

# 400W Outdoor TWT Medium Power Amplifier for Satellite Communications

**Ku-Band**

## The T04UO Series

*400 Watt TWT Medium Power 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 89/336/EEC 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 twelve regional factory service centers.

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## OPTIONS:

- *Remote Control Panel*
- *Extended Frequency (12.75-14.5 GHz)*
- *Redundant and Power Combined Subsystems*
- *External Receive Band Reject Filter (Increases loss by a minimum 60 dB up to 12.7 GHz)*
- *Solid State Intermediate Power Amplifier (SSIPA)*
- *SSIPA with Variable Attenuator (provides RF Level Adjust Range of 0 to 30 dB)*
- *Integral Linearizer (requires SSIPA w/ attenuator option)*
- *Integrated 1:1 switch control and drive*
- *L-Band Block Upconverter (BUC)*

## 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  |
| Gain                               | 47 dB min. at rated power output (73 dB with SSIPA);<br>52 dB min. at small signal (78 dB with SSIPA)  |
| Gain Stability                     | ±0.25 dB/24hr max.<br>(at constant drive and temp.)  |
| Small Signal Gain Slope            | ±0.02 dB/MHz max.  |
| Small Signal Gain Variation        | 1.0 dB pk-pk across any 80 MHz band;<br>2.5 dB pk-pk across the 750 MHz band   |
| Input VSWR                         | 1.3:1 max.   |
| 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<br>-20 [1.3 +log F(kHz)] dBc,<br>10 kHz to 500 kHz<br>-85 dBc above 500 kHz   |
| Phase Noise                        | 12 dB below IESS-308 continuous mask   |
| AM/PM Conversion                   | 2.0°/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) | <-130 dBW/4 kHz from 10.9 to 12.7 GHz<br><-70 dBW/4 kHz from 13.75 to 18.0 GHz<br><-105 dBW/4 kHz from 18.0 to 26.0 GHz<br><-125 dBW/4 kHz from 26.0 to 40.0 GHz |
| Noise Figure                       | 35 dB max., 10 dB with SSIPA   |
| 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                       |

### Electrical (continued)

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| Group Delay (in any 80 MHz band) | 0.01 ns/MHz linear max.<br>0.001 ns/MHz <sup>2</sup> parabolic max.<br>0.5 ns pk-pk ripple max. |
| Primary Power                    | 90-264 VAC, single phase;<br>47-63 Hz   |
| Power Consumption                | 1.35 kW, typ.<br>1.5 kW, max.   |
| Power Factor                     | 0.95 min.   |

### Environmental (Operating)

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Ambient Temperature | -40°C to +50°C operating<br>-40°C to +75°C non-operating   |
| Relative Humidity   | 100% condensing  |
| Altitude            | 10,000 ft. with standard adiabatic derating of 2°C/1000 ft., operating;<br>50,000 ft., non-operating |
| Shock and Vibration | 20 g pk, 11 msec, 2 sine   |
| Acoustic Noise      | 65 dBA @ 3 ft. from amplifier  |

### Mechanical

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Cooling                | Forced air with integral blower                                    |
| RF Input Connection    | Type N female  |
| RF Output Connection   | WR 75 waveguide flange,<br>grooved with UNC 2B 6-32 threaded holes |
| RF Output Monitor      | Type N female  |
| Dimensions (W x H x D) | 10.25 x 10.4 x 20.5 in.<br>(260 x 264 x 521 mm)                    |
| Weight                 | 55 lbs (25.0 kg) max.,<br>with no options                          |



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