

FMT-25 to 500 25-500W FM Translator

The FMT FM Translator is a unique VHF, FM Stereo Translator product that provides the professional broadcaster with a flexible range of Rx/Tx options and excellent specifications, for program re-broadcasting off-air. The product also has the option of operating as a UHF to UHF translator or VHF to UHF translator providing a very flexible or VHF/UHF program linking solution all in a 2U rack mount unit.

The FMT range of products provides various VHF RF output powers in the FM band for re-broadcasting solutions such as the following.

- # FMT-25 25W FM to FM Translator
- # FMT-50 50W FM to FM Translator
- # FMT-100 100W FM to FM translator
- # FMT-250 250W FM to FM Translator
- # FMT-500 500W FM to FM Translator
- # FMT-U15 5-15W UHF Translator

The FMT Range of Products also offers options for VHF / UHF program linking with receiver options from 200-950MHz as follows:

VHF / UHF receiver option a to for FMT-25, FMT-50, FMT-100, FMT-250 and FMT-500

VHF to VHF or UHF to UHF translators are also configurable for Transmission of VHF or UHF link frequencies in the RF power range from 5W to 15W. see Transmitter Options on the rear page.

The Standard product is utilized as a VHF FM translator, receiving the program on one FM Frequency and re-broadcasting on another VHF FM Frequency in the RF Power output ranges of 25W, 50W, 100W, 250W or 500W, by configuring different Power supplies and amplifies modules in the model variations.

The FMT-25 to 500 can also receive a program on a VHF or UHF Link frequency (200-470 or 800-950MHz) and re-transmit on a FM VHF Frequency (88-108MHz). This application provides a solution for "On frequency VHF gap filling" by receiving the program on a UHF frequency and re-broacasting on VHF FM and could completely eliminate the problems of FM to FM Rx/Tx antenna coupling and can even eliminate the need for a second VHF broadcast license.



Features

Compact 2U lightweight, rack mount, convection cooled

A.C. 230 / 115V and D.C. (+24V-100W), (+48V-250-300W) operation

Wideband operation (100kHz baseband)

Automatic tuning (front end)

High selectivity (300kHz adjacent channel operation)

Optional VHF / UHF Receiver down Convertor

Optional VHF/UHF up-convertor and amplifier

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Transmitter Options:			FM			UHF		
Model no.	FMT-25	FMT-50	FMT-100	FMT-250	FMT-500	FMT-U15	FMT-U15	
Option.								
Band	FM	FM	FM	FM	FM	VHF/UHF	UHF	
Frequency (MHZ)	87.5-108	87.5-108	87.5-108	87.5-108	87.5-108	200-470	800-960	
Max RF Power	25W	50W	100W	300W	550W	15W	5W	

Receiver Options:	F	M	VHF / UHF						
Parameter	Option 1	Option 2	Option a	Option b	Option c	Option d	Option e	Option f	
Band	FM	FM	VHF		UHF	UHF	UHF	UHF	
Frequency (MHZ) S/N > 60dB	87.5-108	87.5-108	200-250	290-350	350-400	400-470	800-870	900-960	
	100uV	200uV	100uV	100uV	150uV	150uV	150uV	150uV	
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NOTE: RF Power, Receive and Transmit Frequency options must be provided with order.

Translator General Electrical Specifications

SPECIFICATION PARAMETER Modulation type F3E and F8E (direct carrier) Frequency synthesizer PLL with Local/Remote control

Frequency increments 50 kHz Frequency stability 2ppm Modulation Bandwidth 100kHz

TX:RX Minimum Frequency Spacing

300kHz Stereo Separation (L & R)

≥ 50dB (30Hz - 15kHz) Stereo CrossTalk (L & R) ≥ 45dB (30Hz - 15kHz) Stereo Distortion $\leq 0.25\% (30Hz - 15kHz)$

150uV

Sync AM \leq -50dB Non Sync AM -50dB RF Spurious and Harmonics ≤ -70dBc Stereo S/N @ 1mV ≤ -70dB

Standard RX Sensitivity for 60dB S/N

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PARAMETER SPECIFICATION

110/220V (VIA SWITCH) +/- 15% AC power input External dc Voltage Supply +24V (25-100W) or +48V (250W)

Mains consumption FMT-U15 40VA

FMT-25 70VA FMT-50 100VA FMT-100 175VA FMT-250 400VA FMT-500 800VA

-10 to +45 °C Operating temperature Operating altitude <2500 m

Dimensions (mm) 485W x 500D x 88H (2U)

Weight 6.5-7kg



