PT-KW HP-Series Pulse TWT Microwave Power Amplifiers

1.0 – 18.0 GHz • up to – 10,000 watts, Minimum Rated Power

The PT HP-series of KW High Power Pulse amplifiers built by IFI; are high power, "State-of-the-art" Pulse TWT amplifiers specifically designed for microwave testing applications. Our elegant approach provides up to 12,000 Watts of pulse power for various frequency ranges from 1.0 to 18.0 Gigahertz in various packages that offers all the controls and communications needed for today's automated test systems. These amplifiers have field proven reliability and unsurpassed performance as the best in the industry.

From the ground up the PT HP-Series amps are built to withstand rugged handling, whether it's being shipped to you or hauled around from site to site. Our amplifiers feature modular construction and this concept of modular design minimizes internally produced EMI signal leakage and provides easy access for field service and rapid turnaround at depot level repair facilities. Redundant thermal and airflow sensors prevent the TWT from overheating. In addition, high VSWR protection is built in.

The PT HP-Series "State-of-the-art" interface is sophisticated yet simple to use. The backlit LCD screen shows forward/reverse power indication, status and self-diagnostic information. All the amplifiers operating parameters are simultaneously available in the amplifier front panel display as well as over the remote bus. Selection switches allow you to switch the amplifier to the desired mode of operation for local control if the unit is not being operated remotely. For computer automation, both an RS-232 and IEEE-488 interface are included. To meet individual requirements, the PT HP-Series amplifiers can be easily customized with our available options that may be required for your application.

With all this capability and its reliable elegant design, the PT HP-Series amplifiers are the perfect amplifier for your testing needs.

IFI Pulse TWT Amplifier Features:

- ∞ Solid State Power Supply Designs
- ∞ Instantaneous Broadband Frequency ranges
- ∞ Modular Design Construction
- ∞ Rugged construction & High Reliability
- ∞ Backlit LCD screen
- ∞ Integrated Force Air Cooling
- ∞ Self-diagnostic circuitry
- ∞ IEEE-488 interface, RS232 & Ethernet Remote





Models & General Specifications:						
Model	Frequency	Rated Power	Gain	Mains	Weight	Size
Number	Range (GHz)	(kW minimum)	(dB min)	(kVA)	(pounds)	(Inches)
PT21-5KW	1.0-2.0	5.0	67	4.0	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx30.00D
PT231-10KW	1.0-2.3	10.0	70	8.0	85	Rack Integrated
PT2719-6KW	1.9-2.7	6.0	60	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT42-5KW*	2.0-4.0	5.0	67	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT42-8KW	2.0-4.0	8.0	69	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT5727-4KW	2.7-5.7	4.0	60	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT64-6W	4.0-6.0	6.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT84-5KW*	4.0-8.0	5.0	67	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT5653-8KW	5.35-5.65	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT115-1.75KW	5.0-11.0	1.75	63	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT128-5KW	8.0-12.0	5.0	67	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT9593-8KW	9.3-9.5	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT118-8KW	8.0-11.0	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT128-8KW	8.0-12.0	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT128-3KW	8.2-12.4	3.0	65	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT1087-4KW	8.7-10.5	4.0	66	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT1088-8KW	8.8-10.5	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT1088-8.5KW	8.8-10.5	8.5	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT109-8KW	9.0-10.0	8.0	68	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT1715-4KW	15.0-17.0	4.0	66	2.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D
PT1812-3.5KW	12-18	3.5	66	1.5	85	14.0"Hx19"Wx25.25D

^{*} Over the majority of the band

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Standard Features VSWR Reflected Power Protection, the unit operates without damage or oscillation into any magnitude of phase or load impedance, Open & Short Circuit Protection.

* Alternate Prime Power (specify at time of order)

GPIB IEEE 488 & RS232 Remote Control

RF Sample Port on the Front Panel, 112R for rear panel

Internal Pre-amplification to obtain rated output power with an input level of 0 dBm or less.

RF Input/Output Connectors on the Front Panel, 118R for rear panel

Internal Systems Diagnostics & Status Indicators

Filament/Beam Elapsed Time Metering in hours

RF Safety Interlock

Forward/Reflected Power Indication simultaneously on Front Panel display

PT HP-Series Specifications:			
Frequency Range:	As Specified in Model Table		
Rated Output Power:	As Specified in Model Table		
Gain @ Rated Power:	As Specified in Model Table		
Prime Power:	As Required for Customer (Some are listed below)		
Input/output Impedance:	50 ohms		
RF Input/ Sample Connectors:	rs: Type N Female, unless specified otherwise		
	Type SC or 716 Female up to 8 GHz,		
	8-12 GHz is WR90, 12-18 GHz is WR62, 7.5-18 GHz is WRD750, 6.5-18 GHz is WRD650		
RF Output Connector:	Other waveguides available by request or specification (see Option 117)		
Input VSWR/Output VSWR:	2.0:1/ 2.5:1		
Pulse Input:	BNC Female Front Panel {TTL into 50ohms standard} consult factory for special requirements		
Pulse Width Range:	100nsec – 100usec		
PRF Range:	Up to 100 KHz Standard, Higher PRF ranges available consult factory		
Duty Cycle:	6% Standard, Lower & Higher PRF ranges subject to TWT spec.		
Rise & Fall Time:	15 ns nominal; 20 ns maximum		
Pulse to Pulse Jitter:	+/- 5 nsec maximum		
Pulse Width Jitter:(Distortion)	+/- 5 nsec maximum		
Pulse Recovery Time:	150 nsec maximum		
Pulse Delay:	250 nsec maximum / 180 nsec typical		
Pulse Droop:	0.5 dB/100usecs, 0.1dB/10usec		
Power Output Stability:	0.2dB Pulse to Pulse at constant drive level & PRF		
Pulse On/Off Ratio:	80 dB		
Phase Stability Pulse to Pulse:	+/-1 degree nominal		
Temperature:	0° to 50° C operating, -40° to 70° C non-operating		
Humidity:	95% without condensation		
Altitude:	10,000 feet operating, 50,000 non-operating		
Cooling System:	Air cooled, self-contained		
Modulation:	All types, AM, FM, Pulse		
Configuration:	Rack Mount as specified in Model Table or Rack Integrated		
Spurious Outputs:	<-60 dBc nominal		

Standard Prime Powers:

100, 115, 120 VAC ±10% 50/60 Hz, single phase

200, 220, 230, 240 VAC $\pm 10\%$ 50/60 Hz, single phase

 $100/200 VAC, 115/208 \ or \ 200/220/230/240 VAC \pm 10\% \ 50/60 \ Hz, three \ phase \ Wye \ or \ Delta \ and/or \ 400 \ Hz \ power \ is \ available.$

Special Prime Powers other then listed are subject to availability

Some Available Options for IFI PT HP-Series TWT Amplifiers				
Option 103 G/D:	VSWR Reflected Power Protection "Graceful Degradation Feature" which will automatically reduce the input drive and fold back the output			
	power when the average reflected power exceeds a preset limit of 3.0:1.			
	The unit operates without damage or oscillation into any magnitude of phase or load impedance.			
Option 110-1E:	GPIB IEEE-488 RS232 and Ethernet Remote Control			
Option 110-2:	GPIB IEEE-488 and RS 422 Remote Control			
Option 110-3	GPIB IEEE-488 and RS 485 Remote Control			
Option 113:	Chassis Slides for 19" Rack Mounting			
Option 118F or R:	Front Panel RF Connections 118R for Rear Panel RF Connections			
Option 123F or R:	Reflected RF Sample Port -40, -50 or -60dB N or SMA, Front or Rear Panel			

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Outline Configurations:



