

Amplifiers

Model 500S1G6C

Features:

- 500 W CW, 1.0 - 6.0 GHz
- Class A design
- 100% mismatch tolerant
- Built-in fault monitoring and protection
- Remote control: Ethernet, USB, GPIB, fiber-optic serial, RS-232
- Modular design for easy maintenance and service
- Low acoustical noise

Applications:

- EMC (military, aviation, automotive, commercial)
- Radiated and conducted EMC testing
- General purpose, antenna, and component testing

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The Model 500S1G6C is a solid-state, Class A design, self-contained, air-cooled, broadband power amplifier designed for applications where instantaneous bandwidth, high gain and linearity are required. It will provide a minimum of 500 W across its operating bandwidth of 1.0 - 6.0 GHz. Protection from input overdrive beyond 0 dBm is provided as well as protection from various failure conditions including over-temperature and power supply faults.

A front panel display indicates the operational status and fault conditions. All amplifier control functions, and status indications are available remotely using GPIB/IEEE-488, RS-232, fiber-optic serial, USB, or Ethernet. Interface connectors are located on the back panel. Local and remote operation is managed by a switch on the front panel.

This is a multiple purpose amplifier. The low level of spurious signals and linearity make it ideal for use as a driver in testing wireless and communication components and subsystems. By covering such a wide bandwidth, it is suitable for 5G testing applications. Due to the Class A design, it is also suitable for EMC Test applications where continued operation into high VSWR loads including open and short circuits is required.



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- 1.0 - 6.0 GHz

Electrical Specifications					
Parameter	Symbol	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit
Rated Power Output (1.0 - 6.0 GHz)	PSAT	500	550	>600	W
Input for Rated Output	Pin			1	mW
				0	dBm
Power Output @ 3 dB Compression	P3dB	475	525	>575	W
Power Output @ 1 dB Compression	P1dB	400	450	>500	W
Operating Frequency	BW	1.0		6.0	GHz
Gain (Small Signal)		61	64	66	dB
Gain Reduction Adjustment (when below gain compression)		10	12	15	dB
Flatness @ small signal (-20 dBm input)	ΔG		± 2.0	± 2.5	dB
Input Impedance	Z in		50		Ohm
			1.5:1	2.0:1	VSWR
Output Impedance	Z out		50		Ohm
3 rd Order Intercept	IP3		+63		dBm
Noise Figure	NF		10		dB
Harmonic Distortion @ 400 W for entire band except 2 - 3 GHz	H2, H3		-30	-20	dBc
Harmonic Distortion @ 400 W for 2 - 3 GHz	H2, H3		-22	-18	dBc
Spurious			-73		dBc
Power Consumption	Pd			3900	W

Absolute Maximum Rating				
Exceeding any of the limits listed here may result in permanent damage to the device.				
Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit
RF Drive		0	+13	dBm
RF Load		1:1	6:1	VSWR
RF Load Reflected Will operate without damage or oscillation when connected to any load impedance without the aid of foldback circuitry. However, mismatch above 6:1 may limit output to 250 W reflected power.			50	%
AC Power (single phase)	200		240	VAC
AC Power	47		63	Hz
Ambient Temperature	+5	+25	+35	°C
Storage Temperature	-20		+50	°C
Altitude			1000	m
Shock/Vibration	Normal Truck Transport			



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Mechanical Specifications		
Parameters	Typical	Unit
Dimensions (26U Rack) (W x H x D)	57.3 x 136.0 x 67.1	cm
	22.6 x 53.5 x 26.5	in
Weight	177	kg
	390	lb
Cooling	Forced air (self-contained fans) Side inlets / rear outlet $\Delta t = +7^{\circ}\text{C}$ (typical)	
Acoustical Noise (Measured @ 1 meter from the front)	62 (typical)	dBA

Regulatory Compliance	
Type	Standard
EMC	EN 61326-1
Safety	UL 61010-1
	CAN/CSA C22.2 #61010-1
	CENELEC EN 61010-1
RoHS	Directive 2011/65/EU
Export	3A001

Connector interfaces	
Function	Type
RF input	N female (50 Ω), rear
RF output	7-16 DIN female (50 Ω), rear
RF sample	N female (50 Ω), rear (57 dB typical)
IEEE-488	24-pin
RS-232	9-pin subminiature D female
RS-232 (fiber optic)	ST
USB 2.0	Type B
Ethernet	RJ-45
Interlock	15-pin subminiature D female
AC Input	5-meter harmonized power cord supplied with amplifier. The power cord is left open-ended to allow for facility power connection of user's choice.



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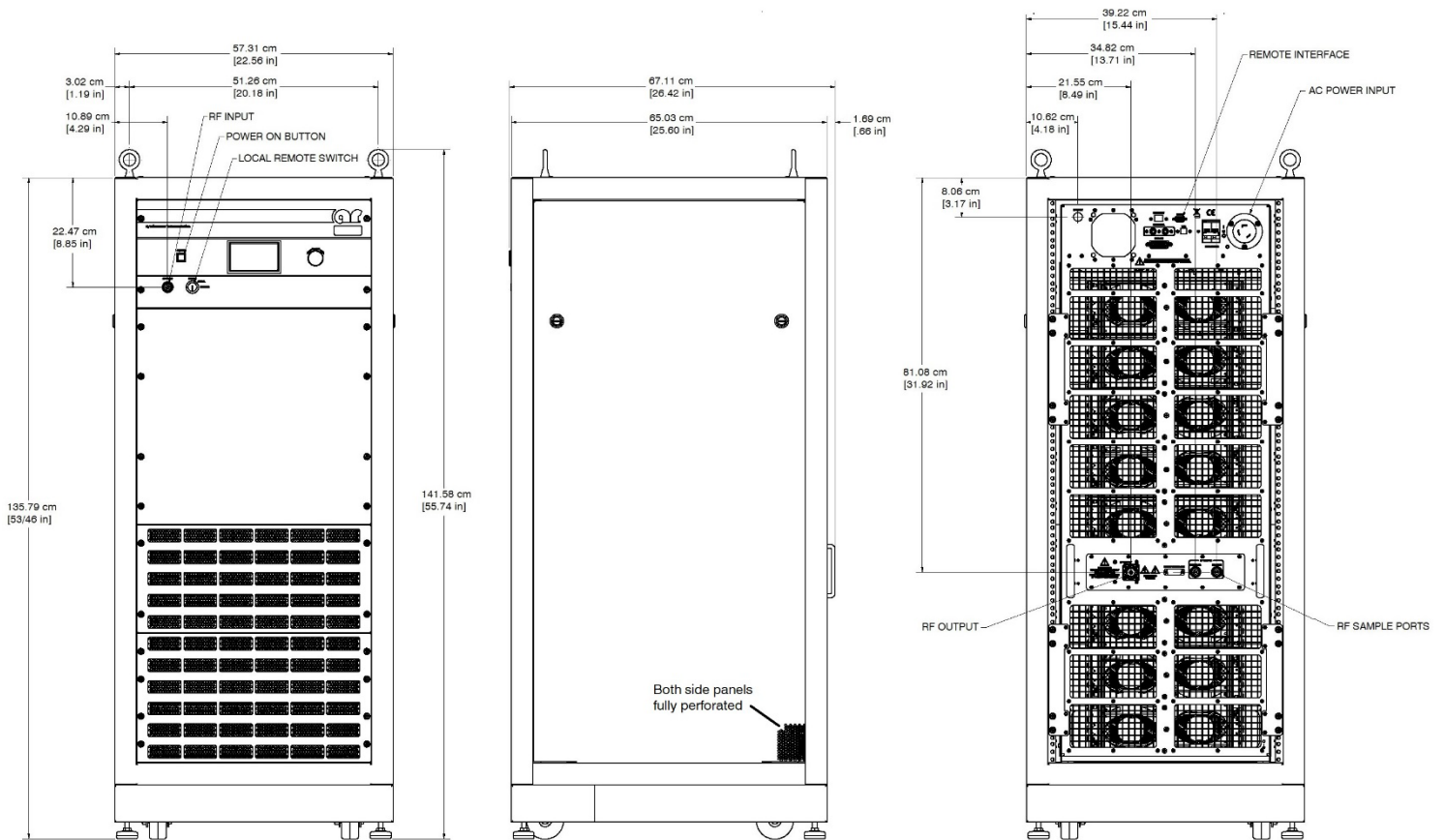
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Ordering Options

500S1G6C	-	N	-	R	-	7-16	-	RF
Model		RF IN Conn Location, Type		RF OUT Conn Location, Type		RF Sample Ports		
		Connector Location		RF Sample Ports				
		Front	F	Front	SPF			
		Rear	R	Rear	SPR			

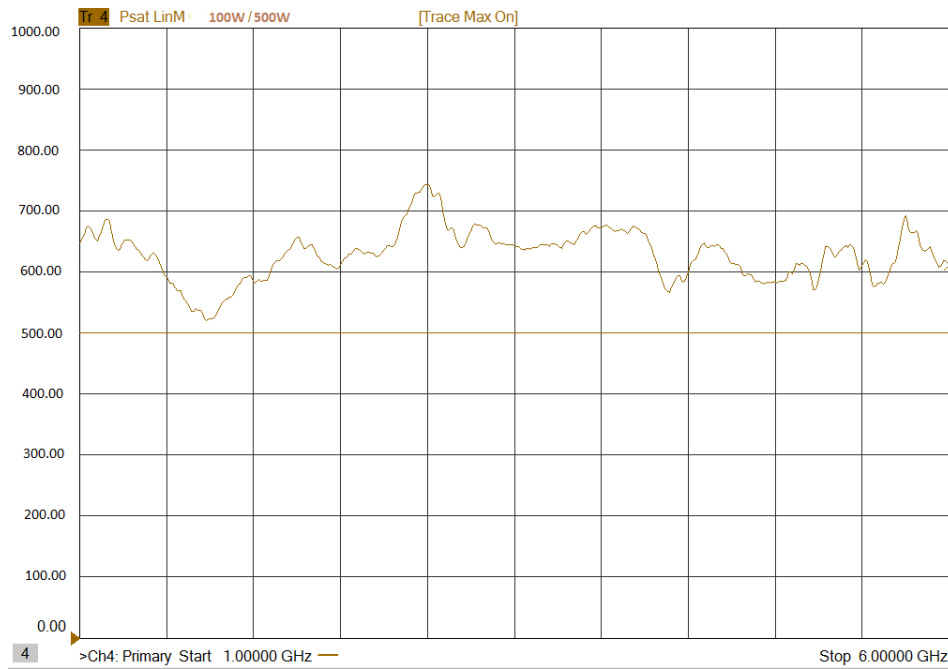
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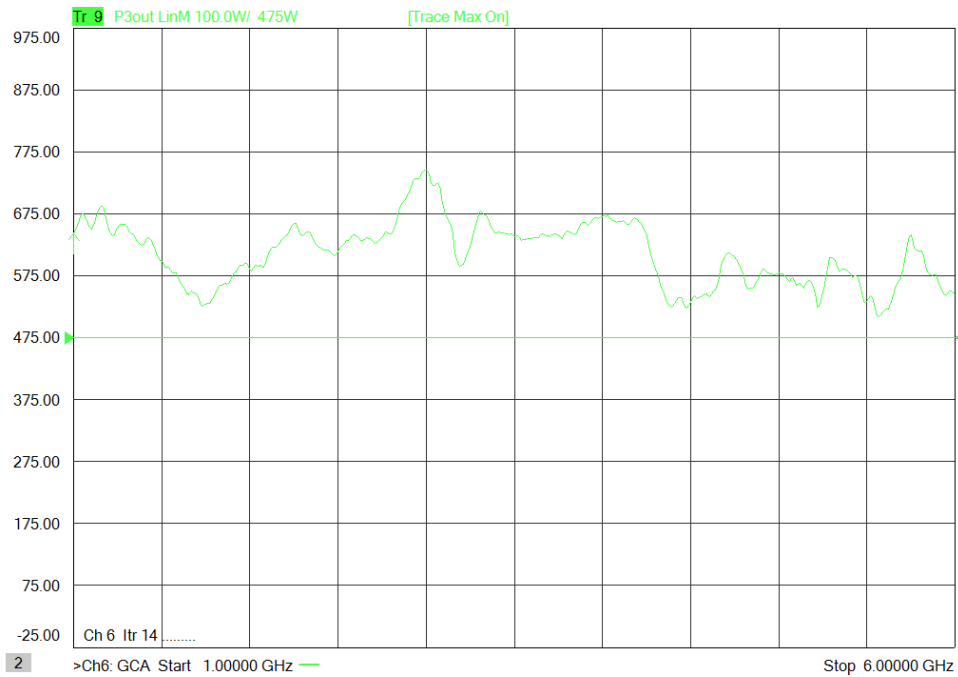


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TYPICAL PSAT POWER @ 0 dBm INPUT

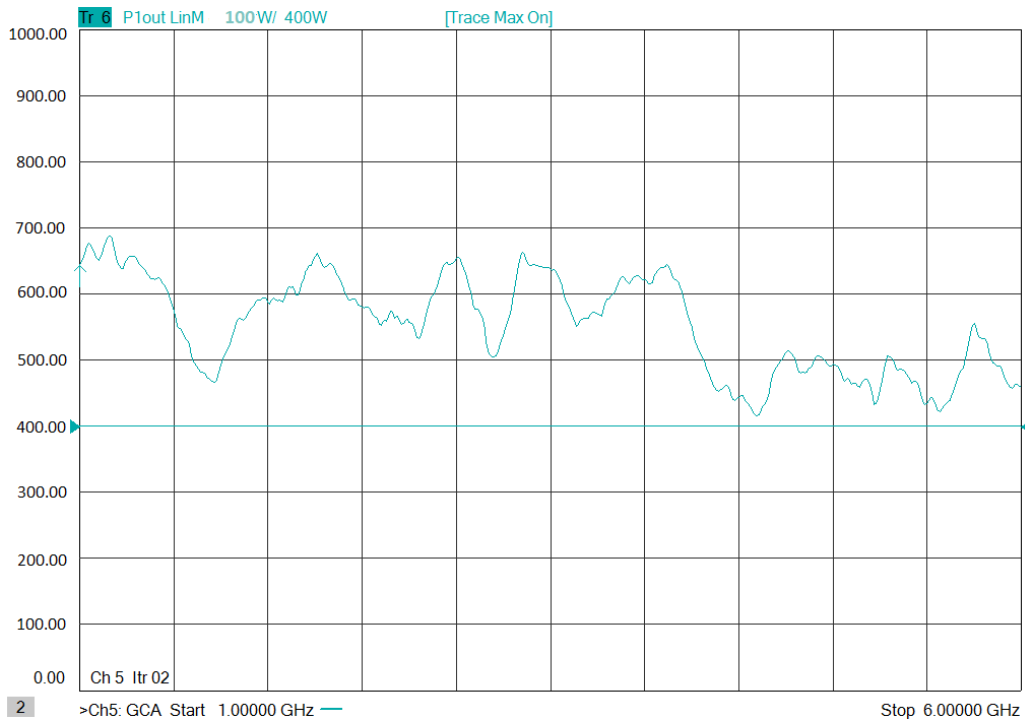


TYPICAL POWER @ P3 dB COMPRESSION

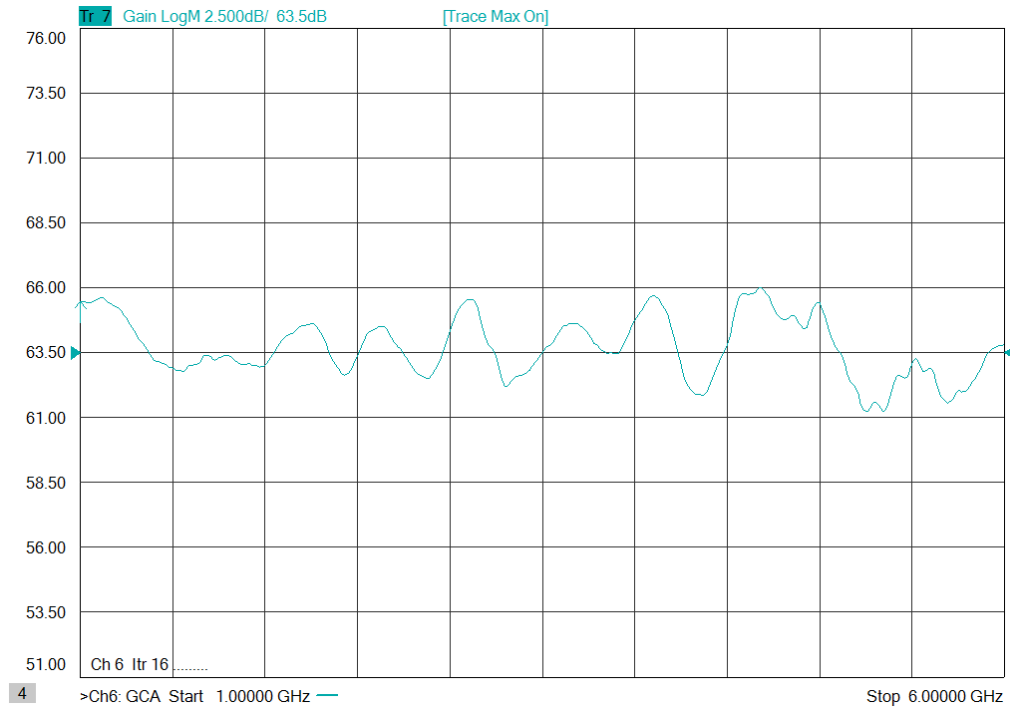


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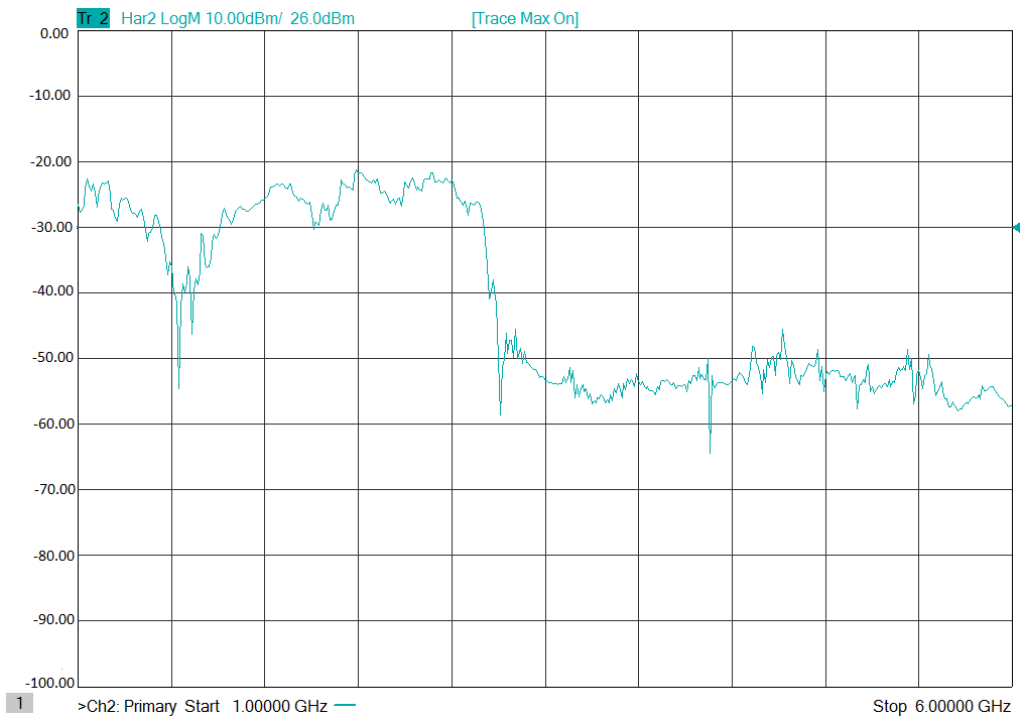


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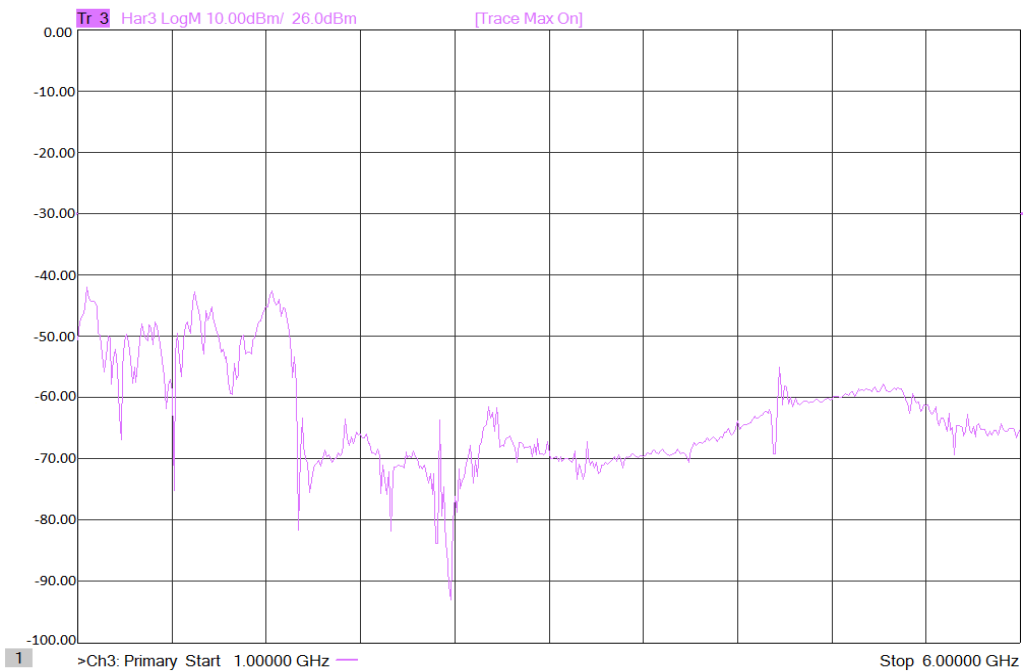


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TYPICAL 2ND HARMONIC @ 400 W



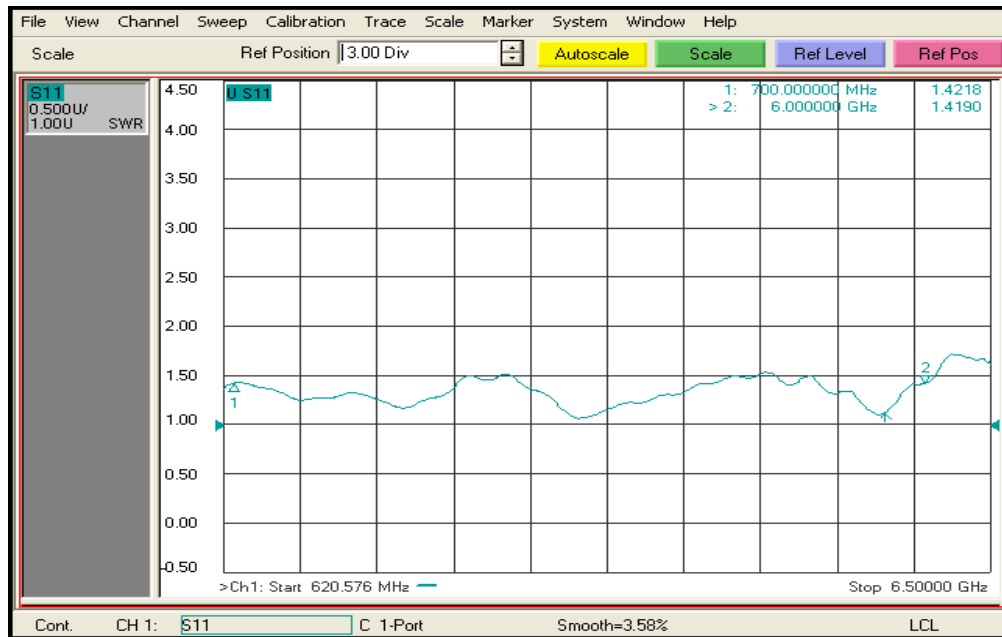
TYPICAL 3RD HARMONIC @ 400 W



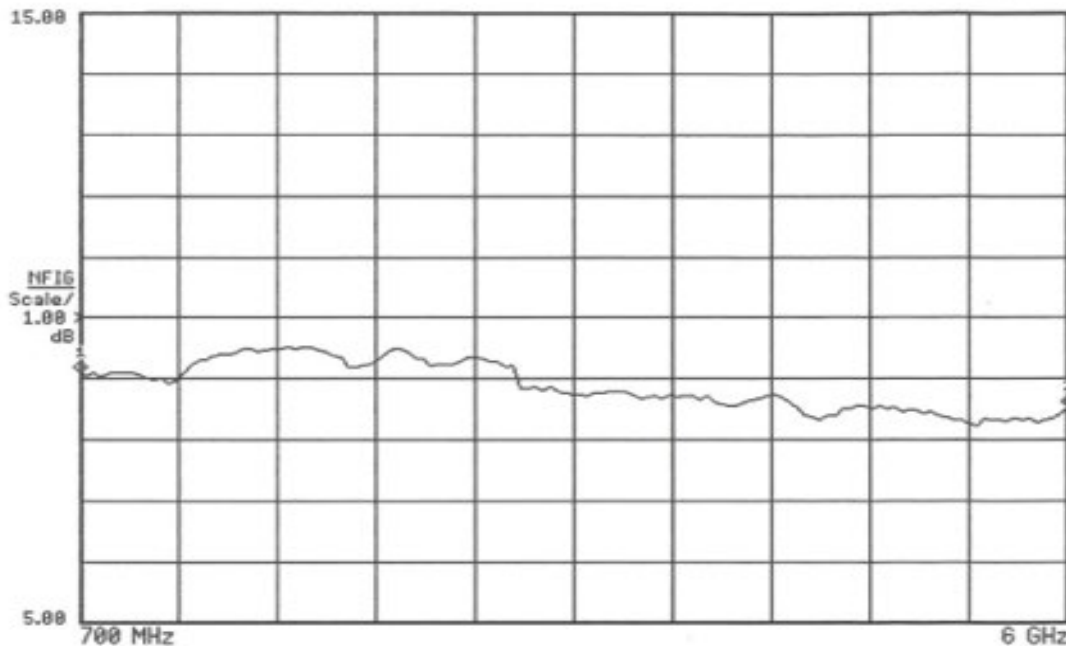
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TYPICAL INPUT VSWR



TYPICAL NOISE FIGURE



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