

# Agilent 3458A Option 001 Installation Note

## Introduction

This document provides the procedure for installing the extended memory option 001 retrofit kit 03458-87901 □ (four RAM ICs, p/n 1818-3981) onto the controller assembly for a standard 3458A, serial number US2803151 and below. This converts the standard 03458-66505 controller assembly to 03458-66515. For a standard 3458A, serial number US2803152 and greater, do not use this kit. Use extended memory kit 03458-87902 instead for such units.

## Removing the Top Cover

1. Remove both rear handle brackets with a #2 Pozidrive.
2. Remove the rear bezel by loosening the four #15 TORX screws.
3. With the back of the instrument facing you, remove the #10 TORX screw securing the top cover to the right side. **NOTE:** This screw provides ground continuity to the cover.
4. Remove the top cover.

## **CAUTION**

Use safe, anti-static handling techniques when installing the four RAM ICs. See the Agilent □ 3458A Assembly-Level Repair Manual for further details.

## Installing the RAMs

5. Install the four RAMs U123, 124, 125, and 126 on the 03458-66505 Outguard Controller Assembly. Figure 1 shows the location of the four additional RAMs. This converts the assembly to an Option 001 03458-66515.
6. Install the 03458-66515 label on the PC board.

## Reinstalling the Top Cover

7. Reverse steps 1 through 4 to install the top cover, rear bezel, and handle brackets (securing the handles). **NOTE:** The screw removed in step 3 must be reinstalled to provide ground continuity to the cover. See warning on page 2.

## Mark Option on the Rear Panel

8. Black in the option 001 square on the rear panel to indicate the option is now installed.



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## WARNING

The screw removed in step 3 MUST be re-installed to provide ground continuity to the cover. Failure to □ install this screw can allow voltages to be present on the cover, that under certain conditions could cause □ bodily injury or death.

