

Indoor Rack Mount

GaN Solid State Power Amplifiers 5RU Rack Height



Teledyne Paradise Datacom has a rich history in the design and production of Gallium Nitride (GaN) based SSPAs. Our engineers utilize innovative linearization techniques that enable GaN amplifiers to produce linear output power with the same efficiency as tube based amplifier systems. A complete family of Satcom amplifiers has been developed that cover S-Band through Ku-Band.

GaN amplifiers have a superior set of mutually beneficial characteristics, including:

- Higher Output Power
- Greater Power-Added Efficiency
- High Reliability

These GaN amplifier modules are installed in a 5RU (8.75 inch high) Chassis, which features a front panel touchscreen display and five fault condition indicators that reflect some of the SSPA major fault states. Local/Remote and Mute/Unmute indicators show the current control mode and mute state of the amplifier.

A full compliment of remote monitor and control of the amplifier is available at the rear panel, including: RS-232/RS-485; Ethernet, with UDP and SNMP control; Web Browser TCP/IP; and Discrete hardware (parallel port) signals.

650W X-Band 5RU SSPA Chassis (requires 1RU power supply)

FEATURES

- Extremely High Power Density:
 - to 1.6 kW L-Band to 1.6 kW S-Band to 1.6 kW X-Band to 1.6 kW C-Band
 - to 1.0 kW Ku-Band
- Removable Fan Tray and M&C Card Assembly
- Remote Communication via RS232/485 or Ethernet
- RF Output Sample Port
- 20 dB Gain Adjustment
- 1RU N+1 Power Supply
- Color Touchscreen Display
- True RF Output Power
 Measurement
- Built-in Maintenance
 Switch Controller
- Hot/Cold Standby operating modes for reduced power consumption

OPTIONS

- Remote Control Panel
- L-Band Input operation
 - Reflected Power Monitor
 - Input Sample Port
 - Exhaust Duct Adapters
 - Redundant Systems
 - Phase Combined Systems

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Specifications, L-Band SSPAs				
PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS	
Frequency Range	Frequency selection "A"	1.750 to 1.850	GHz	
Output Power Typical, P _{sat} Guaranteed minimum, P _{Linear} ¹	Model Number (# modules) HPAL5500ARXXXXPG (single) HPAL5600ARXXXXPG (single) HPAL5800ARXXXXPG (single) HPAL512KARXXXXPG (dual) HPAL516KARXXXXPG (dual)	P _{sat} / P _{Linear} 57.0 (500) / 54.0 (250) 57.8 (600) / 54.8 (300) 59.0 (800) / 56.0 (400) 60.8 (1200) / 57.8 (600) 62.0 (1600) / 59.0 (800)	dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W)	
Power Requirements Line Frequency Line Power (Voltage) (typical @ 220 VAC)	power factor HPAL5500ARXXXXPG HPAL5600ARXXXXPG HPAL5800ARXXXXPG HPAL512KARXXXXPG HPAL516KARXXXXPG	$\begin{array}{r} .98 \\ 47 \text{ to } 63 \\ @ \ P_{sat} \ / \ P_{Linear} \\ 2100 \ / \ 1500 \ (180 \text{ to } 265) \ ^2 \\ 2200 \ / \ 1700 \ (180 \text{ to } 265) \ ^2 \\ 2500 \ / \ 2000 \ (180 \text{ to } 265) \ ^2 \\ 4500 \ / \ 3700 \ (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 5100 \ / \ 4100 \ (180 \text{ to } 265) \end{array}$	Hz W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC)	
Receive Band Noise Power Density	without optional filter with optional filter	-95 -155	dBW / 4 KHz dBW / 4 KHz	

Specifications, S-Band SSPAs

PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS
Frequency Range	Frequency selection "G" 1.750 to 2.120 ³ Frequency selection "A" 2.020 to 2.120 Frequency selection "B" 2.200 to 2.300		GHz GHz GHz
Output Power Typical, P _{sat} Guaranteed minimum, P _{Linear} ¹	Model Number (# modules) HPAS5500ARXXXXPG (single) HPAS5600ARXXXXPG (single) HPAS5800ARXXXXPG (single) HPAS512KARXXXXPG (dual) HPAS516KARXXXXPG (dual)	P _{sat} / P _{Linear} 57.0 (500) / 54.0 (250) 57.8 (600) / 54.8 (300) 59.0 (800) / 56.0 (400) 60.8 (1200) / 57.8 (600) 62.0 (1600) / 59.0 (800)	dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W)
Power Requirements Line Frequency Line Power (Voltage) (typical @ 220 VAC)	power factor HPAS5500ARXXXXPG HPAS5600ARXXXXPG HPAS5800ARXXXXPG HPAS512KARXXXXPG HPAS516KARXXXXPG	$\begin{array}{r} .98 \\ 47 \text{ to } 63 \\ \textcircled{0}{2} P_{\text{sat}} / P_{\text{Linear}} \\ 2100 / 1500 (180 \text{ to } 265)^2 \\ 2200 / 1700 (180 \text{ to } 265)^2 \\ 2500 / 2000 (180 \text{ to } 265)^2 \\ 4500 / 3700 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 5100 / 4100 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ \end{array}$	Hz W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC)
Receive Band Noise Power Density	without optional filter with optional filter	-95 -155	dBW / 4 KHz dBW / 4 KHz

Note 1: P_{iinear} is the linear power as defined by MIL-STD-188-164 for two tones separated by 5 MHz or \leq -30 dBc spectral regrowth on a single OQPSK signal at 1.0x symbol rate.

Note 2: For 90 to 180 VAC operation, consult factory.

Note 3: Not available at 500W.

Continuous operation at saturated power can negatively impact the life of the amplifier and will not be covered by warranty. Normal operating output should be limited to P_{linear} (3dB backed off from the full rated power, P_{sat}).



Specifications, C-Band SSPAs							
PARAMETER NOTES LIMITS UNIT							
Frequency Range	Frequency selection "A" Frequency selection "B" ¹ Frequency selection "C" ²	5.850 to 6.425 5.850 to 6.725 5.750 to 6.670	GHz GHz GHz				
Output Power Typical, P _{sat} Guaranteed minimum, P _{Linear} ³	Model Number (# modules) HPAC5400ARXXXXPG (single) HPAC5800ARXXXXPG (single) HPAC513KARXXXXPG (dual) HPAC516KARXXXXPG (dual)	P _{sat} / P _{Linear} 56.0 (400) / 53.0 (200) 59.0 (800) / 56.0 (400) 61.1 (1300) / 58.1 (650) 62.0 (1600) / 59.0 (800)	dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W)				
Power Requirements Line Frequency Line Power (Voltage) (typical @ 220 VAC)	power factor HPAC5400ARXXXXPG HPAC5800ARXXXXPG HPAC513KARXXXXPG HPAC516KARXXXXPG	$\begin{array}{r} .98 \\ 47 \text{ to } 63 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} P_{\text{sat}} / P_{\text{Linear}} \\ 1800 / 1600 (180 \text{ to } 265)^4 \\ 4000 / 3500 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 4200 / 3800 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 7800 / 7000 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ \end{array}$	Hz W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC)				
Receive Band Noise Power Density	without filter	-155	dBW / 4 KHz				

Note 1: De-rate output power by 1.0 dB linearly from 6.425 to 6.725 GHz. **Note 2:** De-rate output power by 1.0 dB linearly from 5.850 to 5.750 GHz and by 1.0 dB linearly from 6.425 to 6.670 GHz. **Note 3:** P_{linear} is the linear power as defined by MIL-STD-188-164 for two tones separated by 5 MHz or \leq -30 dBc spectral regrowth on a single OQPSKaignal at 1.0x symbol rate. Note 4: For 90 to 180 VAC operation, consult factory.

Specifications, X-Band SSPAs

PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS
Frequency Range	Frequency selection "F"7.10 to 7.40Frequency selection "A"7.90 to 8.40		GHz GHz
Output Power Typical, P _{sat} Guaranteed minimum, P _{Linear} ¹	Model Number (# modules) P _{sat} / P _{Linear} HPAX5650ARXXXXPG (single) 58.1 (650) / 55.1 (325) HPAX5800ARXXXXPG (single) 59.0 (800) / 56.0 (400) HPAX513KARXXXPG (dual) 61.1 (1300) / 58.1 (650) HPAX516KARXXXXPG (dual) 62.0 (1600) / 59.0 (800)		dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W)
Power Requirements Line Frequency Line Power (Voltage) (typical @ 220 VAC)	power factor HPAX5650ARXXXXPG HPAX5800ARXXXXPG HPAX513KARXXXXPG HPAX516KARXXXXPG	$\begin{array}{r} .98 \\ 47 \text{ to } 63 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} P_{\text{sat}} / P_{\text{Linear}} \\ 3300 / 2800 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 4000 / 3500 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 7000 / 6000 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 8000 / 7000 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ \end{array}$	Hz W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC)
Receive Band Noise Power Density	without optional filter with optional filter	-85 -155	dBW / 4 kHz dBW / 4 kHz

Note 1: P_{linear} is the linear power as defined by MIL-STD-188-164 for two tones separated by 5 MHz or ≤ -30 dBc spectral regrowth on a single OQPSK signal at 1.0x symbol rate.

Note 2: For 90 to 180 VAC operation, consult factory.

Continuous operation at saturated power can negatively impact the life of the amplifier and will not be covered by warranty. Normal operating output should be limited to P_{linear} (3dB backed off from the full rated power, P_{sat}).



Specifications, Ku-Band SSPAs				
PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS	
Frequency Range	Frequency selection "B" ¹ Frequency selection "A"	13.75 to 14.50 14.00 to 14.50	GHz GHz	
Output Power Typical, P _{sat} Guaranteed minimum, P _{Linear} ²	Model Number (# modules) HPAK5400ARXXXXPG (single) HPAK5500ARXXXXPG (single) HPAK5800ARXXXXPG (dual) HPAK510KARXXXXPG (dual)	P _{sat} / P _{Linear} 56.0 (400) / 53.0 (200) 57.0 (500) / 54.0 (250) 59.0 (800) / 56.0 (400) 60.0 (1000) / 57.0 (500)	dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W) dBm (W)	
Power Requirements Line Frequency Line Power (Voltage) (typical @ 220 VAC)	power factor HPAK5400ARXXXXPG HPAK5500ARXXXXPG HPAK5800ARXXXXPG HPAK510KARXXXXPG	$\begin{array}{r} .98 \\ 47 \text{ to } 63 \\ \textcircled{0}{2} P_{\text{sat}} / P_{\text{Linear}} \\ 2500 / 1700 (180 \text{ to } 265)^4 \\ 3000 / 2000 (180 \text{ to } 265)^4 \\ 5000 / 3400 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ 6000 / 4000 (180 \text{ to } 265) \\ \end{array}$	Hz W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC) W (VAC)	
Receive Band Noise Power Density ³		-155	dBW / 4 kHz	

Note 1: De-rate output power by 1 dB linearly from 14.00 to 13.75 GHz.

Note 2: P_{linear} is the linear power as defined by MIL-STD-188-164 for two tones separated by 5 MHz or \leq -30 dBc spectral regrowth on a single OQPSK signal at 1.0x symbol rate.

Note 3: All Ku-Band SSPAs are fitted with a receive band reject bulkhead filter, standard. An optional pressure window is available.

Note 4: For 90 to 180 VAC operation, consult factory.

Continuous operation at saturated power can negatively impact the life of the amplifier and will not be covered by warranty. Normal operating output should be limited to P_{linear} (3dB backed off from the full rated power, P_{sat}).



Common Electrical Specifications					
PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS		
Gain Gain Flatness	range full band full band (Extended C-Band) full band (I - S-Band)	55-75 ± 1.0 ± 1.5 + 0.75	dB dB dB dB		
Gain Slope Gain Variation vs. Temperature Gain Stability	per 40 MHz per 10 MHz (L-, S-Band) 0 °C to +50 °C at constant temperature	± 0.3 ± 0.3 ± 1.0 ± 0.25	dB/40 MHz dB/10 MHz dB dB/24 hours		
Gain Adjustment Intermodulation Distortion (Two-tone, 5 MHz spacing)	0.1 dB resolution @ P _{Linear} (P _{sat} - 3 dB)	-25	dB dBc		
AM/PM Conversion	@ rated P _{Linear}	≤ 1.0	°/dB		
Spurious Harmonics (SSPA only)	@ rated P _{Linear} @ rated P _{Linear} @ rated P _{Linear} (L-, S-Band)	-65 -50 -30	dBc dBc dBc		
Input VSWR Output VSWR	(all bands and power levels) (single module units) (dual module units & Extended C-Band units) (single module Ku-Band units w/ bulkhead filter) (dual module Ku-Band units w/ bulkhead filter)	1.3:1 1.3:1 1.5:1 1.4:1 1.5:1			
Group Delay (per 40 MHz segment)	Linear Parabolic Ripple	0.01 0.003 1.0	ns/MHz ns/MHz ² ns p-p		
Transmit Band Noise Output Power Density	TX Band	-75	dBW/4 KHz		
Residual AM Noise, typical	Offset frequency from carrier 1 Hz 10 Hz 100 Hz 1 KHz 10 KHz 100 KHz 1 MHz	-110 -120 -130 -135 -140 -140 -140	dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz		
Residual Phase Noise, typical (SSPA only)	Offset frequency from carrier 10 Hz 100 Hz 1 KHz 10 KHz 100 KHz 1 MHz	-90 -100 -110 -120 -125 -130	dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz		
True RF Power Detector	Range Accuracy, Psat to (Psat - 10 dB) Accuracy, (Psat - 10 dB) to (Psat - 20 dB) L-/S-Band units, Accuracy (full band)	$ \begin{array}{c} P_{sat} \text{ to } (P_{sat} - 20) \\ \pm 0.75 \\ \pm 1.0 \\ \pm 1.0 \end{array} $	dB dB dB dB		

1RU N+1 Redundant Power Supply

The combination of a separate, fully redundant power supply is an excellent means of obtaining the ultimate in system reliability. The power supply is an N+1 redundant configuration, meaning that there is one more power supply module available than required to operate the SSPA. A failure of one power supply module will not take the amplifier off the air.





L-Band Operation

Teledyne Paradise Datacom amplifiers are available with an integrated L-Band Block Up Converter. L-Band units utilize Teledyne Paradise Datacom's proprietary zBUC technology. The addition of a zBUC[®] converter to the SSPA typically increases the gain by 2-4 dB. The advantages of zBUC technology include:

- Autosensing zBUC includes an internal reference but will switch to an external reference if applied;
- Internal high stability (10 MHz) reference; will lock to externally supplied (10 or 50 MHz) reference;
- zBUC converter can accept a wide range of external reference power (-10 to +5 dBm);
- zBUC converter can accept FSK monitor and control signal via the IFL for complete amplifier remote control.

Band	Frequency Plan	IF Input	LO Frequency	RF Output
С	Sub-Band "A"	950 - 1525 MHz	4.900 GHz	5.850 - 6.425 GHz
С	Sub-Band "B"	950 - 1825 MHz	4.900 GHz	5.850 - 6.725 GHz
С	Sub-Band "C"	950 - 1870 MHz	4.800 GHz	5.750 - 6.670 GHz
Х	Sub-Band "A"	950 - 1450 MHz	6.950 GHz	7.900 - 8.400 GHz
Ku	Sub-Band "A"	950 - 1450 MHz	13.050 GHz	14.00 - 14.50 GHz
Ku	Sub-Band "B"	950 - 1700 MHz	12.800 GHz	13.75 - 14.50 GHz

Available Frequency Plans

Electrical Specifications for 5RU RM SSPA with ZBUC converter

PARAMETER	NOTES		LIMITS			
Gain Gain Flatness Gain Slope Gain Adjusted Range Gain Stability	Nominal setting full band (C-,X-,Ku-bands) per 40 MHz (C-,X-,Ku-bands) Typical C-Band Adj. Range Typical Ku-Band Adj. Range -40 to +60 °C	75 ± 2.0 ± 0.5 20 60 - 80 57 - 77 ± 1.5			dB dB dB/40 MHz dB dB dB dB dB	
Phase Noise	Offset frequency from carrier 10 Hz 100 Hz 1 KHz 10 KHz 100 KHz 100 KHz 1 MHz	Absolute max. C-band (typ.) X-band (typ.) Ku-band -30 -60 -58 - -60 -74 -70 - -70 -84 -80 - -80 -100 -94 - -90 -105 -97 - -90 -125 -122 -				dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz dBc/Hz
Spurious	In-Band Signal Related (C-/Ku-Band) -50 (Extended C-Band) -40 Close to Carrier Spurious (≤ 20 MHz) -50 Local Oscillator -30			dBc dBc dBc dBm		
Transmit Band Noise Output Power Density	Tx Band at Maximum gain -65			dBW/4kHz		
Input VSWR	L-Band 1.5 : 1					
Internal Reference Option	Reference Accuracy (initial) $\pm 1 \cdot 10^{-8}$ Aging per day (after 30 days) $\pm 1 \cdot 10^{-9}$ Aging per year (after 30 days) $\pm 6 \cdot 10^{-8}$ Reference Stability over Temperature (-40 to +40 °C, ambient) $\pm 1 \cdot 10^{-8}$					



Reference Options in Redundant Systems with L-Band Input

See below for BUC configurations in which the 10 MHz reference can be distributed to units in redundant systems. Converters with internal reference oscillators automatically switch to an externally applied reference.





Mechanical Specifications						
PARAMETER	ARAMETER NOTES LIMITS U					
Size (SSPA)	width X height X depth	19.0 x 8.75 x 30.25 483 x 222 x 768	inches mm			
Size (Power Supply)	width X height X depth	19.0 x 1.75 x 15.97 483 x 45 x 406	inches mm			
Weight (SSPA)	With integrated zBUC converter	150 (68) +1.7 (+0.8)	lbs. (kg) lbs. (kg)			
Weight (Power Supply)	with four (4) power supply modules	29 (13.2)	lbs. (kg)			
Finish		Paint	Gray; powder coat			
Connectors	RF Input RF Output (S-Band) RF Output (C-Band) RF Output (X-Band) RF Output (Ku-Band) RF Output Sample	Type N WR430 WR137 Waveguide WR112 Waveguide WR75 Waveguide Type N	Female CPR430G Flange (PDR-22) CPR137G Flange (PDR-70) CPR112G Flange (PDR-84) Grooved flange (PBR-120) Female			

Environmental Specifications

PARAMETER	NOTES	LIMITS	UNITS
Operating Temperature	Ambient	0 to +50	°C
Relative Humidity	Non-condensing	95	%
Cooling System	Forced Convection Air Cooling	Front Panel - Intake Rear Panel - Exhaust	
Audible Noise	Measured 1m from unit, at P _{sat}	61	dBA
Altitude	No temperature de-rating up to 10,000 ft, (3000 m) De-rate maximum temperature by 2 °C per 1,000 ft (300 m) beyond 10,000 ft.		

Receive Band Filter Options



2.020-2.120 GHz (Band A) : Filter L205250-S3-TX Dimensions: A=9.972 , B=8.500 2.200-2.300 GHz (Band B) : Filter L205250-S4-TX Dimensions: A=12.222 , B=10.750 1.750-2.120 GHz (Band G) : Filter L205250-S11-TX Dimensions: A=4.730 , B=3.250









Redundant and Phase Combined Systems

Teledyne Paradise Datacom's 5RU Rack Mount SSPAs can be configured in a variety of redundant and phase combined configurations.

- 1:1 Redundant System with Internal Redundancy Control
- 1:1 Redundant System with RCP2-1100 Redundant System Controller
- 1:1 Fixed Phase Combined System with FPRC-1100 Phase Combined System Controller
- 1:2 Redundant System with Internal Redundancy Control
- 1:2 Redundant System with RCP2-1200 Redundant System Controller
- 1:2 Fixed Phase Combined System with FPRC-1200 Phase Combined System Controller

System Output Power Capacity

Due to residual losses inherent in redundant system configurations (waveguide bends; switch and coupler losses), reduce the typical output power specification of a single amplifier by approximately 0.2 dB for 1:1 and by 0.4 dB for 1:2 systems.

In phase combined systems, these same losses result in slightly less than the ideal addition of 3 dB to the output power of a single HPA unit. For 1:1 phase combined systems, the typical additive output power is approximately 2.70 dB above the output power of a single HPA. For 1:2 phase combined systems, the typical additive output power is approximately 2.50 dB above the output power of a single HPA.

Actual system losses will vary based on the system options.

System Controllers

The 1RU system controller provides an extremely user friendly interface for complete monitor and control of the amplifier system.



Redundant System Controller Configured for 1:1 Redundant Mode

The front panel touchscreen display shows the on-line amplifiers and the switch positions. Fault indicators are provided for easy identification of system status. All system monitor and control is available locally at the front panel, as well as remotely by the RS232, RS485, or Ethernet interface ports. Audible alarms and a full compliment of parallel I/O signal are available at the rear panel of the controller.





H 1:1 System, Input Switching, RCP2-1100¹

1 Standard location for controller is directly above HPA1.



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