## MB1000 Modular bridger amplifier



- Downstream frequency range up to 1006 MHz
- Upstream frequency range up to 204 MHz
- Optional connection to Monitoring System
- GaN output stage
- Automatic gain and slope control
- Automatic ingress management by the RSW module


## General description

The MB1000 bridger amplifier works with 2 independent output stages, the second one of them can be divided symmetrically or asymmetrically by a passive module. They have a common gain and slope control option, while the 2 independently fed lines have 2 independently managed automatic ingress switches. The device is available with 3 different gain values. Based on this and on the modular style the amplifier can act as a key part of a larger network.

## Technical specifications

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| Forward path RF parameters | MB1038D MB1042D MB1048D |
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| Amplifier type | GaN PD hybrid |
| Gain [dB] | $38+2 /-0 \quad 42+2 /-0 \quad 48+2 /-0$ |
| Frequency range [ MHz ] | $47 . . .1006{ }^{(1)}$ |
| Equaliser breakpoint frequency [ MHz ] | $862,1006^{(2)}$ |
| RF attenuator range [dB] | $0 . . .22^{(3)}$ |
| $R F$ equaliser range [ dB ] | $0 . . .18{ }^{(4)}$ |
| Flatness [dB] | $\pm 0.75$ |
| Return loss (40MHz -1.5dB/octave) [dB] | >18 |
| RF testpoint attenuation [dB] | $30 \pm 1$ |
| CTB [dB] | $-73{ }^{(5)}$ |
| CSO [dB] | -76 ${ }^{(5)}$ |
| Noise-to-power ratio (NPR) maximum / Dynamic range of NPR > 42 [dB] | $60 / 25^{(6)}$ (7) |
| ASG insertion loss ( $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) [dB] | 6.5 |
| ASG control range [dB] | $\pm 4$ |
| ASG flatness [dB] | $\pm 0.5$ |
| Noise figure [dB] | 7 |
| Output splitter, directional coupler (Bridge out 2/3) [dB] | Plug-in 4, 8, 12, 16, 20 |

Reverse path RF parameters
MB10xxD-xx-20 MB10xxD-xx-25
Gain [dB]
$20 \pm 1$
$25 \pm 1$
Frequency range [MHz]
5... 204

Diplex filter [MHz]
RF attenuator range [dB]
RF equaliser range [dB]
Flatness [dB]
Input return loss ( $40 \mathrm{MHz}-1.5 \mathrm{~dB} /$ octave) [dB]
65/85, 85/105, 204/258
$0 . . .22^{(3)}$
$0 . . .14^{(3)}$ (8)

RF testpoint attenuation [dB]
$\pm 0.75$

Ingress control switch (RSW) states
$>18$
$0 \mathrm{~dB} /-6 \mathrm{~dB} /-50 \mathrm{~dB}, 0 \mathrm{~dB} /-6 \mathrm{~dB} /-50 \mathrm{~dB} / \mathrm{HPF} 20$
Noise-to-power ratio (NPR) maximum / Dynamic range of NPR > 36 [dB]

## General parameters

| RF connector | $5 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Power supply voltage [VAC] | $\sim 30 . .65, \mathrm{n} 35 \ldots 90$ |
| Maximum power consumption [W] | 38 |
| Maximum current feed-through [A] | 10 |
| Hum modulation [dB] | 70 |
| Screening factor [dB] | 80 |
| Degree of protection | IP65 |
| Operational temperature range [ $\left.{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right]$ | $-40 \ldots+60$ |
| Dimensions [mm] | $275 \times 200 \times 122$ |
| Weight [kg] | 4.1 |

(1) Lower frequency limit is defined by the diplexer
(2) Breakpoint is defined by the mounted equaliser modules
(3) $2 d B$ steps (in case of attenuators $1 d B$ steps are possible between $0 d B$ and $5 d B$ )
(4) $2 d B$ steps. In case of breakpoint of 1006 MHz the range is limited at 16 dB
(5) 60 dBmV at $1006 \mathrm{MHz}, 18 \mathrm{~dB}$ extrapolated tilt, 79 analog +75 digital channels ( -6 dB offset)
(6) Measured with flat full spectrum load between 85 and 1006 MHz
(7) $\mathrm{NPR}_{\max }$ at $T C P=65 \mathrm{dBmV}$
(8) In case of breakpoint of 65 MHz and 85 MHz the range is limited at 12 dB
(9) Measured with flat full spectrum load between 5 and 204 MHz
(7) NPR $\max$ at $39 \mathrm{dBmV} /$ channel

Block diagram


Ordering information


| Option | Required modules | Ordering codes |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ASG option | 1pc ASGxxx-C, 1pc BEQxxx-A, 1pc ATxx | ASGxxx-C, BEQxxx-A, ATxx |
| Monitoring option | 1pc NMT-FE, 2pc RSW2-A or 2pc RSW2-H2O | NMT-FE, RSW-2A, RSW2-H20 |
| Wall mount kit | 1pc WMK-1 (double) | WMK-1 |

