The Model 5S4G18 is a portable, self-contained, air-cooled, broadband, completely solid-state amplifier designed for applications where instantaneous bandwidth, high gain and linearity are required. The Model 5S4G18, when used with a sweep generator, will provide a minimum of 5 watts of RF power instantaneously from 4 to 18 GHz. The unit is designed for benchtop use, but can be removed from the cabinet for immediate equipment rack mounting. The 5 watt model can be expanded in an incremental fashion to 10, 20 or 40 watts inside the same cabinet.

The Model 5S4G18 is equipped with a Digital Control Panel (DCP) which provides both local and remote control of the amplifier. The DCP uses a graphic Liquid Crystal Display, menu assigned softkeys, a single rotary knob, and a dedicated power on/off switch to offer extensive control and status reporting capability. The display provides gain setting and reports of internal amplifier status. Special features include a gain control and input overdrive protection.

All amplifier control functions and status indications are available remotely in GPIB/IEEE-488 format, RS-232 hardwire and fiber optic, USB, and Ethernet. The bus interface connector is located on the back panel and positive control of local or remote operation is assured by a keylock on the front panel of the amplifier.

The Model 5S4G18 is designed to have low spurious signals, linearity and is extremely load tolerant which enables it to be used in many RF applications such as: RF susceptibility testing, antenna/component testing, and communication technology testing. It can be used as a test instrument covering multiple frequency bands and is suitable for a variety of communication technologies such as CDMA, W-CDMA, TDMA, GSM, UWB, WiMAX etc.
SPECIFICATIONS, 5S4G18

RATED POWER OUTPUT ....................................................... 5 watts minimum (5–18 GHz), 3 watts minimum (4–5 GHz)

POWER OUTPUT @ 3dB COMPRESSION
Nominal ................................................................. 7 watts
Minimum .............................................................. 5 watts (5–18 GHz), 3 watts (4–5 GHz)

POWER OUTPUT @ 1dB COMPRESSION
Nominal ................................................................. 6 watts (5-18 GHz), 4 watts (4-5 GHz)
Minimum .............................................................. 5 watts (5-18 GHz), 2 watts (4-5 GHz)

FLATNESS .................................................................... ±3.0 dB typical
±4.0 dB maximum

FREQUENCY RESPONSE ............................................... 4–18 GHz instantaneously

INPUT FOR RATED OUTPUT ........................................... 1.0 milliwatt maximum, 0 dBm

GAIN (at maximum setting) ............................................ 37 dB minimum

GAIN ADJUSTMENT (Continuous Range) ....................... 10 dB minimum

INPUT IMPEDANCE ....................................................... 50 ohms, VSWR 2.5:1 maximum

OUTPUT IMPEDANCE ................................................... 50 ohms, nominal

MISMATCH TOLERANCE * ............................................ 100% of rated power without foldback. Will operate without damage or oscillation with any magnitude and phase of source and load impedance.

MODULATION CAPABILITY ........................................... Will faithfully reproduce AM, FM, or pulse modulation appearing on the input signal.

HARMONIC DISTORTION ............................................. Minus 20 dBc maximum at 5 watts (5–18 GHz), at 3 watts (4–5 GHz)

THIRD ORDER INTERCEPT POINT .................................. 44 dBm typical

PRIMARY POWER (selected automatically) ....................... 90–132, 180–264 VAC
50/60 Hz, single phase
<550 watts maximum

CONNECTORS
RF INPUT & OUTPUT .................................................. See Model Configurations
REMOTE INTERFACES
IEEE-488 ........................................................................ 24 pin female
RS-232 ........................................................................... 9 pin Subminiature D (female)
RS-232 (Fiber-optic) ................................................... Type ST
USB 2.0 ........................................................................... Type B
Ethernet ........................................................................ RJ-45

SAFETY INTERLOCK ...................................................... 15 Pin Subminiature D

COOLING ....................................................................... Forced air (self contained fans)

SIZE .............................................................................. 50.3 X 24.9 X 54.6cm (19.8 x 9.8 x 21.5 in)

WEIGHT
with enclosure removed for rack mounting .................... 19 kg (42 lb)
with enclosure .......................................................... 29 kg (64 lb)

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*Limited to 8–18GHz.