120 W / 200 W X-band Matchbox Block Upconverter



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The X-band Matchbox Block Upconverter (BUC) takes high efficiency to a new level in solid-state power amplifiers. Through Wavestream's proprietary spatial power combining technology up to 100W linear power can be packed into a rugged 34 lb unit that can be mounted directly on the feed arm of medium aperture antennas, maximizing the power into the feed and further enhancing system-level efficiency.

The compact 15.75" L \times 8" W \times 8" H BUC provides the required linearity for X-band communications. It provides high reliability to minimize life cycle costs even in the most demanding applications and extreme environments (-40°C to +60°C).

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KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

- 60 W or 100 W linear power for higher data rate capability
- Rugged 34 lb package
- Mounts on feed arm for simple integration
- High reliability lowers life cycle cost
- Redundancy options available
- Optional integrated filter and feed assembly

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RF Specifications	120W	200W	
Transmit Frequency	7.9 - 8.4 GHz	7.9 - 8.4 GHz	Wavestream develops and
IF Frequency	950 - 1450 MHz	950 - 1450 MHz	manufactures high-power solid- state amplifiers which meet the
Frequency Reference (10 MHz on IF)	0 dBm +/-5 dBm	0 dBm +/-5 dBm	evolving needs of modern mobile and fixed communications systems.
Small Signal Gain	63 dB nominal	63 dB nominal	Wavestream's proprietary spatial
Saturated Power	50.8 dBm	53 dBm	power combining technologies
Intermodulation -25 dBc third order intermodulation product relative to combined power of two carriers at 3 dB total power backoff	47.8 dBm	50 dBm	enable higher amplifier output powers in smaller packages with greater efficiency and lower cost than competing solutions. Wavestream offers Ka-band, Ku-
Spectral Regrowth (typical) -30 dBc for QPSK at 1.5x and OQPSK at 1.0x symbol rate	48.8 dBm	51 dBm	band, C-band and X-band SSPAs or BUCs for satellite uplink and tropospheric communications.
Output Spurious	-60 dBc	-60 dBc	Using Wavestream technology solid-state amplifiers are now a
AM/PM Conversion (At Linear Output Power)	2 deg/dB	2 deg/dB	preferred choice to tubes in the low to moderate power segment of tube
Single-sideband Phase Noise	-32 dBc at 10 Hz offset -62 dBc at 100 Hz offset -72 dBc at 1 kHz offset -82 dBc at 10 kHz offset -92 dBc at 100kHz offset -102 dBc at 1 MHz offset -112 dBc at >10 MHz offset	-32 dBc at 10 Hz offset -62 dBc at 100 Hz offset -72 dBc at 1 kHz offset -82 dBc at 10 kHz offset -92 dBc at 100kHz offset -102 dBc at 1 MHz offset -112 dBc at >10 MHz offset	usage. With the introduction of its products Wavestream has become the industry-leading provider of a new generation of highly reliable solid-state amplifier solutions for commercial, defense and homeland security systems.
Power			
AC Power	90 - 264 VAC, 50-60 Hz	90 - 264 VAC, 50-60 Hz	
AC Prime Draw (Typical) (At Linear Power)	550 VA	1050 VA	
Interfaces			
IF Port Connector	Type N Female	Type N Female	
IF Input Impedence	50 ohms	50 ohms	
RF Port Connector	CPR-112, grooved	CPR-112, grooved	

Type N Female

4-Pin Circular

Mil. Circular

100% Condensing

Physical

Humidity

RF Power Monitor Port

AC Connector

M&C Connector

100% Condensing

Type N Female

4-Pin Circular

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