AESA Ka-Band PLL BDC modular

Key features



- · Available for Ku- & Ka-Bands
- LO / Sub-band switchable
- Customizable design
- DVB-S2X compliant VSAT profile
- · High P1dB and IP3
- Compact & Lightweight 25.4 mm (1 inch) height
- Alarm and Monitoring & Control via Modbus

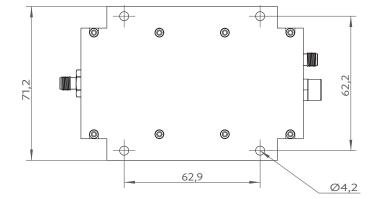
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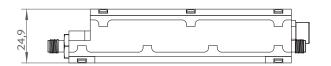
AESA Modular – one of our most advanced products to date. Active Electronically Scanned Array (AESA) Frequency Converter Modules, designed for integration in AESA antennas.

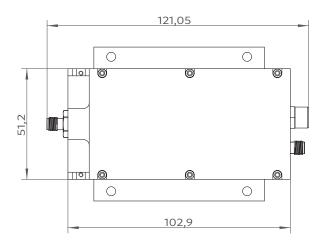
In the era of New Space – LEO, MEO and GEO HTS satellite constellations and addressing the New Ground segment – AESA antennas are believed to be key.

As a well known manufacturer of high quality, high performance, cost effective Professional Satcom Block Downconverter products and related equipment, we wanted to apply our knowledge and experience in Block Frequency converters to the AESA market. We started development with a modular approach for both Uplink and Downlink Block Frequency converter products.

The result is a range of State-of-the-Art Frequency Blockdown converters (BDC) for both Ku- and Ka-Bands, featuring unique functionality.









Connector A (standard)

Type: SMA 50 Ω female Functions: L-Band out, DC in, ext 10 MHz in

Connector B (standard)

Type: M8 female, 4 pin, A coded Functions: Alarm and M&C



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Technical specifications

	GENERAL	Input Frequency	Within 17.20 to 22.20 GHz, 1 to 8 bands
		LO Frequency	Custom between 16.25 to 20.75 GHz, step size 50 MHz
		Output Frequency	950 to 2000 MHz, optional 950-2450 MHz
		DC Input	+11 to +26 V through output connector or separate connector (SMA), see switching voltage above
		Power consumption	6 W max.
		Dimensions	$121 \times 71 \times 24.9 \text{ mm}$ exclusive connectors and mounting flanges
		Weight	203 g
		Temperature Range	Storage and operating: -40 to +80°C
		Switching	Via Modbus M&C or legacy +11 to 26 V nom. & 22 kHz (example 13/15/18/24 V & 22 kHz tone for 8 Bands)
		22 kHz tone	Switching No tone/22 kHz ± 4 kHz, Amplitude voltage 0.6 ± 0.2 V, Duty cycle 40-60%
	S	Input connector	SMA-type 50Ω female
	INTERFACES	Output Connector	SMA-type 50Ω, female
	INTE	Ext. 10 MHz Ref.	Sine wave, Level -10 to +10 dBm. Supplied through output connector.
		Alarm	Interface: Separate SMA-f connector (C), Open collector, Open on fault, 3.3 to 24 V, max. 200 mA Available Alarms: LO not locked, Total current consumption, Power detector outside limits, RF level outside limits
		M&C	Via MODBUS RTU RS485 electrical interface, see sep. document for details. NOTE! Mates with M8 male connector. Cable: shielded min. CAT 5
		Gain	20 dB nominal (15 dB to 30 dB by request)
		Flatness each band	±1.5 dB max.
		Noise figure	15 dB / 8881 K max.
		Phase Noise	-32 dBc @ 10 Hz -62 dBc @ 100 Hz -80 dBc @ 1 kHz -83 dBc @ 10 kHz -93 dBc @ 100 kHz -112 dBc @ 1 MHz -120 dBc @ >10 MHz max.
		Group Delay	0.25 ns @ 50 MHz, 2 ns @ each band max.
		Image Rejection	30 dB @ LO < 19.25, 20 dB @ LO 20.25
	INTERNAL	Input VSWR	1.7:1 max.
		Output P1dB	+10 dBm min. @ 20 dB gain
		Output IP3	+20 dBm min. @ 20 dB gain
		Output VSWR	1.7:1 max.
		LO reference	Auto switch External/Internal
		Internal LO ref.	±1.5 ppm -40 to +80°C
		LO Leakage	-60 dBm max. @ input
		Options	Customized LO frequencies (up to 8 LOs), Extended IF, Separate DC (SMA), Separate 10 MHz ref. input (SMA)



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