DESCRIPTION

The A600 series of high power, linear broadband microwave amplifiers provide the user with proven reliable instrumentation for a wide variety of test and system applications. Each amplifier features regulation of the helix, filament and grid power supplies, thus providing stable operation and long life for the TWTs.

The TWT is fully protected against power supply malfunctions such as helix overcurrent, the power supply is designed to incorporate depressed collector TWTs as manufactured by several suppliers, allowing for wide flexibility in meeting your needs.

Optionally, the TWTAs can be supplied with complete input and output VSWR protection.

FEATURES

- **Monitors**
  - Collector Current Voltage
  - Helix Current Meter

- **Status Indicators**
  - Power On
  - RF Standby/On
  - **Faults:**
    - Helix Overcurrent
    - VSWR Overload
    - Power Supply Thermal Overload
    - TWT Thermal Overload
    - Air Flow

- **Controls**
  - Power On/Off
  - RF Standby/On
  - Fault Reset
  - Local/Remote

- **Ease of Maintenance**
- **Designed to meet the safety requirements of IEC-348 and UL1419**
- **Broadband Frequency**

APPLICATIONS

- **EMC Susceptibility Testing**
- **Communications**
- General Laboratory Instrumentation
- System Amplifiers
- Threat Simulation
- Antenna Patterns Testing
- High Power Component Testing

### RF SPECIFICATIONS

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*Higher output power and gains available

**Spurious:** -40 dBc (-50 dBc available)
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In/Out Impedance: 50 Ohms
In/Out VSWR: 2.5:1 Maximum
Residual AM/FM: 1% maximum (-40dBc)

RF Connectors:
Frequency: Input Output
1.0 - 8.0 Type N Type N
8.0 - 12.4 Type N WR90
12.4 - 18.0 Type N WR62
8.0 - 18.0 Type N WRD750
Location: Front Panel Front Panel

ENVIRONMENTAL
Operating Temperature: 0 to 50°C (40°C @ 10,000 feet)
Relative Humidity: 95% (noncondensing)
Operating Altitude: 10,000 feet Maximum
NonOperating Temp.: -20 to 70°C
NonOperating Altitude: 50,000 feet Maximum

PRIME POWER
208 VAC, ±10%, Three Phase, 50/60 Hz, 2.5 kVA maximum

MECHANICAL
Dimensions: 14" H x 17" W x 25" D
(356mm x 432mm x 635mm) Rack Mount
Weight: 175 pounds (79.6 kg)
Cooling: Internal Forced Air
Air Intake: Front Panel
Air Exhaust: Rear Panel

REMOTE OPERATION
Standard: Operating mode control and status monitoring via dedicated circuits.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE
Option 03: Reflected Power Cutoff VSWR Protection (1)
Option 04-XX: Alternate Prime Power (2)
Option 07: Input Pin diode Pulse Modulator with 40 dB Isolation, 15ns rise/fall times (1)
Option 09: Integral Input Isolator (1)
Option 10: Relay Remote
Option 10-1: IEEE-488 GPIB Remote
Option 12: RF Sample of the output (-50 dBc) (1)
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Option 13: Chassis Slides for Standard 19" Rack Mounting
Option 14: Internal Preamplifier for rated power @ less than 0 input.
Option 15: Input Attenuator; 20 dB range (1)
Option 18: RF Input/Output Connectors on the Rear Panel

Other options available (2)

NOTES:
(1) Option may affect rated output power and gain
(2) Consult factory for features and other functions
(3) Typically -46 dBc AM; -55 dBc FM