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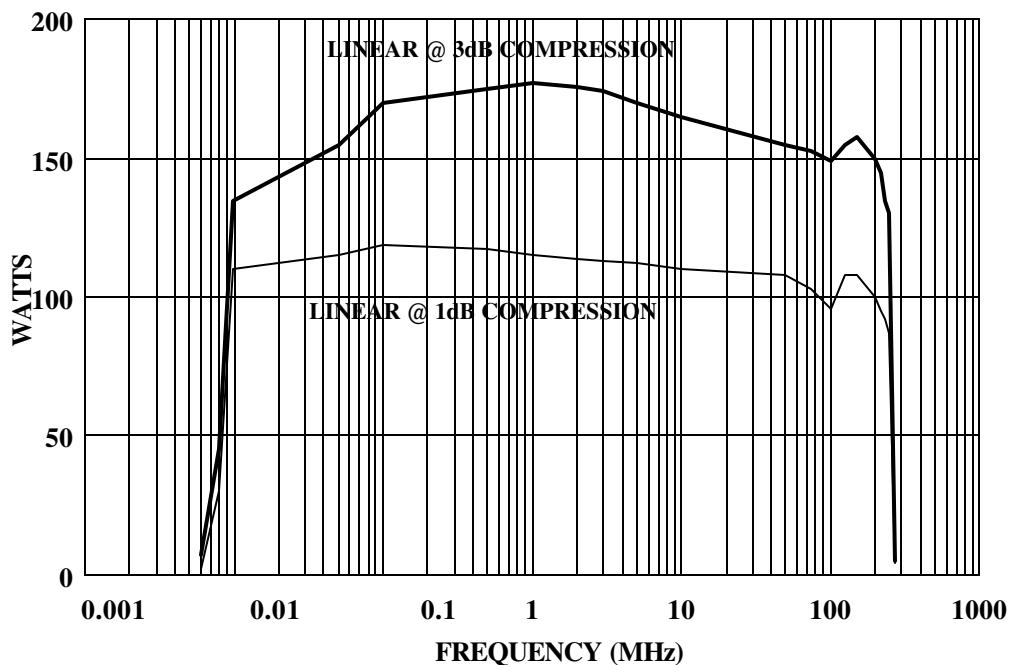
MODEL 100A250A  
M1, M2, M3, M4, M5  
100 WATTS CW  
10 kHz - 250 MHz

The Model 100A250A amplifier is a self-contained, broadband unit designed for laboratory applications where instantaneous bandwidth, high gain and moderate power output are required. Utilization of push-pull MOSFET circuitry lowers distortion, improves stability and allows operation into any load impedance without damage. The Model 100A250A, when used with an RF sweep generator, will provide a minimum of 100 watts of swept power.

There is a digital display on the front panel to indicate the operate status and fault conditions when an over temperature, power supply, or amplifier fault has occurred. The unit can be returned to operate when the condition has been cleared. The 100A250A includes digital control for both local and remote control of the amplifier. This 8-bit RISC microprocessor controlled board provides both IEEE-488 (GPIB) and asynchronous, full duplex RS-232 control of all amplifier functions.

Housed in a stylish, contemporary enclosure (except M2, M3, M4), the Model 100A250A provides readily available RF Power for typical applications such as RF susceptibility testing, antenna and component testing, watt meter calibration, and use as a driver for higher power amplifiers.

#### 100A250A TYPICAL POWER OUTPUT



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**SPECIFICATIONS**  
*Model 100A250A*

<i>RATED OUTPUT POWER</i> .....	<i>100 watts</i>
<i>INPUT FOR RATED OUTPUT</i> .....	<i>1.0 milliwatt maximum</i>
<i>POWER OUTPUT @ 3dB compression</i>	
<i>Nominal</i> .....	<i>157 watts</i>
<i>Minimum</i> .....	<i>125 watts</i>
<i>POWER OUTPUT @ 1dB compression</i>	
<i>Nominal</i> .....	<i>107 watts</i>
<i>Minimum</i> .....	<i>75 watts</i>
<i>FLATNESS</i> .....	<i>± 1.5 dB maximum</i>
<i>FREQUENCY RESPONSE</i> .....	<i>10 kHz - 250 MHz instantaneously</i>
<i>GAIN (at maximum setting)</i> .....	<i>50 dB minimum</i>
<i>GAIN ADJUSTMENT (continuous range)</i> .....	<i>18 dB minimum</i>
<i>INPUT IMPEDANCE</i> .....	<i>50 ohms, VSWR 1.5:1 maximum</i>
<i>OUTPUT IMPEDANCE</i> .....	<i>50 ohms, VSWR 2.0:1 maximum</i>
<i>MISMATCH TOLERANCE *</i> .....	<i>100% of rated power without foldback. Will operate without damage or oscillation with any magnitude and phase of source and load impedance</i>
<i>MODULATION CAPABILITY</i> .....	<i>Will faithfully reproduce AM, FM, or pulse modulation appearing on the input signal</i>
<i>NOISE FIGURE (above 1.0 MHz)</i> .....	<i>10 dB typical</i>
<i>HARMONIC DISTORTION</i> .....	<i>Minus 20 dBc maximum at 75 watts</i>
<i>THIRD ORDER INTERCEPT POINT</i> .....	<i>58 dBm typical</i>
<i>PRIMARY POWER</i> .....	<i>90 - 135 / 180 - 270 VAC autoranging 47-63 Hz, single phase 1000 watts maximum</i>
<i>REMOTE INTERFACES</i> .....	<i>IEEE-488, RS-232</i>
<i>CONNECTORS</i>	
<i>RF input</i> .....	<i>See Model Configuration</i>
<i>REMOTE CONTROL</i>	
<i>IEEE-488</i> .....	<i>24 pin female</i>
<i>RS-232</i> .....	<i>9 pin Subminiature D (female)</i>
<i>REMOTE INTERLOCK</i> .....	<i>15 pin subminiature D</i>
<i>COOLING</i> .....	<i>Forced air (self contained fans)</i>

**MODEL CONFIGURATIONS**

<i>Model Number</i>	<i>RF Input</i>	<i>RF Output</i>	<i>Weight</i>	<i>Size (WxHxD)</i>
<i>100A250A</i>	<i>Type "N" female on front panel</i>	<i>Type "N" female on front panel</i>	<i>31.75 kg (70.0 lb)</i>	<i>50.3 x 25.2 x 46.0 cm 19.8 x 9.9 x 18.1 in</i>
<i>100A250AMI</i>	<i>Type "N" female on rear panel</i>	<i>Type "N" female on rear panel</i>	<i>31.75 kg (70.0 lb)</i>	<i>50.3 x 25.2 x 46.0 cm 19.8 x 9.9 x 18.1 in</i>
<i>100A250AM2</i>	<i>Same as 100A250A with enclosure removed for rack mounting</i>		<i>22.15 kg (49.0 lb)</i>	<i>48.3 x 22.25 x 43.2 cm 19.0 x 8.75 x 17.0 in</i>
<i>100A250AM3</i>	<i>Same as 100A250AMI with enclosure removed for rack mounting</i>		<i>22.15 kg (49.0 lb)</i>	<i>48.3 x 22.25 x 43.2 cm 19.0 x 8.75 x 17.0 in</i>
<i>100A250AM4</i>	<i>Same as 100A250A with added side carry handles and front panel pull handles and no enclosure</i>		<i>23.0 kg (51.0 lb)</i>	<i>48.3 x 22.25 x 46.95 cm 19.0 x 8.75 x 18.5 in</i>
<i>100A250AM5</i>	<i>Same as 100A250A with extended range to 255 MHz, where cw output power is 80W</i>		<i>31.75 kg (70.0lb)</i>	<i>50.3 x 25.2 x 46.0 cm 19.8 x 9.9 x 18.1 in</i>

- See Application Note #27