impedance text in the UI
		6.	Able to remember the digit of a parameter that had been
			modified
		7.	Fixed several bugs:
			a) DDS interpolation bug
			b) Switching on/off output causes random phase deviation
			between channels in Track mode
			c) Incorrect square/pulse waveform initialization in some
			cases
			d) Unable to store the level settings for noise
			e) Unable to recognize the command MODE
			PHASE-LOCKED
			f) Freezing issue when being written a 20MB long file with
			the EasyWaveX
			g) The setting "BANDSET" with Waveform = NOISE leads
			to inconsistent behavior on the Noise Bandwidth of the
			output signal; The real-time noise bandwidth on channel
			2 is changed if an AM sine modulation is switched on
			channel 1
			h) Unable to install the IQ option before 30 trials run out
9/17/2019	6.01.01.35R5B1	1.	Changed the upper limit of carrier frequency (sine) in Burst
			mode from 300 MHz to 500 MHz
		2.	Added some missing SCPI commands
		3.	Fixed several bugs:
			a) Messed up signal after switching from 500 MHz sine to
			square in independent mode
			b) Glitches when outputting pulses under certain
			circumstances in independent mode
5/6/2019	6.01.01.33R2	1.	Removed the warning message when parameter is set to a
			value beyond the limit
		2.	Supported to copy/paste/delete folder in Store/Recall file
			manager
		3.	Optimized initialization time when the waveform is switched
			between IQ and other waveforms
		4.	Supported phase compensation in IQ mode



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		5. Fixed several bugs:
		a) [2018/09/14-924144, 2018/09/14-937446] Signals get
		interrupted upon timing-related change of the settings in
		Independent mode
		b) Anomaly on square/pulse waveform with some setting
		c) [2018/11/06-92208] Anomaly on arb waveform when
		toggle the "ArbMode" from DDS to TrueArb and back
		to DDS in Independent mode
7/20/2018	6.01.01.29R10	1. Optimized TrueArb algorithm and added 3 types of
		interpolation: sinc, sinc27 and sinc13
		2. Optimized jitter performance of Square and Pulse
		3. Optimized algorithm of Noise generating so the bandwidth
		setting lower limit of Noise optimized from 80 MHz to 1 mHz
		4. [2017/12/22-174663] Changed the clock switch strategy:
		When the clock source is set to External and no actual
		external clock signal is being received, the clock source will
		not switch to Internal automatically but the clock icon
		will indicate that external clock is lost
		5. [2017/12/22-174663] Changed default state of 10 MHz Out to
		"Disable"
		6. Added Slave Delay option in Multi-Device Synchronization
		function
		7. Added indicator for double function of the soft keys
		Offset LowLevel    LowLevel
		8. Fixed the following bugs:
		a) Crashes when downloading 20 Mpts waveform data
		from the EasyWave program
		b) Inaccurate burst delay
		c) In TrueArb mode enabling AM with large amplitude may
		trigger OVP
		d) Switching the waveform from IQ to sine with large
		amplitude may trigger OVP
		e) Switching off the output on the SDG6kX only drops the
		output level by approx 20 dB but does not completely
		switch it off
11/10/2017	6.01.01.28R1	The first formal release



## **Compatibility between Versions**

Source Version	<b>Object Version</b>	Compatibility
6.01.01.35R5B1	6.01.01.36	Tested
6.01.01.33R2	6.01.01.36	Tested
6.01.01.33R2	6.01.01.35R5B1	Tested
6.01.01.29R10	6.01.01.35R5B1	Tested
6.01.01.29R10	6.01.01.33R2	Tested
6.01.01.28R1	6.01.01.33R2	Tested



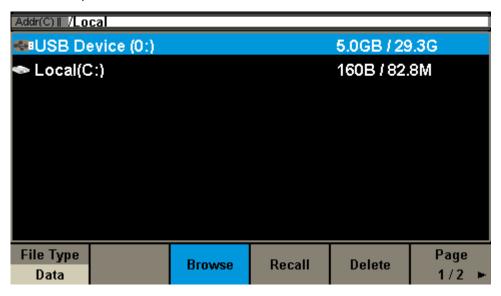
## **Update Instructions**

## WARNING: DO NOT shut off the instrument until the update is completed.

1. Copy the update file (\*.ads) to a FLASH type U-disk, and then connect the U-disk to the USB host port of the instrument.

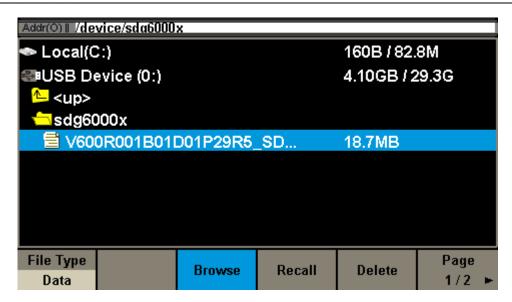


2. Press the Utility key on the front panel, and then softkey "System ->Page 1/2 -> Firmware Update", to enter the interface of the file browser.



3. Select "USB Device" thru the knob on the front panel, press "Browse", and then select the correct ads file using the knob





4. Press "Recall" to start the update. A progress bar is displayed during the update. After the update is completed, the generator will restart automatically.

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