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# **SYNTHESIZED, TRIPLE BAND DUAL-CONVERSION UPCONVERTER AND DOWNCONVERTER**

**High Performance**



## **FEATURES**

- Local or remote control
- Low intermodulation distortion
- Low phase noise
- Front panel/remote status monitoring
- Individual and summary alarm contact closure outputs
- 32 complete parameters setting save/recall
- Nonvolatile memory
- Password protection to prevent program tampering

The DCC-800/1000-50/1000 and the DCC-50/1000-800/1000 are high performance synthesized, triple band dual-conversion up- and downconverter systems. The DCC-800/1000-50/1000 accepts a  $900 \pm 25$ , 50 or 100 MHz spectrum and converts up or down to anywhere from 50 to 1000 MHz in 1 MHz steps. The DCC-50/1000-800/1000 system accepts a 50 to 1000 MHz spectrum and converts up or down any  $\pm 25$ , 50 or 100 MHz band in 1 MHz step to center frequency of 900 MHz. The systems can be provided with fixed or programmable gain and mute options. Signal monitors for system input and output and local oscillators are provided at the front panel. All functions are local and remote programmable.

## **OPTIONS**

- Other frequency ranges
- 60 dB output level programming with 1 dB resolution
- RF mute
- Improved group delay

## SPECIFICATIONS

SPECIFICATION	MODEL NUMBERS	
	DCC-800/1000-50/1000	DCC-50/1000-800/1000
Input frequency	Band 1 900 $\pm$ 25 MHz Band 2 900 $\pm$ 50 MHz Band 3 900 $\pm$ 100 MHz	75 to 975 $\pm$ 25 MHz 100 to 950 $\pm$ 50 MHz 150 to 900 $\pm$ 100 MHz
Output frequency	Band 1 75 to 975 $\pm$ 25 MHz Band 2 100 to 950 $\pm$ 50 MHz Band 3 150 to 900 $\pm$ 100 MHz	900 $\pm$ 25 MHz 900 $\pm$ 50 MHz 900 $\pm$ 100 MHz
Gain	11 dB	27–30 dB
P <sub>1dB</sub>	0 dBm minimum	+10 dBm minimum
IP <sup>3</sup> (out)	+10 dBm minimum	+24 dBm minimum

Note: For other frequency bands, consult factory.

Type..... Dual conversion  
 Frequency sense..... No inversion  
 Frequency programming ..... 1 MHz step size

### INPUT CHARACTERISTICS

Frequency..... See table above  
 Impedance..... 50 ohms  
 Return loss ..... 15 dB typical  
 Signal monitor..... -20 dBc (nominal)

### OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS

Frequency..... See table above  
 Impedance..... 50 ohms  
 Return loss ..... 15 dB typical  
 Power output (1 dB compression) ..... See table above

### TRANSFER CHARACTERISTICS

Gain..... See table above  
 Gain slope  
      $\pm$ 100 MHz..... .01 dB/MHz maximum  
      $\pm$ 50 MHz..... .015 dB/MHz maximum  
      $\pm$ 25 MHz..... .03 dB/MHz maximum  
 Image rejection..... > 70 dB typical  
 Level stability .....  $\pm$ 0.5 dB/day maximum at constant temperature  
 Noise figure ..... 15 dB maximum  
 Amplitude response.....  $\pm$ 0.5 dB typical,  $\pm$ 1 dB/ $\pm$ 80 MHz maximum  
 Group delay  
     900  $\pm$ 80 MHz (band 1)  
         Linear ..... 1 ns/MHz maximum  
         Parabolic ..... .003 ns/MHz<sup>2</sup>  
         Ripple ..... 1.5 ns peak-to-peak  
     900  $\pm$ 40 MHz (band 2)  
         Linear ..... 1 ns/MHz maximum  
         Parabolic ..... .006 ns/MHz<sup>2</sup>  
         Ripple ..... 2.5 ns peak-to-peak  
     900  $\pm$ 12.5 MHz (band 3)  
         Linear ..... 1 ns/MHz maximum  
         Parabolic ..... .04 ns/MHz<sup>2</sup>  
         Ripple ..... 3.5 ns peak-to-peak  
 IP<sup>3</sup> (out) ..... See table above

## GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

### SPURIOUS OUTPUTS

Signal related.....	60 dBc minimum from 50–925 MHz, 55 dBc minimum from 925–1000 MHz
Signal independent.....	-80 dBm typical, -70 dBm maximum
LO leakage .....	-70 dBm typical, -60 dBm maximum
Output harmonics .....	60 dBc typical, 50 dBc minimum from 50–550 MHz, 70 dBc typical, 60 dBc minimum from 550–1000 MHz
Frequency stability.....	$\pm 2 \times 10^{-8}$ , 0 to 50°C, $\pm 6 \times 10^{-9}/\text{day}$ maximum (fixed temperature after 24 hour on time)
Upconverter mute .....	60 dB
Phase noise.....	-55 dBc/Hz typical at 10 Hz offset, -70 dBc/Hz typical at 100 Hz offset, -70 dBc/Hz typical at 1 kHz offset, -80 dBc/Hz typical, -75 dBc maximum at 10 kHz offset

### LOCAL CONTROL

All the system's parameters can be programmed from the front panel

### LOCAL ALARMS (LED/LCD display)

Power supply status  
LO lock status  
LO level alarm

### SUMMARY ALARM

Dry contacts for DC voltage and LO alarms

### REMOTE INTERFACE

RS422, RS485 and RS232 programmable  
All the local controls/alarm functions will be operated/monitored remotely

### RF TEST POINTS

IF signal monitor  
RF LO monitor  
IF LO monitor

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## PRIMARY POWER REQUIREMENTS

Voltage ..... 90–250 VAC  
Frequency ..... 47–63 Hz  
Power consumption ..... 130 watts maximum

## PHYSICAL

Weight ..... 33 pounds (15 kg) nominal  
Overall dimensions ..... 19" x 3.5" x 22" (48.3 cm x 8.98 cm x 55.9 cm) maximum  
Rear panel connectors  
    RF ..... SMA female  
    IF ..... N female  
    IF signal monitor ..... N female  
    Remote interface ..... 9-pin male, D connector for RS422, RS485 and RS232  
    Summary alarm ..... 15-pin male, D connector  
Front panel connectors  
    IF, RF, LO1 and LO2 monitors ..... SMA female

## ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating  
    Ambient temperature ..... 0 to 50°C  
    Relative humidity ..... Up to 95% at 30°C, noncondensing  
    Atmospheric pressure ..... Up to 10,000 feet  
Nonoperating  
    Ambient temperature ..... -50 to +70°C  
    Relative humidity ..... Up to 95% at 40°C, noncondensing  
    Atmospheric pressure ..... Up to 40,000 feet  
    Shock and vibration ..... Normal handling by commercial carriers



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