LPC, LPX, LPKxxxxR Low-Power Solid-State Power Amplifier

Using technology developed for ModuMAX[™] amplifiers, these rack-mount SSPAs offer output powers of up to 50 watts in C-, X-, and Ku-Band satellite uplink bands

The SSPAs incorporate a modular architecture that includes the RF modules, power supplies, logic, fans, and front panel assembly. The amplifiers are designed for reliable service in fixed and mobile applications.

FEATURES:

- 25, 35, or 50 W saturated output power
- Digital gain adjustment (20 dB range)
- Forward power monitoring
- Microprocessor based monitor and control
- Serial interface (RS-232/-422/-485) stadard
- 10 Base-T network interface (SNMP)
- Integral 1:1 redundancy control
- RF output sample port

APPLICATIONS:

- Single-thread SSPA
- Redundant systems (1:1, 1:2)
- Fixed installations
- Mobile terminals
- Commercial, Government, and Military systems

ACCESSORIES:

RCP-2001 remote panel



Block Diagram



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Parameter	Notes	Specification			
	C-band, Standard ("D")	5.85 to 6.425 GHz			
	C-Band, Extended ("M")	5.85 to 6.725 GHz			
Frequency Range	X-Band, Standard ("B")	7.90 to 8.40 GHz			
	Ku-Band, Standard ("M") Ku-Band, Extended ("O")	14.00 to 14.50 GHz 13 75 to 14 50 GHz			
Gain, at Maximum Setting	Ru-Danu, Extended (O)	70 dB min., 75 dB max.			
Gain vs. Temperature	0 to 50° C	±0.75 max ±0.5 typical			
Gain Adjustment Range	Digital	20 dB min. in 0.1 dB steps			
Gain Flatness		±0.75 dB over the full band; ±0.30 dB over any 40 MHz			
	50 W C-Band	+47 dBm tvp. (50 W)			
	25 W C-Band	+44 dBm typ. (25 W)			
Saturated Power	50 W X-Band	+47 dBm typ. (50 W)			
Output	25 W X-Band	+44 dBm typ. (25 W)			
	25 W Ku-Band	+44 dBm typ. (25 W)			
	50 W C-Band	+46.5 dBm min. (45 W)			
	25 W C-Band	+43.5 dBm min. (22 W)			
Power Output at 1dB	50 W X-Band	+46.5 dBm min. (45 W)			
compression (P _{1 dB})	35 W Ku-Band	+43.5 dBm min. (22 W)			
	25 W Ku-Band	+44.5 dBm min. (20 W) +43.0 dBm min. (20 W)			
		-25 dBc max30 dBc typical at 3 dB total backoff from 1dB compression			
Two Tone Intermodulation		point			
Noise Figure		8 dB typical at maximum gain			
	C-Band, 5.85–6.425 GHz	-70 dBW/4 kHz			
Desideral Nation	C-Band, 3.4–4.2 GHz	-150 dBW/4 kHz			
Residual Noise	X-Band, 7.25–8.40 GHz Ku-Band, 13,75–14,50 GHz	-70 dBW/4 kHz -70 dBW/4 kHz			
	Ku-Band, 10.7–12.75 GHz	-120 dBW/4 kHz			
	Linear	0.03 ns/MHz			
Group Delay	Parabolic	0.003 ns/MHz ²			
	Кірріе	1.0 ns peak to peak			
AIVI/PIVI Conversion		2.5° /dB typical, 3.5° /dB at (P _{1 dB})			
Second Harmonic		-50 dBc typical at (r1dB)			
Spurious	Input	1 2:1 max. 1 2:1 typical			
VSWR	Output	1.5:1 max, 1.3:1 typical			
Front Panel Sample Ports	Output	-40 dB typical			
	RF Input	Type N Female			
	RF Output, C-Band RF Output, X-Band	CPR13/G Waveguide			
	RF Output, Ku-Band	WR75G Waveguide			
Connectors	Sample Port	Type N Female			
	Serial I/O	9-pos D-sub Female, mate supplied			
	System Network	15-pos D-sub, Male			
	Power	IEC-320			
	Voltage	100 to 240 VAC			
Power Requirements	Frequency	63 Hz max., 47 Hz min.			
	Power factor corrected				
	50 W C-Band	275 W typical, 375 W max. (1) 225 W typical, 325 W max. (1)			
	50 W X-Band	325 W typical, 400 W max. (1)			
Power Consumption	25 W X-Band	250 W typical, 350 W max. (1)			
	35 W Ku-Band	300 W typical, 350 W max. (1)			
	25 W Ku-Band	2/5 W typical, 325 W max. (1)			
Cooling System	Forced Air				
Operating Temperature Range	Ambient/Inlet air	0°C to +50°C			
Altitude Derating	10,000 ft (3000 m) max.	Derate 2°C per 1000 ft (300 m)			
Dimensions	See outline drawing	3.5" H x 19" W x 22" D; 89 mm H x 483 mm W x 559 mm D			
(1) Cold start at -40 °C	and Pour in saturation				





Outline Drawing, SSPA (C-Band shown, other bands are similar)



Outline Drawing, Typical 1:1 Redundant System (C-Band shown, other bands are similar)







Outline 20024



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Part Number/Ordering Information, Single-Thread SSPAs



Part Number/Ordering Information, 1:1 Redundant Systems*



* Performance specifications of a redundant system depend on the installed configuration and optional accessories. Contact the factory for more information and for 1:2 system capabilities.



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