



MT3200A

TRAVELING WAVE TUBE MEDIUM POWER
AMPLIFIER

FOR SATELLITE UPLINK APPLICATIONS

C-BAND: 400W
X-BAND: 400W
Ku-BAND: 400W
DBS-BAND: 270W
DUAL C-/Ku-BAND: 325W
DUAL Ku-/DBS-BAND: 350W



AVAILABLE SYSTEM OPTIONS:

- MT3211A 1 + 1 Redundant System
- MT3212A 1 + 2 Redundant System
- MT32PCA Phase Combined, Single Path Redundant System
- MT32PC2A Phase Combined, Dual Path Redundant System

Other Configurations Available Upon Request

AVAILABLE AMPLIFIER OPTIONS:

- Controller Bypass
- Parallel Remote Interface
- Manual Attenuator
- Internal Linearizer
- Extended Band Operations
- Remote Panel
- Sub Band Linearizer Optimization
- Output Isolator
- Block Upconverter (select models)

FEATURES:

- Reduced Depth
- Output RF Power Hold
- Easily Accessible Diagnostic Port
- Programmable Alarms
- Event And Maintenance Logs
- Ethernet Interface
- Field Replaceable Modules For Unsurpassed Serviceability
- Closed-Loop Forced Air Cooling
- Typical Phase Noise 12 dB Below IESS-308
- Control Dial For Easy Set-Up And Adjustment

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS	DBS-BAND		DUAL C-/Ku-BAND		DUAL Ku-/DBS-BAND			
	270 W		C-BAND	Ku-BAND	Ku-BAND	DBS-BAND		
Frequency Range (F ₀) (Standard): (Extended):	17.3 - 18.4 GHz —		5.850 - 6.425 GHz —	13.75 - 14.50 GHz —	14.0 - 14.5 GHz	17.3 - 18.4 GHz —		
Output Power (min.): Tube Output Flange: HPA Output Flange:	270 W (54.3 dBm) 230 W (53.6 dBm)		325 W (55.1 dBm) 290 W (54.6 dBm)	325 W (55.1 dBm) 290 W (54.6 dBm)	350 W (55.4 dBm) 310 W (54.9 dBm)	300 W (54.8 dBm) 265 W (54.2 dBm)		
Gain: At Rated Power (min.): Small Signal Gain (SSG) (typ.): Attenuation Range: Maximum SSG Variation Over: Narrow Band: Per 500 MHz: Slope, Max.: Gain Stability:	70 dB 83 dB 32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.) 1.0 dB/80 MHz 4.0 dB ±0.04 dB/MHz ±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)		62 dB 67 dB 32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.) 1.5 dB/40 MHz 2.5 dB ±0.04 dB/MHz ±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)	62 dB 67 dB 32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.) 1.3 dB/80 MHz 2.5 dB ±0.04 dB/MHz ±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)	60 dB 70dB 32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.) 1.0 dB/80 MHz 4.0 dB ±0.04 dB/MHz ±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)			
Stability, Any Freq. Over Entire Temp.: Stability, Any Freq. ±10°C:			±1 dB typ. ±0.75 dB max.					
Input VSWR:	1.20:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms							
Output VSWR: Without Isolator: With Isolator:	N/A 1.25:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms		— —		2.2:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms —			
Load VSWR:	2.0:1 max. without damage, continuous							
AM/PM Conversion: At Rated Power: 6 dB Below Rated Power:	8.0°/dB 2.5°/dB		6.0°/dB 2.5°/dB		— 3.0°/dB			
Residual AM Noise, Max.: Below 10 kHz: 10 - 500 kHz: Above 500 kHz:	-50 dBc -20 (1.5 + Log ₁₀ f kHz) dBc -85 dBc max.							
Harmonic Output, Max.:	-60 dBc		75 W max. at -6 dB back-off	-12 dBc	-60 dBc			
Noise & Spurious, Max.: Receive Band (Standard): (Extended): Transmit Band (F ₀):	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 10.7 - 12.75 GHz N/A		-65 dBW/4 kHz, 3.4 - 4.2 GHz N/A	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 10.7 - 12.5 GHz N/A	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 10.7 - 12.75 GHz N/A			
	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 12.75 - 21.00 GHz		-65 dBW/4 kHz, 5.85 - 6.425 GHz	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 13.75 - 14.5 GHz	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 12.75 - 21.00 GHz			
Phase Noise: AC Fundamental: Sum Of All Except AC Fundamental:	10 dB below IESS Phase Noise Profile -50 dBc -47 dBc							
Intermodulation (for 2 equal carriers relative to single carrier rated output): with Linearizer Option:	Total P ₀ -4 dB -7 dB -4 dB	IM Product -18 dBc -24 dBc -27 dBc	Total P ₀ -4 dB — —	IM Product -24 dBc — —	Total P ₀ — -7 dB —	IM Product — -24 dBc —	Total P ₀ -4 dB — -7 dB	IM Product -16 dBc — -22 dBc
Group Delay: Linear: Parabolic: Ripple:	Any 80 MHz Bandwidth		Any 40 MHz Bandwidth	Any 80 MHz Bandwidth				
			0.01 ns/MHz 0.005 ns/MHz ² 0.5 ns p-p					
Prime Power: Voltage: Power Consumption (at Rated RF Out): Power Factor: In-Rush: Input Transients:	1.3 KVA typ. 25A max.@ 120 VAC line		100 - 264 VAC, 1-phase, 47 - 63 Hz 1.9 KVA typ. 0.95 min. 30A max.@ 120 VAC line EN61000-4-4, 4-5, 4-11 (Surge, Fast Transients, Line Dropout)					

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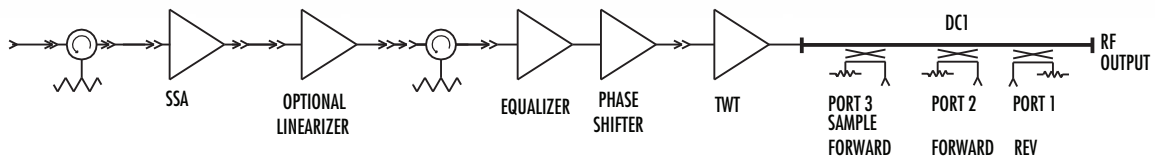
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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS	C-BAND	X-BAND	Ku-BAND
	400 W	400 W	400 W
Frequency Range (F ₀) (Standard): (Extended):	5.850 - 6.650 GHz Option: 5.850 - 7.10 GHz	7.9 - 8.4 GHz -	13.75 - 14.50 GHz Option: 12.75 - 14.50 GHz
Output Power (min.): Tube Output Flange: HPA Output Flange:	400 W (56.0 dBm) 360 W (55.5 dBm)	400 W (56.0 dBm) 360 W (55.5 dBm)	400 W (56.0 dBm) 360 W (55.5 dBm)
Gain:			
At Rated Power (min.):	73 dB	75 dB	73 dB
Small Signal Gain (SSG) (typ.):	86 dB	91 dB	86 dB
Attenuation Range:	32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.)	32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.)	32 dB (0.1 dB Inc.)
Maximum SSG Variation Over:			
Narrow Band:	1.0 dB/40 MHz	1.0 dB/40 MHz	1.0 dB/80 MHz
Per 500 MHz:	2.5 dB	2.5 dB	2.5 dB
Slope, Max.:	±0.03 dB/MHz	±0.03 dB/MHz	±0.04 dB/MHz
Gain Stability:	±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)	±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)	±0.25 dB/24 hr. max. (constant drive, line voltage and temp.)
Stability, Any Freq. Over Entire Temp.:		±1 dB typ.	
Stability, Any Freq. ±10°C:		±0.75 dB max.	
Input VSWR:		1.20:1 max. with respect to 50 Ohms	
Output VSWR:			
Without Isolator:	1.60:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms	1.60:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms	1.60:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms
With Isolator (option):	1.25:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms	1.25:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms	1.25:1 max. with respect to 50 ohms
Load VSWR:		2.0:1 max. without damage, continuous	
AM/PM Conversion:			
At Rated Power:		6.0°/dB	
6 dB Below Rated Power:		2.5°/dB	
Residual AM Noise, Max.:			
Below 10 kHz:		-50 dBc	
10 - 500 kHz:		-20 (1.5 + Log _f kHz) dBc	
Above 500 kHz:		-85 dBc max.	
Harmonic Output, Max.:		-60 dBc	
Noise & Spurious, Max.:			
Receive Band (Standard):	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 3.4 - 4.2 GHz	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 7.25 - 7.75 GHz	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 10.7 - 12.75 GHz
(Extended):	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 3.4 - 4.2 GHz	-	-150 dBW/4 kHz, 10.7 - 11.7 GHz
Transmit Band (F ₀):	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 4.2 - 12.0 GHz	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 7.9 - 10.0 GHz	-65 dBW/4 kHz, 12.75 - 18.50 GHz
Phase Noise:		10 dB below IESS Phase Noise Profile	
AC Fundamental:		-50 dBc	
Sum Of All Except AC Fundamental:		-47 dBc	
Intermodulation (for 2 equal carriers relative to single carrier rated output): with Linearizer Option:		Total P ₀ -4 dB -7 dB -4 dB	IM Product -18 dBc -24 dBc -27 dBc
Group Delay:		Any 40 MHz Bandwidth	Any 80 MHz Bandwidth
Linear:		0.01 ns/MHz	0.01 ns/MHz
Parabolic:		0.005 ns/MHz ²	0.005 ns/MHz ²
Ripple:		0.5 ns p-p	0.5 ns p-p
Prime Power:			
Voltage:		100 - 264 VAC, 1-phase, 47 - 63 Hz	
Power Consumption (at Rated RF Out):		1.5 KVA typ.	
Power Factor:		0.95 min.	
In-Rush:		28A max. @120 VAC line	
Input Transients:		EN61000-4-4, 4-5, 4-11 (Surge, Fast Transients, Line Dropout)	

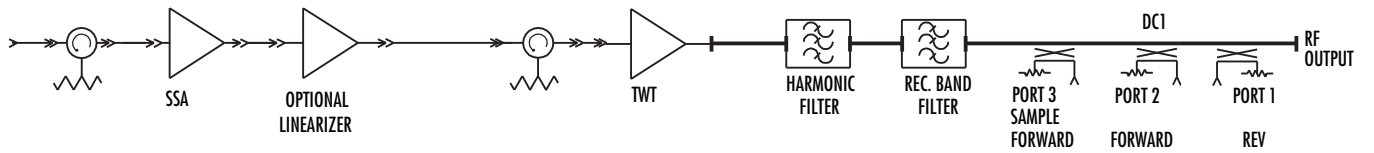
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RF BLOCK DIAGRAMS

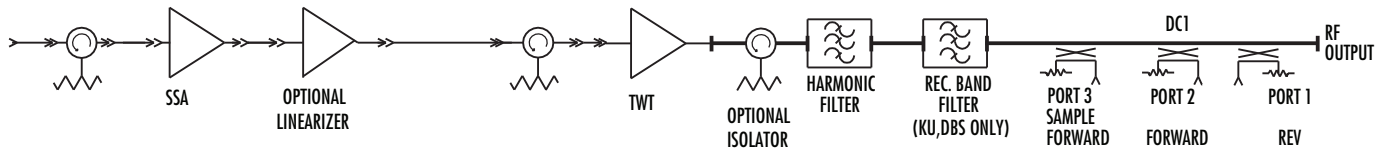
DUAL-BAND, C/Ku



DUAL-BAND, Ku/DBS



C, Ku, DBS BAND

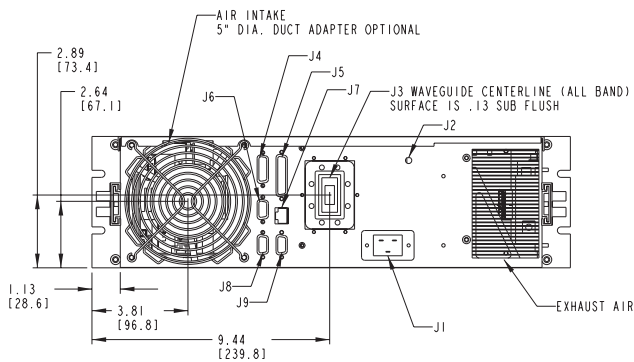
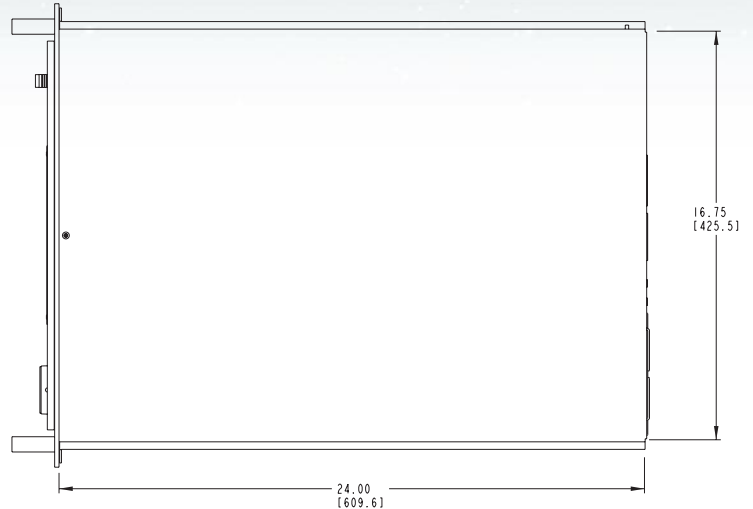
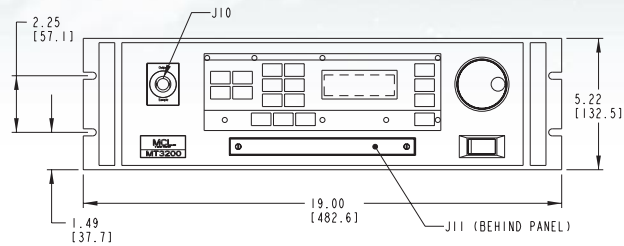


CONTROL AND STATUS CAPABILITIES

TYPE	FUNCTION		
Controls	Filament ON/OFF/Delay Transmit/Standby RF ON/OFF Reset Attenuation	Units Select Hold Power ON/OFF Auto Switching (1:1) Manual Switching (1:1) Set Time/Date	Fault Counter ON/OFF/Time Antenna Position (1:1) Load Position (1:1) Local/Remote/Computer
Adjustable Parameters	Auto Power Tube Temperature Alarm RF Low Alarm Comm Address Date	Tube Overdrive Alarm RF Reflected Power Alarm RF High Alarm Comm Band Rate Time	Tube Overdrive Fault RF Reflected Power Fault Filament Under Current Fault Comm Protocol Linearizer Band Selection
Displays	RF Forward Power Helix Voltage Filament Delay	Tube Drive Helix Current Tube Temperature	RF Reflected Power Filament Current PS Temperature
Faults (Notification, RF & HV Shutdown)	Tube Temperature Switch Tube Temperature Analog Helix Run Current HV Under Voltage User Interlock	WG Pressure WG Arc Helix Surge Current HV Over Voltage	Arc Test Failed PS Temperature Chassis Interlock Filament Under Current
Alarms (Notification Only)	RF High RF Reflected Blower Failed Exciter	RF Low Tube Temperature AC Low Line	Tube Overdrive PS Temperature RF Switch Failed
Additional Status	Delay Summary Alarm Computer Tx Remote Rx Maintenance Log	Transmit Selected Summary Fault Computer Rx Event Log	Sampler Port Cal Table RF Low Switching ON/OFF Remote Tx Fault Log

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OUTLINE DRAWING



CONNECTOR CHART

DSGN	DESCRIPTION	CONNECTOR
J1	AC INPUT	3P, AC, IEC 320 C-20
J2	RF INPUT	SMA FEMALE
J3	RF OUTPUT	WAVEGUIDE FLANGE
J4	USER INTERFACE	"D" CONN. 15 PIN
J5	SWITCHOVER INTERFACE	"D" CONN. 25 PIN
J6	REMOTE (RS485)	"D" CONN. 9 PIN
J7	ETHERNET	RJ45
J8	COMPUTER (RS232)	"D" CONN. 9 PIN
J9	COMPUTER (RS485)	"D" CONN. 9 PIN
J10	RF SAMPLE	N TYPE FEMALE
J11	DIAGNOSTIC INTERFACE	"D" CONN. 9 PIN

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Operating Temperature:

-10°C to +50°C (derated 1.9°C per 1,000 ft. above sea level)

Non-Operating Temperature:

-40°C to +70°C

Relative Humidity:

95%, non-condensing

Operating Altitude:

10,000 ft. above sea level (3,048 m)

Non-Operating Altitude:

50,000 ft. above sea level (15,000 m)

Vibration:

Basic Transportation Method 514.4 of MIL-STD-810E Procedure 1, Figures 514.4-1, 514.4-2, 514.4-3

Shock:

10g, 11ms half sine pulse along each of 3 orthogonal axes

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

RF Connectors:

Input: Type SMA female

Output: (Waveguide Flange)

C-Band: CPR137F

X-Band: WR112F

Ku-Band: WR75F

DBS-Band: WR62F

Dual-Band C-/Ku: WRD-580D28

Dual-Band Ku-/DBS: WR62F

Installed Weight:

65 lbs. nominal

Cooling:

Closed-loop forced air with integral blower

Acoustic Noise:

<65 dBA at 1 meter (from front panel)

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions:

5.25" H (3RU) (134 mm)

19.00" W (483 mm)

24.00" L (610 mm)

Air Flow:

100 CFM

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