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Microwave System Amplifiers

Various Models

- Ultra broadband to 50 GHz
- Up to 1 watt output power
- Compact size

HP Microwave System Amplifiers

Use these amplifiers to increase output power from microwave sources and to increase test system measurement speed with improved dynamic range. Drive a variety of narrowband travelling wave tubes with a single driver solution that is highly reliable and low in cost to maintain year after year. With excellent noise figure relative to its broad bandwidth and high gain, these amplifiers can make significant improvement to system noise figure. By using feedback to an external source ALC input, system designers can level output power at the test port, negating the effects of post sweeper reflections and losses. Place power where you need it with a remotely-locatable dc power supply. The amplifier and the power supply are provided with a 2-m dc bias cable.



Specifications (+20° to +30° C)

HP Model	Frequency (GHz)	Power out Psat (dBm)	Power out P1dBC (dBm)	Gain dB (min)	Noise figure (dB typ.)	Detected output	DC bias volt/amp	RF connectors (Input/Output)
83006A	0.01 to 26.5	+18 typ. 0.01 to 10 +16 typ. 10 to 20 +14 typ. 20 to 26.5	+13, 0.01 to 20 +10, 20 to 26.5	20	13, 0.01 to 0.1 GHz 8, 0.1 to 18 GHz 13, 18 to 26.5 GHz	No	+12 V at 450 mA -12 V at 50 mA	3.5 mm (f)
83017A	0.5 to 26.5	+20 typ. 0.5 to 20 +15 typ. 20 to 26.5	+18, 0.5 to 20 GHz +13, 20 to 26.5	25	8, 0.5 to 18 GHz 13, 18 to 26.5 GHz	Yes	+12 V at 700 mA -12 V at 50 mA	3.5 mm (f)
83018A	2 to 26.5	+24, 2 to 20 GHz +21, 20 to 26.5 GHz	+22, 2 to 20 GHz +17, 20 to 26.5 GHz	27, 2 to 20 GHz 23, 20 to 26.5 GHz	10, 2 to 20 GHz 13, 20 to 26.5 GHz	Yes	+12 V at 2 A -12 V at 50 mA	3.5 mm (f)
83020A	2 to 26.5	+30, 2 to 20 GHz +30, 20 to 26.5 GHz*	+28, 2 to 20 GHz +28, 20 to 26.5 GHz*	30, 2 to 20 GHz 27, 20 to 26.5 GHz	10, 2 to 20 GHz 13, 20 to 26.5 GHz	Yes	+15 V at 3.2 A -15 V at 50 mA	3.5 mm (f)
83050A	2 to 50	+20, 2 to 40 GHz +19, 40 to 50 GHz**	+15, 2 to 40 GHz +13, 40 to 50 GHz	21	6, 2 to 26.5 GHz 10, 26.5 to 50 GHz	No	+12 V at 830 mA -12 V at 50 mA	2.4 mm (f)
83051A	0.045 to 50	+12, .045 to 45 GHz +10, 45 to 50 GHz	+8, .045 to 45 GHz +6, 45 to 50 GHz	23	12, 0.045 to 2 GHz 6, 2 to 26.5 GHz 10, 26.5 to 50 GHz	No	+12 V at 425 mA -12 V at 50 mA	2.4 mm (f)
87405A	0.01 to 3	+26 typ.	+4	22-27 min./max.	6.5, 0.01 to 2 GHz 7.5, 2 to 3 GHz	No	+15 V at 80 mA	N (f)/N (m)
87415A	2 to 8	+26 typ.	+23	25	13	No	+12 V at 900 mA	SMA (f)

^{* -0.7} dB/GHz (20<f<26.5)

Dimensions:

HP 83006A, 83017A, 83050A, 83051A, 87415A: 132 mm Lx

103 mm W x 45 mm H (4 in x 1.8 in x 5.2 in)

HP 83018A: 212 mm L x 114 mm W x 76 mm H (4.5 in x 3 in x 8.3 in)

HP 83020A: 275 mm L x 202 mm W x 87 mm H (8 in x 3.4 in x 10.8 in) **HP 87405A:** 125 mm L x 28 mm W x 28 mm H (4.9 in x 1.1 in x 1.1 in)

Weight:

HP 83006A, 83017A, 83050A, 83051A, 87415A: .64 kg (1.4 lb);

HP 83018A: 1.8 kg (4 lb); HP 83020A: 3.9 kg (8.5 lb);

HP 87405A: .27 kg (0.6 lb)

Bias Cable:

2-m cable with a connector on one end and bare wires on the other, shipped with the amplifiers below

HP 83006A, 83017A, 83018A, 83050A, 83051A, 87415A:

HP p/n 83006-60004

HP 83020A: HP p/n 83020-60004

2-m cables to connect between amplifier and power supplies, shipped with power supplies below

HP 87421A: HP p/n 83006-60005

HP 87422A: HP p/n 87422-60001, 83006-60005

HP power supply	AC Input voltage	DC Output voltage/current	Output power	Size (H,W,D)	
HP 87421A	100 to 240 VAC 50/60 Hz	+12 V at 2.0 A, -12 V at 200 mA	25 W max	57 mm, 114 mm, 176 mm 2.3 in, 4.5 in, 6.9 in	
HP 87422A	100 to 240 VAC 50/60 Hz	+15 V at 3.3 A, -15 V at 50 mA +12 V at 2.0 A, -12 V at 200 mA	70 W max	86 mm, 202 mm, 276 mm 3.4 in, 8.0 in, 10.9 in	

Key Literature

Latest RF & Microwave Test Accessories Catalog, p/n 5968-4314E

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^{** 19} dBm -0.2 dB/GHz (40<f<50)