



# House connection amplifier

#### Merkmale

- House connection amplifier for modern HFC networks up to 1,2 GHz
- Integrated high-efficiency switched-mode power supply unit
- Power management: Unused amplifier stage switch-off for reduced power consumption
- Die-cast housing with F-type connectors
- Variable 6 dB interstage gain setting using on-board plug-in attenuators (delivery condition: higher gain)
- The maximum operational levels also apply for operation with interstage attenuation
- Interstage equaliser switchable with bridging plugs (6 dB pre-emphasis)
- Integrated return path 5 204 MHz active/passive, off (switchable with bridging plugs)
- Built-in variable attenuators (delivery condition return path: max. attenuation) and variable equaliser
- LED to indicate operational mode
- Test socket on output -20 dB (with directional coupler)
- Test socket on input -20 dB (Return path 5 204 MHz)
- Test sockets are terminated with the EMK 03 in the delivery status
- For indoor installation
- Conform to: EN 60728-11, EN 50083-2 und EN 32368-1
- The amplifiers comply with the EMC directive 2014/30/EU and Low-Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU applicable at the time of shipping

#### **Basic safety precautions**



- Installation must be carried out by authorised specialist staff.
- Unplug from the mains before installation.
- Described amplifiers are exclusively for installation of HFC networks up to 1218 MHz.
- Any other use or failure to comply with these instructions will void the warranty or guarantee.
- The amplifiers may only be installed in dry areas indoors. Do not install on or against highly combustible materials.
- ► The amplifiers must be earthed when installed (Cu, minimally 4 mm<sup>2</sup>).
- ▶ The safety regulations set out in the current EN 60728-11 und EN 62368-1 standards must be complied with.
- ► The supply voltage of the amplifiers is 230 V<sub>AC</sub> which can be fatal if touched directly!
- ► The only reliable method of disconnecting the amplifiers from the mains is to unplug them.
- ► Do not touch live parts.
- The power plug must be easy to operate as the means of cutting power to the amplifier, so the wall outlet must be close to the amplifier and easily accessible.
- ► The amplifiers may only be installed and deinstalled in the voltage-free condition.
- Do not operate the amplifiers without the factory-fi tted protective cover over the power supply unit. The cover must be closed.
- ▶ No liquid-filled items may be placed on top of the amplifiers.
- The amplifiers are not to be exposed to dripping or splashing water.
- ► Ambient temperature range -20 bis +55 °C.



## Setting of the amplifi er

To adjust the settings, a Phillips screwdriver is required to remove the housing cover. The settings options are also imprinted on the housing cover.

#### **Forward path**

- ① Pre-emphasis: ② Attenuation: ③ Interstage → Attenuation: 6 dB ④ Interstage  $\rightarrow$  Pre-emphasis: 6 dB
- 0 15 dB 0 – 20 dB



### **Optionally available accessories**

- De-emphasis equaliser: Lightning arrester:
- ERZ 120 (Order no. 272791) KAZ 12 (Order no. 21810002)

### Mounting



#### **Return path**

- ⑤ Pre-emphasis: 0 20 dB ⑥ Attenuation: 0 – 20 dB ⑦ Attenuation: 0 dB | 10 dB
- A | B | C:
- Operation mode return path: (see graphic and block diagram)







The following is required for installation:

- Fixings: screws, max. Ø 4.5 mm
- F-type connector plug as per EN 61169-24



#### Block diagram







## **Technical data**

Type   Order no.		VOS 43/RA-1G2   209500001
Forward path		
Frequency range	MHz	258 – 1218
Gain (variable through interstage gain)	dB	34  40
Amplitude deviation	dB	±1 ±1,5
Setting range variable attenuator	dB	0 - 20
Setting range equaliser	dB	0 – 15
Setting range interstage attenuation (switchable with bridging plug)	dB	0   6
Setting range interstage equaliser (switchable with bridging plug)	dB	0   6
Max. operating level <sup>1)</sup> (60-dB-CTB/CSO) flat with interstage pre-emphasis	dBµV	108   114 110   116
Max. operating level <sup>2)</sup> (BER <1E-9) flat with interstage pre-emphasis	dBµV	103 105
Noise fi gure (interstage attenuation 0/6 dB)	dB	5   6
Number of outputs		1
Return path		
Frequency range	MHz	5 – 204
Gain (switchable passive/active)	dB	-1/28, can be disconnected
Setting range attenuation on amplifi er input (switchable with bridging plug)	dB	0   10
Setting range variable attenuator (amplifi er output)	dB	0 - 20
Setting range equaliser (amplifi er output)	dB	0 - 20
Noise fi gure	dB	5
Input level density (CINR: 50 dB)	dBµV/Hz	-11
Dynamic range (input level density)	dB	21
Max. operating level (BER <1E-9) 24 channels QAM 256	dBµV	106
General		
Impedance input/output	Ω	75
Return loss input/output Forward path <sup>3)</sup> Return path	dB	18 20
RF connections		F-type connector
Test socket output with directional coupler (5 – 1218 MHz)	dB	-20
Test socket output return path (5 – 204 MHz)	dB	-20
Nominal input voltage	V <sub>AC</sub>	230 (50/60 Hz)
Power consumption (without/with return path)	W	6/8
Operational display		Green LED
Protection class/protection category (to EN 60529)		II/IP 50
Temperature range	°C	-20 bis +55
Dimensions	mm	184 x 134 x 63
Packing unit/weight	pc./kg	1 (10)/1,7

<sup>1)</sup> To EN 60728-3; CENELEC channel plan 34 carriers; the level values also apply for interstage attenuation

<sup>2)</sup> To EN 60728-3 119 channels 256 QAM

 $^{\scriptscriptstyle 3)}$  To EN 60728-3 (category B); from 40 MHz  $\geq$  18 dB -1.5 dB/octave

#### **Electronic equipment**

Electronic equipment is not domestic waste – in accordance with directive 2012/19/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL dated 4th July 2012 concerning used electrical and electronic appliances, it must be disposed of pro-perly. At the end of its service life, take this unit for disposal at a designated public collection point.

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