# TECHNOLOGY

### XTRD-750K Ku-Band Rack Mount Amplifier



- Compact 7 inch Package
- Digital Display & Control Interface

The XTRD-750K is a highly efficient rack mountable traveling wave tube amplifier (TWTA) designed for test and measurement applications.

The unit includes RF gain control, a solid state pre-amplifier, cooling, and monitoring and control (M&C) system.

Rack space is conserved because the amplifier occupies only 4 rack units (7 inches) of a standard 19 inch rack cabinet. Nominal weight is 75 pounds.

The unit features a menu driven front panel display and RS-232/422/485 serial port interfaces for complete computer control.

RF, traveling wave tube, and default parameters are easily monitored on the 4-line front panel display. • High Efficiency

Gain control is provided via the front panel or through the serial interface.

The XTRD-750K incorporates high efficiency, multi-stage collector TWTs. Reliability is enhanced because both prime power consumption and internal operating temperatures are reduced for both the linear and saturated modes of operation.

Power factor correction circuitry is also included which minimizes line current distortion and reduces the required Volt-Amps input.

The automatic features of the high frequency resonant conversion power supply include quick recovery from prime power outages and multiple helix fault resets (three fault cycles.)

Depending upon user requirements, the amplifier can be configured for either single thread or redundant system operation.

#### **PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

Parameter	XTRD-750K, Ku-Band
FREQUENCY RANGE, Standard (Alternate frequency coverage available)	13.75 to 14.5 GHz (12.75 to 14.5 GHz)
OUTPUT POWER Traveling Wave Tube Rated Power @ Amplifier Flange	750 Watts 650 Watts
GAIN Large Signal, minimum Small Signal, minimum Attenuator Range (continuous) Maximum SSG Variation Over:	70 dB 75 dB 25 dB
Any Narrow Band Full Band Slope, maximum Stability, 24 Hour maximum	1.0 dB per 80 MHz 2.5dB per 500 MHz ±0.04 dB/MHz ± 0.25 dB
Stability, Temperature	$\pm$ 1.0 dB maximum over temperature range at any frequency
INTERMODULATION	-18 dBc maximum with two equal signals at 4 dB total output backoff
HARMONIC OUTPUT, maximum	-60 dBc
AM/PM CONVERSION, maximum	2.5°/dB at 6 dB below rated power
NOISE POWER, maximum Transmit Band	-70 dBw/4 kHz
Receive Band	-150 dBW/4 kHz 10.95 to 12.75 GHz
GROUP DELAY, maximum Bandwidth Linear Parabolic Ripple	Any 80 MHz 0.01 nS/MHz 0.005 nS/MHz <sup>2</sup> 0.5 nS/P <sub>k</sub> -P <sub>k</sub>
RESIDUAL AM NOISE, maximum	-50 dBc to 10 kHz -20 (1.5 + logf) dBc 10 to 500 kHz -85 dBc above 500 kHz
PHASE NOISE	12 dB below IESS phase noise profile AC fundamental -50 dBc Sum of all spurs -47 dBc
VSWR Input, maximum	1.3:1

Input, maximum Output, maximum



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1.3:1

#### PRIME POWER

180-260 VAC 47 to 63 Hz, single phase Maximum VA: 2450 0.95 Minimum Prime Power Factor

## CE COMPLIANT

#### ENVIRONMENT

NONOPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE HUMIDITY ALTITUDE SHOCK AND VIBRATION COOLING

#### **NTERFACE**

#### TYPE **FUNCTION** CONTROLS AC Power ON/OFF Local/remote Local Local and Remote Gain Heater Standby ON/OFF Fault Reset Audio Alarm ON/OFF Min/Max Power Alarm/Fault Lamp Test Reflected Power Alarm/Fault Units (Watts, dBm, dBW) High Voltage ON/OFF STATUS Front Panel LEDs Power Heater Time Out (FTD) Standby **High Voltage** Heater Standby Local Mode Remote Mode Summary Fault Front Panel Digital Display Power Out Attenuator Setting Faults: **Reflected Power** Units Selection High VSWR Heater Hours **TWT** Temperature **High Voltage** Helix Current Helix Voltage Helix Current **TWTTemperature Beam Hours** Dry Form-C Relay Contacts (Two) Summary Fault COMPUTER Hardware Interface 2 ports: RS-232 RS-232/RS-422/RS-485 SERIAL PORT Xicom Command Set ASCII Commands **RF SAMPLE PORT COUPLING** -43 dB Nominal

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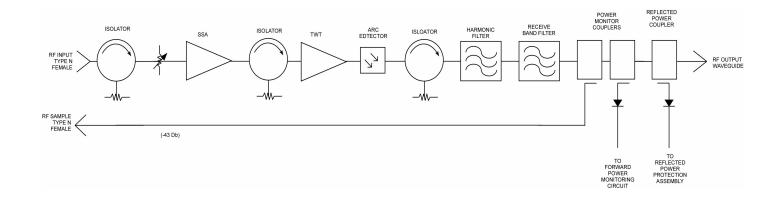
#### **OPTIONS**

Extended Frequency Coverage 1:1, 1:2, 1:N Redundancy Variable Phase Combined Integrated Linearizers

> -50° C to +70° C -10° C to +50° C Up to 95% Noncondensing 10,000 feet MSL maximum Normal Transportation Forced Air: 250 CFM (typical)



#### **Block Diagram**



**Outline Drawing** 

