

IBD(Ka) series

Ka-Band, Single-range, Single & Multi-Channel, Rack Mount, Block **DownConverters**



High Grade Single & Multi-Channel DownConverter Products;

IBD1770	Ka-Band (17.70-18.70GHz) to L-Band (950-1950MHz)
IBD1820	Ka-Band (18.20-19.20GHz) to L-Band (950-1950MHz)
IBD1870	Ka-Band (18.70-19.70GHz) to L-Band (950-1950MHz)
IBD1890	Ka-Band (18.90-19.60GHz) to L-Band (950-1650MHz)
IBD1920	Ka-Band (19.20-20.20GHz) to L-Band (950-1950MHz)
IBD1950	Ka-Band (19.50-20.20GHz) to L-Band (950-1650MHz)
IBD1970	Ka-Band (19.70-20.20GHz) to L-Band (950-1450MHz)
IBD2020	Ka-Band (20.20-21.20GHz) to L-Band (950-1950MHz)
IBD2140	Ka-Band (21.40-22.00GHz) to L-Band (950-1550MHz)
IBD2950	Ka-Band (29.50-30.00GHz) to L-Band (950-1450MHz)

For other 'non-standard' frequency requirements and multi-channel units, please contact the factory. For equivalent units with full user interface, remote control and digital attenuation, please see IBDH(Ka) series datasheet. For equivalent remote mount units, please see PBD(A) series datasheet.

The 19-inch 1U rack mounted IBD(Ka) series of block frequency down converter units from Peak Communications are designed to take the incoming SHF signal and produce an output at L-Band that is suitable for direct connection to an L-band demodulator or for further conversion typically by a P7001 synthesised down converter.

The IBD(Ka) series of units are mains powered and are constructed of high grade components to give the ultimate performance.

For 1+1 & 2+1 redundancy the IBD(Ka) series are offered with the RCU100/ RCU200 & RCUH100/ RCUH200 series redundancy controllers. For N+1 the RCU1001(Ka) series is offered.

The unit has a highly stable internal reference source and will automatically detect and lock to an external 10MHz signal, when applied.

Peak Features

\sim	High stability, low ripple and excellent phase noise, using PDRO technology
\overline{M}	10MHz external reference fitted as standard with automatic internal reference back-up

 \overline{M} Full alarm monitoring

Fully compatible with RCU100/ RCU200 & RCUH100/ RCUH200 series 1+1/ 2+1 redundancy controllers and RCU1001(Ka) series for N+1 redundancy units

ML-Band monitor & fibre optic L-Band interface options available M

Available in dual, triple & quad-channel versions

IBD(Ka) series - Typical Specification

SHF Input

Frequency

IBD1770 17.7-18.7GHz **IBD1820** 18.2-19.2GHz **IBD1870** 18.7-19.7GHz 18.9-19.6GHz **IBD1890 IBD1920** 19.2-20.2GHz **IBD1950** 19.5-20.2GHz 19.7-20.2GHz **IBD1970 IBD2020** 20.2-21.2GHz **IBD2140** 21.4-22.0GHz **IBD2950** 29.5-30.0GHz

K-Type (f), 50Ω or 2.92mm (f) Connector

Note; for multi-channel version, multiple connectors are provided

>14dB Return loss RF input power -20dBm max

L-Band Output

950 up to 1950MHz, depending on model Frequency

Connector SMA (f), 50Ω Option 1b: N-Type (f), 50Ω

Note; for multi-channel version, multiple connectors are provided

Return loss >15dB 1dB GCP +8dBm

Transfer Characteristics

Conversion gain 30dB ±1dB at band centre Gain stability ±1dB over temperature range

±1dB full band (±1.5dB for bandwidths ≥800MHz) Gain flatness

±0.5dB across any 40MHz in-band

Noise figure 7dB max

Manual L-Band Attenuation (Option 10a)

30dB nominal Attenuation range

Continuously variable from front panel Control

Note; can degrade gain flatness performance

Typical RF Performance

LO phase noise -35dBc/Hz at 10Hz typical with good -70dBc/Hz at 100Hz -90dBc/Hz at 1kHz phase noise ext. 10MHz ref) -95dBc/Hz at 10kHz -100dBc/Hz at 100kHz -115dBc/Hz at 1MHz

Better than -50dBc Harmonics

Spurious <-65dBm (in-band non-carrier related)

<-60dBc (in-band carrier related)

Note: 2nd harmonic of IF (2xIF) at -50dBc@0dBm output, if in-band

LO leakage <-70dBm (always out of band)

3rd order intercept >+18dBm

L-Band Monitor (Option 2)

Connector

L-Band monitor, SMA (f), 50Ω on rear panel Option 2a: L-Band monitor, SMA (f), 50Ω on front panel Option 2b;

Note; for other connector types please consult the factory

-20dBc ±3dB Level

External Reference Input (with automatic detection)

Frequency 10MHz (5MHz factory settable)

Connector BNC (f), 50Ω Level 0dBm ±5dB

Required phase noise better than 50dBc/Hz of output phase noise

Locking delay <2 minutes to stabilise from cold

Internal Back-up Reference Stability 5 x 10⁻¹¹ over 1s Allan deviation

<5 x 10⁻⁹ per day, <5 x 10⁻⁷ per year <5 x 10⁻⁸ over 0 to 50°C Ageing

Temp stability

High stability (Option 8)

3 x 10⁻¹² over 1s Allan deviation

<2 x 10⁻¹⁰ per day, <2 x 10⁻⁸ per year Ageing

<3 x 10⁻⁹ over 0 to 50⁰C Temp stability

Mechanical

Width 19" standard rack mountable

Height 1U (1.75")

~400mm (15.7"), plus connectors Depth

Note; for multi-channel versions, a longer ~534mm (21") chassis may

be provided, depending upon options selected.

Construction Aluminium chassis

Weight 3.5-6kgs (8-13lbs) approx., unit & option dependent

Environmental

Operating temp 0°C to +50°C

EMC EN 55022-part B & EN 50082-1

Safety EN 60950

Power Supply

Voltage 90-264VAC Frequency 47-63Hz 50 Watts max. Power

Redundant PSU; provides a 1+1 redundant Option 7;

power supply configuration with separate prime

power inputs

Control System Interface

LO lock failure Alarms

PSU failure

Options

N-Type (f) L-Band interface connection 1b)

-20dBc L-band monitor on rear panel (SMA) 2a) 2b) -20dBc L-band monitor on front panel (SMA)

Fibre optic L-band interface connection 6)

Redundant power supplies 7)

High stability internal reference option 8)

Manual variable attenuator, 0-30dB, at L-band 10a)

Notes; other 'IBU' options do not apply to these products.

The addition of options can modify the typical specification, for details please consult the factory

Rear panel view (sample)



