



250S1G6

- M1-M5
- 250 Watts CW
- 0.7-6GHz



Features

The Model 250S1G6 is a solid-state, Class A design, self-contained, air-cooled, broadband amplifier designed for applications where instantaneous bandwidth, high gain and linearity are required. Housed in a stylish contemporary cabinet, the unit is designed for benchtop use, but can be removed from the cabinet for immediate equipment rack mounting.

The 250S1G6, when used with a sweep generator, will provide a minimum of 250 watts of RF power. Included is a front panel gain control which permits the operator to conveniently set the desired output level. The 250S1G6 is protected from RF input overdrive by an RF input leveling circuit which controls the RF input level to the RF amplifier first stage when the RF input level is increased above 0 dBm. The RF amplifier stages are protected from over-temperature by removing the DC voltage to them if an over-temperature condition occurs due to cooling blockage or fan failure.

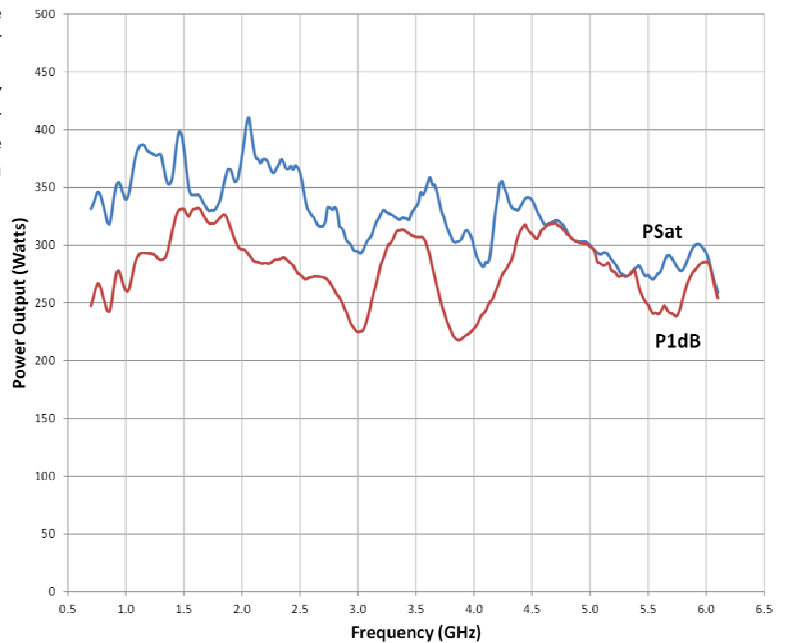
There is a digital display on the front panel to indicate the operate status and fault conditions if an over-temperature or power supply fault has occurred. The unit can be returned to operate when the condition has been cleared.

All amplifier control functions and status indications are available remotely in GPIB/IEEE-488 format, RS-232 hardware and fiber optic, USB, and Ethernet. The bus interface connector is located on the back panel and positive control of local or remote operation is assured by a Local/Remote switch on the front panel of the amplifier.

The low level of spurious signals and linearity of the Model 250S1G6 make it ideal for use as a driver amplifier in testing wireless and communication components and subsystems. It can be used as a test instrument covering multiple frequency bands and is suitable for a variety of communication technologies such as CDMA, W-CDMA, TDMA, GSM etc. It is also suitable for EMC Test applications where undistorted modulation envelopes are desired.

The export classification for this equipment is 3A001. These commodities, technology or software are controlled for export in accordance with the U.S. Export Administration Regulations. Diversion contrary to U.S. law is prohibited.

250S1G6 Power Output



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Specifications

RATED POWER OUTPUT: 250 watts minimum (0.7–6.0 GHz)

INPUT FOR RATED OUTPUT: 1.0 milliwatt maximum

POWER OUTPUT @ 3dB COMPRESSION:
Nominal: 250 watts
Minimum: 225 watts

POWER OUTPUT @ 1dB COMPRESSION:
Nominal: 220 watts
Minimum: 200 watts

SMALL SIGNAL GAIN FLATNESS:
±1.5 dB typical; ±2.5 dB maximum

FREQUENCY RESPONSE: 0.7–6 GHz instantaneously

GAIN (at maximum setting): 54 dB minimum

GAIN ADJUSTMENT:
(Continuous Range): 10 dB minimum (4096 steps remote)

INPUT IMPEDANCE: 50 ohms, VSWR 2.0:1 maximum

OUTPUT IMPEDANCE: 50 ohms, nominal

MISMATCH TOLERANCE: 100% of rated power without foldback. Will operate without damage or oscillation with any magnitude and phase of source and load impedance. See Application Note #27.

MODULATION CAPABILITY: Will faithfully reproduce AM, FM, or pulse Modulation appearing on the input signal.

THIRD ORDER INTERCEPT: 60 dBm typical

NOISE FIGURE: 10 dB typical

HARMONIC DISTORTION:
Minus 20 dBc maximum at 250 watts, (0.75-6.0 GHz); 18 dBc Typ. (0.7-0.75 GHz)

SPURIOUS: Minus 73 dBc Typ.

PHASE LINEARITY: ±1.0 deg/100 MHz, Typ

PRIMARY POWER (Selected Automatically): 200-250 VAC; 50/60 Hz, single phase; 2500 watts maximum

CONNECTORS:
RF: Type N female
REMOTE INTERFACES:
IEEE-488: 24 pin
RS-232: 9 pin Subminiature D
RS-232 (fiber optic): Type ST
USB 2.0: Type B
Ethernet: RJ-45

SAFETY INTERLOCK: 15 pin Subminiature D

COOLING: Forced air (self contained fans)

EXPORT CLASSIFICATION: 3A001

Model Configurations

MODEL	RF INPUT	RF OUTPUT	WEIGHT	SIZE (W x H x D)
250S1G6	Type N female, front	Type N female, front	64 kg (140 lbs)	50.3 x 47 x 61 cm 19.8 x 18.5 x 24 in
250S1G6M1	Type N female, rear	Type N female, rear	64 kg (140 lbs)	50.3 x 47 x 61 cm 19.8 x 18.5 x 24 in
250S1G6M2	Same as 250S1G6 with enclosure removed for rack mounting		50 kg (110 lbs)	48.3 x 44.5 x 58.5 cm 19.0 x 17.5 x 23 in
250S1G6M3	Same as 250S1G6M1 with enclosure removed for rack mounting		50 kg (110 lbs)	48.3 x 44.5 x 58.5 cm 19.0 x 17.5 x 23 in
250S1G6M4	Same as 250S1G6M2 with rack enclosure and casters		86 kg (190 lbs)	56.1 x 90.2 x 67.3 cm 22.1 x 35.5 x 26.5 in
250S1G6M5	Same as 250S1G6M3 with rack enclosure and casters		86 kg (190 lbs)	56.1 x 90.2 x 67.3 cm 22.1 x 35.5 x 26.5 in