

FDU-160i

Advanced Frequency Distribution Amplifier



The FDU-160i is a high performance signal distribution amplifier designed for use with Brandywine high precision time and frequency sources.

The FDU-160i is contained in a compact IU rack-mount chassis. The FDU accepts two sets of inputs, comprising the reference frequency (typically10MHz) and status from the source. The FDU provides automatic changeover should one of the on-line source inputs fail. Manual source select override is available on the front panel, or through the Ethernet interface.

A variety of status indicators are located on the front panel for instant visual feedback, together with manual controls for source selection.

A 10/100 base T Ethernet interface provides full control over the functionality of the system, including reference selection and output amplitude (on a per channel basis).

FEATURES

- Network Enabled Frequency Distribution Amplifier
- **Dual Frequency Inputs with Auto Failover**
- Low Phase Noise Reference Frequency Outputs
- Programmable per channel amplitude
- 1U 19" rack mount
- Redundant Hot Swappable Power Supplies

User control of the unit is via a built-in Web Browser with user-friendly graphical interface, or via SNMP for system applications.

Applications for the FDU-160i include secure communications systems, satellite ground stations, digital television broadcasting and any system requiring highly reliable frequency outputs.

Applications

- Satellite Communications
- Broadcasters
- Microwave Terminals

Key Benefits

- Low Phase Noise 10 MHz Outputs
- 2x Frequency Input to 16x Frequency Output
- Optional Cleanup Oscillator
- Designed for High Availablity & High Reliability operation



Specifications

Frequency Inputs

Frequency 10 MHz, +/- 5PPM Amplitude & Impedance 0.5-1Vrms, 50 Ω Isolation Transformer coupled

Number of Inputs 2 Connector Type BNC

Input Selection Manual, Auto

Fault Inputs

Number of Inputs 2 Signal Type TTL

Active Level Selectable for active high or low Action Forces on-line changeover

Frequency Outputs

Number of Outputs 16

Frequency Same as Input, 10MHz (std),

Optional 1-20, 1, 5 MHz

Output Level 10dBm to +13dBm, short-circuit proof

Connector Type BNC
Harmonic Distortion -30 dBc
Cross Talk -80 dBc
Spurious -80 dBc

Network Interface

Interface Type 10/100 base T

Protocols HTTP, DHCP, SNMP V2c, IPV4

Connector RJ45

Console Port

Interface Type RS232 Parameters 115200, N, 8, 1

Connector DB9

Display

Display Type 16 bicolor LED

Functions Output status, Ethernet settings

Status Output (Alarm)

Type Dry relay form C contacts
Ethernet SNMP trap

Alarm Function Summary of all input/output alarms

(relay)

Individual input, output, power

(Ethernet)

Power

Redundancy Dual redundant

Single supply maintains complete unit

Voltage 90-240 VAC 50/60Hz (std)

18-36V DC Optional 36-72VDC Optional

Power Consumption <15W

Environmental and Safety

Temperature

Operating -10 to +55°C non condensing

Storage -40 to +85°C

Product Safety EN60950-1: 2006 + A11-2009 +A1:2010

A12:2011

Designed to Meet: EN55022 Class A

EN50082-2

FCC Chapter 15 Class A

Physical

Size: 19" rack-mount

1U high (1.75") 12" deep

Weight: 15lbs nominal

Ordering Information

Advanced Frequency Distribution Amplifier Basic Unit Includes Dual AC Power Supplies

022050001 2 i/p 10MHz, 16 output 10MHz

022050002 2 i/p 5MHz, 16 output 5MHz 022050003 2 i/p 1MHz, 16 output 1MHz

Power Options (order separately)

022060001 Substitute 18-36 DC power for AC 022060002 Substitute 36-72 DC power for AC

The FDU-160i may be used with many of Brandywine's precision frequency sources such as the RG 2111 for distribution of precision frequency outputs.

RG 2111 part number 001-0230

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