

400W Outdoor TWT Amplifier for Satellite Communications

Ku-Band

The T04UO Series

400 Watt TWT
Amplifier — high
efficiency in an
environmentally sealed
compact package
designed for outdoor
operation



Plays in the Rain

Provides 400 watts of power in a rugged and compact weatherproof package, digital ready, for wideband, single- and multi-carrier satellite service in the 13.75-14.50 GHz frequency band. Ideal for transportable and fixed earth station applications.

Cost Effective and Efficient

Mounting at the antenna improves performance through minimized cable losses and saves cost in system design. Employs a high efficiency, dual-depressed collector helix traveling wave tube, reducing operating costs.

Reliable

Designed and built to survive in extremely adverse environmental conditions and features increased cooling margin for longer life.

Simple to Operate

User-friendly microprocessor-controlled logic with integrated RS422/485 computer interface. Digital metering, pin diode attenuation and optional integrated linearizer for improved intermodulation performance.

Easy to Maintain

Modular design and built-in fault diagnostic capability via remote monitor and control.

Global Applications

Meets International Safety Standard EN-60215, Electromagnetic Compatibility 2004/108/EC and Harmonic Standard EN-61000-3-2 to satisfy worldwide requirements.

Worldwide Support

Backed by over two decades of satellite communications experience, and CPI's worldwide 24-hour customer support network that includes sixteen regional factory service centers.

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OPTIONS:

- *1 RU Remote Control Panel*
- *Extended Frequency (12.75-14.5 GHz)*
- *Redundant and Power Combined Subsystems*
- *Additional External Receive Band Reject Filter (increases loss by a minimum 70 dB up to 12.7 GHz)*
- *SSIPA with Variable Attenuator (provides RF Level Adjust Range of 0 to 30 dB)*
- *Integral Linearizer (requires SSIPA with attenuator option)*
- *Integrated 1:1 switch control and drive*
- *L-Band Block Upconverter (BUC --- requires SSIPA option)*
- *Ethernet Interface*
- *Higher Operating Temperature Limit (+60°C)*
- *Circuit Breaker Package (Note: this option is NOT CE compliant)*

SPECIFICATIONS, T04UO

Electrical

Frequency	13.75 to 14.50 GHz
Output Power	
TWT	400 W min. (56.02 dBm)
Flange	350 W min. (55.44 dBm)
Bandwidth	750 MHz (1750 MHz with ext. band option)
Gain	46 dB min. at rated power output (70 dB with SSIPA); 52 dB min. at small signal (75 dB with SSIPA)
Gain Stability	
At constant drive and temp.	±0.25 dB/24hr max. (after 30 min. warmup)
Over temp. constant drive	±1.0 dB over operating temp. range (any freq.); ±0.75 dB over ±10°C
Small Signal Gain Slope	±0.02 dB/MHz max. (±0.04 dB/MHz max. with BUC option)
Small Signal Gain Variation	1.0 dB pk-pk across any 80 MHz band; 2.5 dB pk-pk across any 750 MHz band; 4.0 dB pk-pk across 1750 MHz band (4.5 dB pk-pk across any 500 MHz, with BUC option)
RF Level Adjust Range	0 to 30 dB typ. (SSIPA option required)
Attenuator Step Size	0.1 dB (SSIPA option required)
Input VSWR	1.3:1 max. (1.5:1 max. with BUC option)
Output VSWR	1.3:1 max.
Load VSWR	2.0 max. continuous operation; any value for operation without damage
Residual AM	-50 dBc below 10 kHz -20 [1.5 +log F(kHz)] dBc, 10 kHz to 500 kHz -85 dBc above 500 kHz
Phase Noise	12 dB below IESS-308 continuous mask (3 dB below with BUC option)
AC fundamental	-50 dBc (-33 dBc with BUC option)
Sum of all spurs	-47 dBc (-39 dBc with BUC option)
AM/PM Conversion	2.5°/dB max. for a single carrier up to 7 dB below rated power (2.5°/dB max. at 3 dB below rated with linearizer)
Harmonic Output	-60 dBc at rated power
Noise and Spurious (at rated gain)	<-150 dBW/4 kHz from 10.9 to 12.7 GHz (to 11.7 GHz with ext. freq. option); <-100 dBW/4 kHz, 11.7 to 12.2 GHz (ext. freq. option only) <-70 dBW/4 kHz transmit band to 18.0 GHz <-65 dBW/4 kHz transmit band to 18.0 GHz, (with optional linearizer) <-105 dBW/4 kHz from 18.0 to 26.0 GHz <-125 dBW/4 kHz from 26.0 to 40.0 GHz

Electrical (continued)

Intermodulation	-24 dBc max. with two equal carriers at total output power 7 dB (4 dB with optional integral linearizer) below rated single-carrier output
Group Delay (in any 80 MHz band)	0.01 ns/MHz linear max. 0.001 ns/MHz ² parabolic max. 0.5 ns pk-pk ripple max.
Primary Power	90-264 VAC, single phase; 47-63 Hz
Power Consumption	1.35 kW, typ. 1.5 kW, max.
Power Factor	0.95 min.

Environmental (Operating)

Ambient Temperature	-40°C to +55°C operating, including solar loading; -40°C to +75°C non-operating
Relative Humidity	100% condensing
Altitude	10,000 ft. (3,048 m) with standard adiabatic derating of 2°C/1000 ft. (305 m), operating; 50,000 ft. (15,240 m), non-operating
Shock and Vibration	20 g pk, 11 msec, 1/2 sine
Acoustic Noise	65 dBA @ 3 ft. from amplifier

Mechanical

Cooling (TWT)	Forced air with integral blower
RF Input Connection	Type N female
RF Output Connection	WR-75 waveguide flange, grooved with UNC 2B 6-32 threaded holes
RF Output Monitor	Type N female
Dimensions (W x H x D)	10.25 x 10.5 x 20.5 in. (260 x 267 x 521 mm)
Weight	55 lbs (25.0 kg) max., with no options



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For more detailed information, please refer to the corresponding CPI Technical Description.

Note: Specifications may change without notice as a result of additional data or product refinement.

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