

Communications & Power Industries Helix Traveling Wave Tube



FEATURES:

- 700 W
- 13.75 - 14.50 GHz
- Coaxial input
- Waveguide output
- Weight: 25 lbs. max
- Air cooled

BENEFITS:

- High efficiency
 - Less prime power required (due to multiple stage collectors)
- PPM focusing

APPLICATIONS:

- Satellite uplinks
- Communications
- Instrumentation
- DBS (Direct Broadcast System)

Custom configurations are also available. These variations in the performance and configuration include:

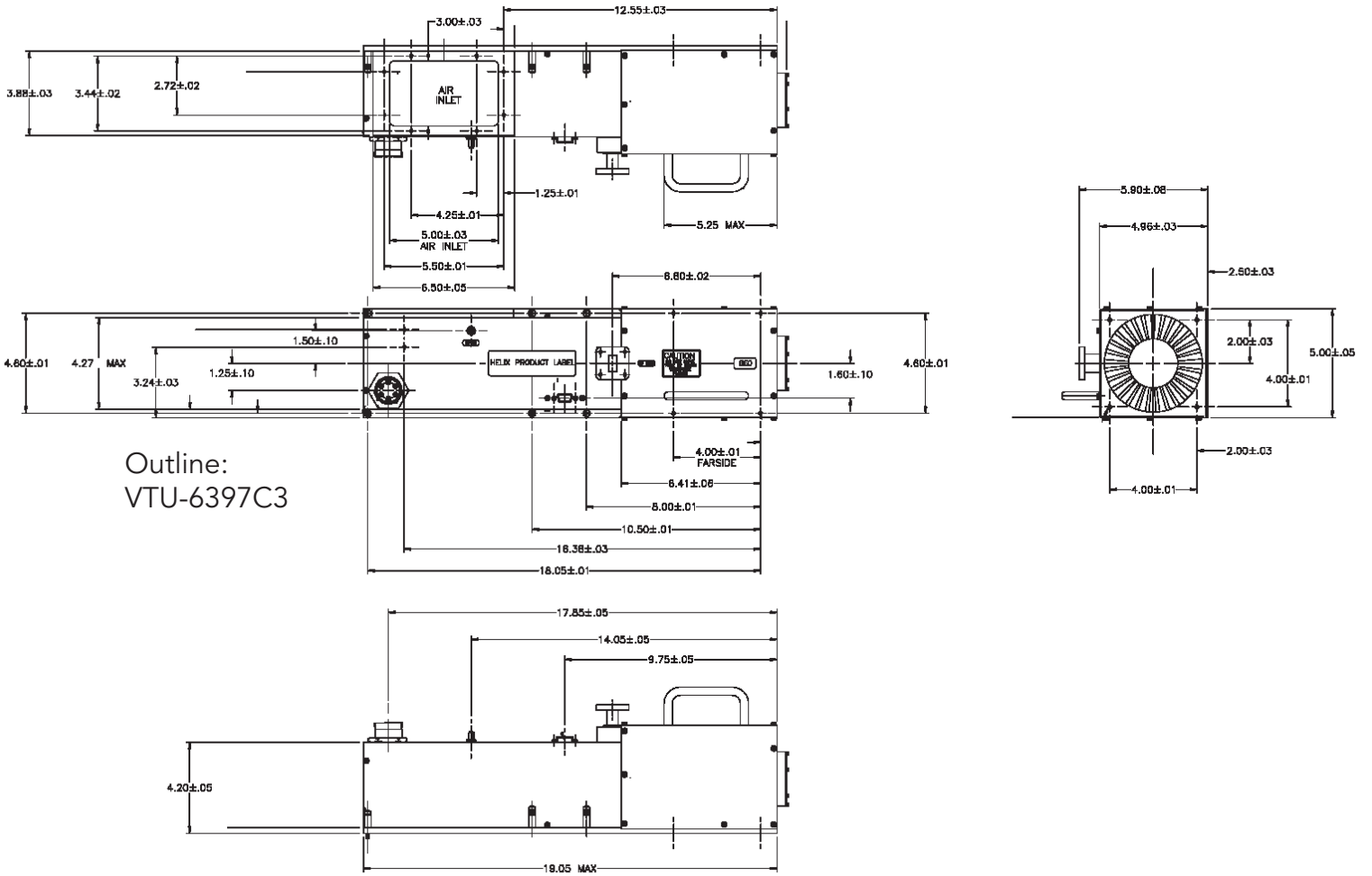
- mechanical configurations
- electrical and RF connections
- dual-stage depressed collector

	Frequency (GHz)	Power output (min)
VTU-6397C3	13.75 - 14.50	700 W

Typical Operating Parameters

	Minimum	Maximum	Typical	Units
Heater voltage	6.2	6.4	6.3	Vdc
Heater surge current	1.0	1.8	1.5	A
Helix voltage	11.8	12.5	12.4	kVdc
Helix current	---	10.0	---	mAdc
Collector voltage 1	51.0	53.0	52.0	%
Collector current 1	---	17 dc; 215 rf	30 dc; 240 rf	mAdc
Collector voltage 2	25.0	27.0	26.0	kVdc
Collector current 2	---	400 dc; 200 rf	---	mAdc
Heater warm-up time	3.0	---	---	minutes
Drive power	---	18	10	dBm
Prime power	---	2050	1950	W
Thermal temperature	---	1900	1350	W
Load VSWR	---	1.2:1	---	VSWR

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The data should be used for basic information only. Formal, controlled specifications may be obtained from CPI for use in equipment design.



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