

# **Dual IF/L-Band Satellite Modem**







### **OVERVIEW**

The Q-Flex™ modem is a *flexible software-defined modem* that does what you want, now and in the future.

The Q-Flex™'s flexible hardware platform provides SCPC point-to-point operation and supports MCPC/SCPC star operation.

The Q-Flex™ modem is ideal for handling all types of IP traffic including video and VOIP and is fully compatible with our older modems including the Evolution and Quantum.

#### **Advanced Bandwidth-Efficient Features**

The Q-Flex™ modem supports the most powerful bandwidth-saving technology available.

**DVB-S2X**, is between 20% and 60% more bandwidth efficient than its predecessor, DVB-S2.

Paired Carrier+™ is our enhanced carrier overlap technology that allows transmit and receive carriers to occupy the same space segment.

XStream IP™ bandwidth-saving features include ACM, acceleration and header and payload compression. Advanced traffic shaping and metrics ensure that quality of service is delivered in line with Service Level Agreements (SLAs).

### **FEATURES**

- Dual IF/L-band; data rates to 200Mbps
- ➤ XStream IP™ advanced IP optimization suite, including TCP acceleration, header & payload compression, dynamic routing, traffic shaping, jitter reduction, encryption & ACM
- DVB-S2/S2X, FastLink™ LDPC & TPC
- DVB-S2X modulation up to 64APSK
- Optimized spectral roll-offs, including 5%
- Paired Carrier+™ enhanced carrier overlay
- LinkGuard™ signal-under-carrier interference detection
- Built-in spectrum & constellation monitors
- DVB Carrier ID (to DVB-CID standard)
- Multi-demod option
- Q-NET™ Navigator network control app
- ► Terrestrial interfaces: Ethernet, optical Ethernet, EIA-530, G.703 & ASI
- Software Defined Network support: vendorindependent network device control using standard commands (supports OpenFlow)

## **Markets and Applications**

- IP trunking/backhaul & cellular backhaul
- Corporate/enterprise networking
- Government universal service obligation networks
- Broadcast (Ultra HDTV/HEVC/SDTV)
- Maritime, oil & gas communications
- Intelligence gathering

## **Q-Flex**™

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Main Specifications	
Frequency	L-band: 950 to 2150MHz (resolution 1Hz) (N-type connector) IF: 50 to 90MHz & 100 to 180MHz (resolution 100Hz) (BNC connector)
Data Rate	Standard: 2,048kbps Options: 5Mbps, 10Mbps, 25Mbps, 60Mbps, 100Mbps and 200Mbps
Data Rate Limits	DVB-S2/S2X: 50kbps to 200Mbps DVB-S/DSNG: 100kbps to 50Mbps FastLink™ LDPC: 18kbps to 100Mbps TPC: 2.4kbps to 60Mbps 1bps resolution
Symbol Rate Limits	DVB-S2/S2X: 100ksps to 50Msps DVB-S/DSNG: 100ksps to 40Msps FastLink™ LDPC: 18ksps to 40Msps TPC: 2.4ksps to 40Msps
Operating Modes	DVB-S2X (EN 302 307-2) DVB-S2 (EN 302 307-1) DVB-S/DSNG (EN 300 421 & EN 301 210) Closed Network (+ ESC) (IESS-315) IBS/IDR (IESS-308/309/310/314) options
Impedance	<b>L-band:</b> $50\Omega$ ; <b>IF:</b> auto $50\Omega/75\Omega$
Return Loss	<b>L-band:</b> >15dB; <b>IF:</b> >18dB
Redundancy	1:1 through 1:16 redundancy

	Interfaces
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#### Standard:

**Gigabit Ethernet** (single RJ45) for IP traffic (plus additional RJ45 for M&C)

#### Options:

Optical Gigabit Ethernet/STM-1/OC-3 (Small Form-Factor pluggable module supporting all common optical standards)

**EIA-530** (RS422, X.21, V.35 and RS232 on 25-pin D-type female)

**G.703** E1/T1, E2/T2, E3/T3 (balanced on RJ45; unbalanced 75Ω BNC female)

Quad E1 G.703 (balanced RJ45) Quad ASI (75Ω BNC female)

Serial LVDS (25-pin D-type female) HSSI (50-pin HD SCSI-2 connector)

IDR (to IESS 308; 50-way female D type connector)

Modulator	
Output Power	<b>IF:</b> 0 to -25dBm (0.1dB steps) <b>L-band:</b> 0 to -40dBm (0.1dB steps)
Output Power Stability/Accuracy	Stability: ±1.0dB, 0°C to 50°C Accuracy: ±0.375dBm
Transmit Filter Roll-off	5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, 25%, 35%
Phase Accuracy	±2º maximum
Amplitude Accuracy	±0.2dB maximum
Carrier Suppression	-30dBc minimum
Output Phase Noise	As EN 302 307, EN 300 421, IESS-308 & EN 301 210; minimum 16dB better than IESS-308/309
Harmonics & Spurious	Better than –60dBc/ 4kHz in-band
Transmit On/Off Ratio	-65dB minimum
BUC PSU Option	24V or 48V DC via IFL cable, 200W
BUC 10MHz Reference	Via IFL cable; 10MHz ± 0.01 ppm; 2dBm ± 1dBm
FSK Control	Allows monitor & control of a compatible L-band BUC from the modem via the Tx IFL cable

Demodulator	
Input Range (dBm)	IF minimum: -115 + 10 log (symbol rate) L-band minimum: -130 + 10 log (symbol rate) IF/L-band maximum: -80 + 10 log (symbol rate)
Maximum Composite	+10dBm
Wanted-to- composite	IF: -94 + 10 log (symbol rate) L-band: -102 + 10 log (symbol rate)
Frequency Sweep Width	±1kHz to ±255kHz (1kHz steps)
Acquisition Time	Dependent on FEC, data rate and sweep width
Receive Spectral Roll-off	5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, 25%, 35%
LNB 10MHz Reference	Via IFL cable; 10MHz ± 0.01ppm; 2dBm ± 1dBm
LNB Voltage	Programmable 13V, 15V, 18V, 20V or 24V DC to LNB via IFL cable; maximum 0.75A

### **ClearLinQ™ Adaptive Tx Predistorter**

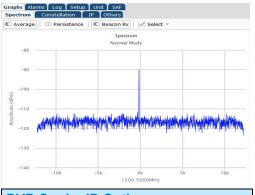
Corrects for linear & non-linear distortion in the RF chain (i.e. amplifier and transponder). Applicable to all FECs and modulations. Maximises amplifier linear output power; minimises required back-off. Up to 2dB performance gain

#### **DVB-S2/S2X Rx Adaptive Equaliser**

Corrects for slope on the carrier and group delay (typically found at transponder edges, causing inter-symbol interference). The 9-tap Rx equaliser is provided as standard; automatically switched on above 10Msps

## **Beacon Receiver Function**

Q-Flex<sup>TM</sup> detects satellite beacon transmissions down to very low signal levels. This helps with automatic antenna pointing and removes the need for a separate beacon receiver.



#### **DVB Carrier ID Option** (ETSI TS 103 129)

Supports the identification of interfering carriers. Allows identification of individual modem carriers by superimposing a low-power CID waveform onto the carrier with negligible degradation. Supported for all carriers. The CID waveform contains a unique Carrier ID and other identity information. A carrier monitoring system is required to decode CID waveforms

Paired Ca	Paired Carrier+™ Option	
Paired Carrier+™ (25kHz to 54MHz occupied bandwidth)	Transmit and receive carriers are overlaid in the same space segment. Echo cancellation techniques are used to cancel the unwanted transmit carrier, leaving the wanted receive carrier	
Paired Carrier+™ data rate options	256kbps, 512kbps, 1024kbps, 2.5Mbps, 5Mbps, 10Mbps, 15Mbps, 20Mbps, 25Mbps, 30Mbps, 40Mbps, 50Mbps, 60Mbps, 80Mbps, 100Mbps and 200Mbps traffic rate	
Carrier Asymmetry	Power: -10dB to +10dB Symbol rate: Up to 10:1	
Eb/No Degradation	Typically less than 0.1dB	
Delay Range	0 to 330ms	
Mobile Operation	Uses GPS data to continually recalculate position relative to satellite, allowing uninterrupted operation in mobile environments anywhere in satellite footprint	

Test Facilities and Alarm Outputs	
Built-in Test Tools	As part of built-in web server: Rx constellation monitor; Rx spectrum analyser; LinkGuard™ Signal-Under -Carrier interference detection; beacon receiver function that provides automatic detection of satellite beacon transmissions; time graphs for key performance indicators (IP throughput, Eb/No, etc.)
BER Tester	Bit error rate tester operates over main traffic or ESC channel, allowing BER monitoring while on traffic. Not available in DVB-S2/S2X modes. Supports various test patterns com- patible with common BER testers
Other test modes	Transmit CW Transmit alternate 1-0 pattern Simulated satellite delay for TCP/IP packets
Alarm Relays	4 independent Form C relays for unit, Tx, Rx and deferred alarms

Mechanical/Environmental	
Size	1U chassis, 410mm deep excluding front panel handles and rear panel connectors and fans
Weight	3.5kg
Power Supply	90 to 264VAC, 1A @100V, 0.5A @ 240V, 47 to 63Hz Fused IEC connector (live and neutral fused); 24V and 48V DC options
Compliances	FCC, CE and RoHS compliant
Safety Standards	EN60950-1:2006
Emissions & Immunity	Emissions: EN55022:2010 Class B Immunity: EN55024:2010
Operating Temperature	Standard: 0 to 50°C (storage: -20°C to 70°C) Extended: 0 to 55°C when fitted with Ruggedisation option
Humidity	95% relative humidity, non- condensing

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Ethernet: Standard Features	
Bridging and Static Routing	Trunking mode: Hardware Layer 2 bridge supporting 200Mbps bidirectional traffic at up to 200,000 packets per second; zero jitter Layer 2 bridge & Layer 3 router: Software processing capability of up to 150,000 packets per second
IPv4/IPv6	Dual IPv4/IPv6 TCP/IP supporting IPv4/ IPv6 bridging and routing
VLAN Support	IEEE 802.1q VLAN support IEEE 802.1p packet prioritisation using strict priority or fair weighting queuing
Software Defined Network Support	OpenFlow and other WA-SDN protocols provide support for network virtualisation; see Q-NET Satellite Network Solution whitepaper for more details
DHCP	DHCP client for automatic allocation of M&C IP address; DHCP server allocates IP addresses to network devices
NAT	NAT firewall; allows all network devices to share a single IP address when viewed from other end of satellite link
SNMP	SNMP v1, v2c & v3
Access Control Lists	Separate IP and MAC address black/ white user access control lists
Network Time Protocol (NTP)	NTP client synchronises modem time & date to NTP server; provides millisecond accuracy
Web Server	Modem web server M&C interface (see built-in tools listed under Test Facilities)
AAA RADIUS Secure User Login	Authentication, Authorisation & Accounting. Greater access control & accountability. Replaces standard modem login with user's personal network login credentials
IP Metrics	Tx, Rx throughput (bps, pps) graphs; dropped, errored packet counts
sFlow Performance Metrics	sFlow is the industry standard for net- work monitoring, giving full modem performance visibility to sFlow compati- ble network management devices
Active Queue Management (AQM)	Implements CoDel (controlled delay) which overcomes buffer bloat by maintaining a constant delay through the modem for all IP packets
MPEG over IP	Supports the efficient transfer of SMPTE 2002-2 MPEG2 transport streams over satellite
OpenAMIP Protocol Support	Controls modem interaction with com- pliant antenna control units to support antenna deployment/pointing/tracking
Virtual Routing & Forwarding	VRF supports multiple modem routing tables, allowing inter-VLAN routing
Packet Generator/ Analyser	Generates & analyses TCP & UDP packet streams, allowing modem-to-modem IP testing without any PCs
Ethernet MTU Size	Standard: 10k bytes Optical Ethernet: 16k bytes

XStream IP™ is an integrated set of IP optimization and traffic management features designed for maximum reliability and bandwidth efficiency. The maximum throughput depends on features enabled & traffic format

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Traffic Shaping	Provides guaranteed throughput for priority traffic; supports Committed and Burst Information Rates. Stream classification by VLAN ID, IP address, IEEE 802.1p priority, Diffserv DSCP, PID & MPLS EXP
Header Compression	Robust Header Compression (RFC 3095). Reduces Ethernet/IP/UDP/TCP/RTP header sizes typically by 90%. 1-way packet processing limit: 60,000 pps; 2- way limit: 45,000 pps. Includes Ethernet header compression (compresses 14-byte Ethernet frame to typically one byte)
Payload Compression	Uses Deflate algorithm (RFC 1951) to compress TCP & UDP packets; typical payload compression of 50%
Dynamic Routing	RIP V1, V2; OSPF V2, V3; BGP V4
TCP Acceleration	Typical throughput level of 90% of link capacity. Supports 4,400 concurrent accelerated TCP connections (plus at least 40,000 unaccelerated TCP connections) up to 100Mbps
AES-256 Encryption	Supported on <b>Q-FlexE™</b> model only. See separate Q-FlexE™ datasheet

Ethernet: XStream IP™ DVB-S2X		
Provided as st	Provided as standard as part of DVB-S2/S2X	
ACM	Dynamically varies modcod with varying link conditions, maximises throughput at all times by converting unused link margin into additional throughput; 100% link availability	
VCM	Supports transmission/reception of two ASI streams or, one ASI stream with one IP stream, each with its own modcod for optimal throughput	
IP-over- DVB Encapsula- tion	Supports the transmission of IP packets with/without Ethernet frames over DVB-S2/S2X; encapsulates & decapsulates using GSE (see below), MPE (EN 301 192), ULE (RFC 4326) or Paradise XStream Encapsulation	
GSE Encapsula- tion	Highly efficient encapsulation of IP packets or Ethernet frames; compatible with EN 302 307-2 standard, for use with DVB-S2 and DVB-S2X	

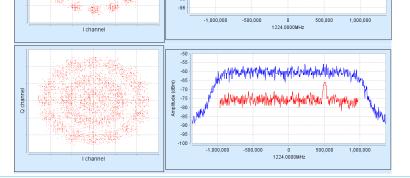
#### **Network Control**

Web browser user interface support is provided as standard. SNMP and command line interfaces support the development of third-party user interfaces. In addition, the following network control application options are available

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Q-NET™	Allows all modems and third-party
Navigator	network devices to be fully controlled
	through a single application. It pro-
	vides an easy-to-navigate site map,
	summary status reporting, etc. Provid-
	ed as standard, free of charge



Built-in Spectrum Analyser showing LinkGuard™ Signal-Under-Carrier interference detection without/with interferer present.



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## **Network Control: Q-NET™ Navigator**

Q-NET<sup>TM</sup> Navigator supports the control of all network modems and third-party network devices from a single application. Includes easy-to-use navigation, multiple operator roles/access levels (including Virtual Network Operator support), continuous status/alarm polling and automatic synchronisation of all network configuration changes. Q-NET<sup>TM</sup> Navigator is included as standard, free of charge.

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**DVB-S2X Performance** 

0.567805

0.889135

1.088581

1.647211

1.713601

1.896173

2.062148

2.145136

1.972253

2.104850

2.193247

2.370043

2.635236

2.281645

2.370043

2.458441

2.524739

2.745734

2.856231

3.077225

3.386618

3.289502

3.510192

Spectral Eb/No (dB) & Efficiency Es/No (dB)

0.5 (-2.0)

0.9 (0.4)

1.1 (1.5)

3.1 (5.3)

3.2 (5.5)

3.6 (6.4)

4.1 (7.2)

4.3 (7.6)

3.4 (6.3)

3.5 (6.7)

3.6 (7.0)

3.9 (7.6)

4.4 (8.6)

4.2 (7.8)

4.4 (8.1)

4.2 (8.1)

4.6 (8.6)

5.2 (9.6)

5.4 (10.0)

6.0 (10.9)

7.0 (12.3)

6.5 (11.7)

6.5 (12.0)

16APSK 8/9

32APSK 3/4

32APSK 4/5

32APSK 5/6

32APSK 8/9

16APSK 8/15

16APSK 3/5

16APSK 26/45 2,200966

16APSK 32/45 2,722705

32APSK 2/3 3.168769

32APSK 32/45 3.384985

QEF (PER 10e-7) Normal frames, Pilots off

QPSK 13/45

QPSK 9/20

QPSK 11/20

8APSK-L 5/9

8PSK 23/36

8PSK 25/36

8PSK 13/18

16APSK-L 1/2

16APSK-L 8/15

16APSK-L 5/9

16APSK-L 3/5

16APSK-L 2/3

16APSK 26/45

16APSK 28/45

16APSK 23/36

16APSK 25/36

16APSK 13/18

16APSK 77/90

32APSK-L 2/3

32APSK 32/45

16APSK 7/9

16APSK 3/5

8APSK-L 26/45



	ror Correction
DVB-S2X	Normal Frame:
(EN 302 307-2)	QPSK 13/45, 9/20, 11/20
(=:::::=)	8PSK 23/36, 25/36, 13/18
Includes sup-	8APSK-L 5/9, 26/45
port for DVB-S2	<b>16APSK</b> 26/45, 3/5, 28/45, 23/36,
portion DVD 02	25/36, 13/18, 7/9, 77/90
	16APSK-L 5/9, 8/15, 1/2, 3/5, 2/3
	32APSK 32/45, 11/15, 7/9
	32APSK-L 2/3
	<b>64APSK</b> 11/15, 7/9, 4/5, 5/6
	64APSK-L 32/45
	Short Frame:
	QPSK 11/45, 4/15, 14/45, 7/15, 8/15,
	32/45
	<u> </u>
	8PSK 7/15, 8/15, 26/45, 32/45
	<b>16APSK</b> 7/15, 8/15, 26/45, 3/5, 32/45
	<b>32APSK</b> 2/3, 32/45
D) /D 00	<b>ADDI</b>
DVB-S2	<b>QPSK</b> 1/4, 1/3, 2/5, 1/2, 3/5, 2/3, 3/4,
(EN 302 307-1)	4/5, 5/6, 8/9, 9/10
	8PSK 3/5, 2/3, 3/4, 5/6, 8/9, 9/10
	16APSK 2/3, 3/4, 4/5, 5/6, 8/9, 9/10
	<b>32APSK</b> 3/4, 4/5, 5/6, 8/9, 9/10
FastLink™	BPSK 0.499
Low-Latency	(O)QPSK 0.532, 0.639, 0.710, 0.798
LDPC	8PSK/8QAM 0.639, 0.710, 0.778
	16APSK/16QAM 0.726, 0.778, 0.828,
	0.851
	32APSK 0.778, 0.828, 0.886, 0.938
	<b>64QAM</b> 0.828, 0.886, 0.938, 0.960
TPC	PDCK 5/16 21/14 2/4 7/9
150	BPSK 5/16, 21/44, 3/4, 7/8
	(O)QPSK 5/16, 21/44, 3/4, 7/8, 0.93
	8PSK 3/4, 7/8, 0.93
	<b>8QAM</b> 3/4, 7/8, 0.93
	<b>16QAM</b> 3/4, 7/8, 0.93

	ward Error Correction
DVB-S/DSNG	<b>DVB-S:</b> QPSK 1/2, 2/3, 3/4, 5/6, 7/8
(Provided as	<b>DVB-DSNG:</b> 8PSK 2/3, 5/6, 8/9;
standard with	16QAM 3/4, 7/8
Quad ASI card)	(ETSI EN 300421/ 301210 compliant)
Legacy FEC	Viterbi: BPSK/(O)QPSK 1/2, 3/4, 7/8
Option	TCM: 8PSK 2/3
	Sequential: BPSK/(O)QPSK 1/2, 3/4,
	7/8
	Reed-Solomon outer codec for Viterbi,
	TCM & Sequential

TPC Performance Eb/No (dB) at BER 5E-8						
Rate Rate Rate 1/2 3/4 7/8 0.93						
BPSK, (O)QPSK	3.0	4.2	4.2	6.5		
8PSK		6.3	6.8	9.6		
8QAM		6.7	6.8	10.1		
16QAM		7.6	7.9	10.4		

Eb/No (dB) at QEF						
	Rate 1/2	Rate 2/3	Rate 3/4	Rate 5/6	Rate 7/8	Rate 8/9
QPSK	3.9	4.6	4.0	4.6	5.3	
8PSK		6.9		8.9		9.4
16QAM			9.0		10.7	

<b>DVB-S2 Performance</b>						
QEF (PER 10e-7)						
Normal frames, Pilots off						
Spectral Eb/No (dB) &						
	Efficiency	Es/No (dB)				
QPSK 1/4	0.490243	1.1 (-2.0)				
QPSK 1/3	0.656448	0.7 (-1.1)				
QPSK 2/5	0.789412	0.7 (-0.3)				
QPSK 1/2	0.988858	1.1 (1.1)				
QPSK 3/5	1.188304	1.7 (2.4)				
QPSK 2/3	1.322253	2.0 (3.2)				
QPSK 3/4	1.487473	2.4 (4.1)				
QPSK 4/5	1.587196	2.6 (4.6)				
QPSK 5/6	1.654663	3.0 (5.2)				
QPSK 8/9	1.766451	3.7 (6.2)				
QPSK 9/10	1.788612	3.9 (6.4)				
8PSK 3/5	1.779991	3.5 (6.0)				
8PSK 2/3	1.980636	4.0 (7.0)				
8PSK 3/4	2.228124	4.6 (8.1)				
8PSK 5/6	2.478562	5.6 (9.5)				
8PSK 8/9	2.646012	6.6 (10.8)				
8PSK 9/10	2.679207	6.9 (11.2)				
16APSK 2/3	2.637201	5.2 (9.4)				
16APSK 3/4	2.966728	5.8 (10.5)				
16APSK 4/5	3.165623	6.2 (11.2)				
16APSK 5/6	3.300184	6.6 (11.8)				
16APSK 8/9	3.523143	7.5 (13.0)				
16APSK 9/10	3.567342	7.8 (13.3)				
32APSK 3/4	3.703295	7.3 (13.0)				
32APSK 4/5	3.951571	7.8 (13.8)				
32APSK 5/6	4.119540	8.4 (14.5)				
32APSK 8/9	4.397854	9.4 (15.8)				
32APSK 9/10	4.453027	9.6 (16.1)				

16APSK 9/	10 3.567	0 3.567342		7.8 (13.3)		32APSK 11/15		0536	6.7 (12.3	3)
32APSK 3/	2APSK 3/4 3.703295		7.3 (13.0)		32AP	32APSK 7/9		1226	7.5 (13.3	_
32APSK 4/5 3.951571		7.8 (13.8)		64APSK-L 32/45		4.206428		8.4 (14.6	_	
32APSK 5/	6 4.119	540	8.4 (14.5)		64AP	64APSK 11/15		8659	8.9 (15.3	_
32APSK 8/	9 4.397	'854	9.4 (15	.8)	64AP	SK 7/9	4.603122		9.3 (15.9	9)
32APSK 9/	10 4.453	3027	9.6 (16	.1)	64AP	SK 4/5	4.73	5354	9.5 (16.3	3)
					64AP	SK 5/6	4.93	3701	10.3 (17.	2)
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	Rate		ficiency		& Es/No				lo & Es/No	
BPSK	0.499		0.499	2.1	1 (-0.9)	2.9 (-0.	1)	3	.4 (0.4)	1
(O)QPSK	0.532		1.064	2.	1 (2.4)	2.6 (2.5	9)	2	.9 (3.2)	
(O)QPSK	0.639		1.278	2.	4 (3.5)	2.8 (3.	8)	3	.2 (4.3)	1
(O)QPSK	0.710		1.42	2.	7 (4.2)	3.2 (4.	7)	3	.7 (5.2)	1
(O)QPSK	0.798		1.596	3.	1 (5.1)	3.9 (6.	0)	4	.2 (6.2)	1
8PSK	0.639		1.917	5.4	1* (8.2)	5.9* (8.	7)	6	.3* (9.1)	1
8PSK	0.710		2.13	5.6	6* (8.9)	5.5 (8.	8)	5	.8 (9.1)	1
8PSK	0.778		2.334	5.	6 (9.3)	6.1 (9.	7)	6.	4 (10.1)	1
8QAM	0.639		1.917	4.	4 (7.2)	4.8 (7.	6)	5	.0 (7.8)	1
8QAM	0.710		2.13	5.	0 (8.3)	5.3 (8.	6)	5	.5 (8.8)	1
8QAM	0.778		2.334	5.	5 (9.2)	5.9 (9.	6)	6	.1 (9.8)	1
16APSK	0.726		2.904	7.6	* (12.2)	7.5* (12	.1)	7.	5 (12.1)	1
16APSK	0.778		3.112	7.8	* (12.7)	7.1 (12	.0)	7.	5 (12.4)	1
16APSK	0.828		3.312	7.4	(12.6)	8.1 (13	.3)	8.	4 (13.6)	1
16APSK	0.851		3.404	7.9	(13.2)	8.3 (13	.6)	8.	8 (14.1)	1
16QAM	0.726		2.904	7.2	* (11.8)	6.6 (11	.2)	6.	8 (11.4)	1
16QAM	0.778		3.112	6.7	' (11.6)	7.1 (12	.0)	7.	4 (12.3)	1
16QAM	0.828		3.312	7.2	2 (12.4)	7.7 (12	.9)	8.	0 (13.2)	1
16QAM	0.851		3.404	7.5	(12.8)	8.0 (13	.3)	8.	4 (13.7)	1
32APSK	0.778		3.89	9.8	* (15.7)	9.6 (15	.5)	10	.0 (15.9)	1

9.8 (16.0)

10.8 (17.3)

12.6 (19.3)

10.6 (16.8)

11.4 (17.9)

10.9 (17.1)

11.9 (18.4)

13.9 (20.6)

DVB-S2	Perfor	mance					
QEF (PER							
Short fram	Short frames, Pilots off						
	Spectral Efficiency	Eb/No (dB) & Es/No (dB)					
QPSK 1/4	0.365324	2.2 (-2.2)					
QPSK 1/3	0.629060	1.3 (-0.7)					
QPSK 2/5	0.760928	1.1 (-0.1)					
QPSK 1/2	0.848840	1.6 (0.9)					
QPSK 3/5	1.156532	2.1 (2.7)					
QPSK 2/3	1.288400	2.3 (3.4)					
QPSK 3/4	1.420269	2.9 (4.4)					
QPSK 4/5	1.508181	3.1 (4.9)					
QPSK 5/6	1.596093	3.5 (5.5)					
QPSK 8/9	1.727961	4.0 (6.4)					
8PSK 3/5	1.725319	4.0 (6.4)					
8PSK 2/3	1.922040	4.5 (7.3)					
8PSK 3/4	2.118761	5.1 (8.4)					
8PSK 5/6	2.381056	6.0 (9.8)					
8PSK 8/9	2.577777	7.0 (11.1)					
16APSK 2/3	2.548792	5.6 (9.7)					
16APSK 3/4	2.809662	6.2 (10.7)					
16APSK 4/5	2.983575	6.7 (11.4)					
16APSK 5/6	3.157488	7.1 (12.1)					

#### **DVB-S2X Performance QEF (PER 10e-7)** Short frames, Pilots off Spectral Efficiency Eb/No (dB) & Es/No (dB) QPSK 11/45 0.453236 1.4 (-2.0) QPSK 4/15 0.497192 1.3 (-1.7) **OPSK 14/45** 0.585104 1.1 (-1.2) QPSK 7/15 0.892796 1.4 (0.9) QPSK 8/15 1.024664 1.7 (1.8) QPSK 32/45 1.376313 2.6 (4.0) 8PSK 7/15 1.331876 3.1 (4.3) 8PSK 8/15 1.528597 3.4 (5.2) 8PSK 26/45 1.659745 3.8 (6.0) 8PSK 32/45 2.053188 4.8 (7.9) 16APSK 7/15 1.766184 4.0 (6.5)

2.027053

2.287923

3.418357

3.493093

3.709309

3.925526

4.249850

8.1 (13.4)

8.1 (13.5)

8.7 (14.4)

9.0 (14.9)

10.2 (16.5)

4.4 (7.5)

4.8 (8.2)

5.0 (8.6)

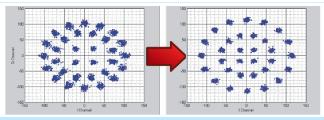
5.8 (10.2)

6.8 (11.8)

7.3 (12.6)

#### **PER v BER**

Note: A PER of 10e-7 is equivalent to a BER of 6.6 x 10e-11.



4.14

4.43

4.69

0.828

0.886

## Interference Mitigation: ClearLinQ™

'Before and after' constellations showing ClearLinQ™ Adaptive Tx Predistorter compensating for severe non-linear signal distortion to a 32APSK carrier.



## **Dual IF/L-Band Satellite Modem**





	Option	Description Fully configurable - pay only for what you need!
Base Modem	<b>✓</b>	2.4kbps to 2.048Mbps Tx/Rx Closed Network (+ ESC) modem with two Gigabit Ethernet RJ45s for M&C and traffic respectively IF operation 50 to 90MHz & 100 to 180MHz L-band operation 950 to 2150MHz; high-stability 10MHz reference; FSK TPC: BPSK, QPSK, OQPSK, 8PSK, 8QAM and 16QAM; to 60Mbps subject to prevailing modem data rate AUPC: Automatic Uplink Power Control All features described under Ethernet Standard Features All features described under Test Facilities AC mains input
Tx-only		Transmit functions only
Rx-only		Receive functions only
Data Rate		5Mbps data rate: Extends base operation to 5Mbps
		10Mbps data rate: Extends 5Mbps operation to 10Mbps
		25Mbps data rate: Extends 10Mbps operation to 25Mbps
		60Mbps data rate: Extends 25Mbps operation to 60Mbps
		<b>100Mbps data rate</b> : Extends 60Mbps operation to 100Mbps (FastLink™, DVB-S2 & DVB-S2X only)
		200Mbps data rate: Extends 100Mbps operation to 200Mbps (DVB-S2 & DVB-S2X only)
XStream IP™		XStream IP Bundle, includes all of the features listed below:
		<b>Traffic Shaping:</b> Supports CIR/BIR/priority settings for IP streams classified by VLAN ID, IP address, Diffserv class, IEEE 802.1p priority, MPLS EXP field & MPEG2 transport stream PID
		Header Compression: IP/UDP/TCP/RTP packet header compression (RFC 3095) + Ethernet header compression
		Payload Compression: TCP/UDP packet payload compression using the Deflate algorithm (RFC 1951)
		Dynamic Routing: RIP, OSPF and BGP
		TCP Acceleration: Up to 4,400 concurrent accelerated TCP connections to 100Mbps subject to prevailing data rate
DVB-S2X To 200Mbps subject to prevailing modem data rate limits		DVB-S2/S2X CCM Tx: DVB-S2 QPSK, 8PSK, 16APSK & 32APSK Tx operation per EN 302 307-1. DVB-S2X QPSK, 8PSK, 8APSK, 16APSK, 32APSK & 64APSK Tx operation per EN 302 307-2. Includes 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, 25% & 35% spectral roll-offs. Includes XStream IP™ DVB-S2X, which comprises ACM, VCM and IP-over-DVB encapsulation
		DVB-S2/S2X CCM Rx: Add-on card supporting DVB-S2 QPSK, 8PSK, 16APSK & 32APSK Rx operation per EN 302 307-1. DVB-S2X QPSK, 8PSK, 8APSK, 16APSK, 32APSK & 64APSK Rx operation per EN 302 307-2. Includes 5%, 10%, 15%, 20%, 25% & 35% spectral roll-offs. Includes XStream IP™ DVB-S2X, which comprises ACM, VCM and IP-over-DVB decapsulation
FastLink™ Low-latency LDPC		Add-on card; includes BPSK, QPSK, OQPSK, 8PSK, 8QAM, 16APSK, 16QAM, 32APSK & 64QAM; to 100Mbps subject to prevailing modem data rate limits; includes 20%, 25% & 35% spectral roll-offs as standard
ClearLinQ™		Adaptive Tx Predistorter: Corrects for linear & non-linear distortion in the RF chain (amplifier & transponder). Applicable to all FECs and modulations including DVB-S2X, FastLink™ & TPC





## **Dual IF/L-Band Satellite Modem**





	Option	Description Fully configurable - pay only for what you need!
Paired Carrier+™	0,000	Paired Carrier+™ add-on card (requires one or more options below)
Paired Carrier+'"		Paired Carrier+™ add-on card (requires one or more options below)  Paired Carrier+™ up to 256kbps (requires Paired Carrier+™ add-on card)
Subject to prevailing modem data rate limits.		
modern data rate iiriits.		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 512kbps
Occupied bandwidth:		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 1.024Mbps
minimum 25kHz; maxi- mum 54MHz		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>2.5Mbps</b>
		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>5Mbps</b>
		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 10Mbps
		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 15Mbps
Daired Carrier+TM is also		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 20Mbps
Paired Carrier+™ is also available as a low-cost 90		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>25Mbps</b>
-day license for light us-		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to 30Mbps
ers (the license counts down only when Paired		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>40Mbps</b>
Carrier+ <sup>™</sup> is being ac-		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>50Mbps</b>
tively used) - please contact Sales for details		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>60Mbps</b>
lact Sales for details		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>80Mbps</b>
		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>100Mbps</b>
		Extends Paired Carrier+™ up to <b>200Mbps</b>
Terrestrial Interfaces (Please choose up to four hardware options)		Optical Gigabit Ethernet/STM-1/OC-3: Small Form-factor Pluggable module; supports single-mode & multi-mode fibre & all wavelengths; supports all standard fibre connector types such as SC & LC (subject to provision of suitable SFP transceiver module)
		G.703: Provides unbalanced G.703 on 2xBNC 75Ω sockets & balanced G.703 on RJ45; includes G.703 clock extension, which provides a high-stability reference clock over satellite (alternative to GPS); includes Drop & Insert; supports E1, T1, E2, T2, E3 & T3
		<b>EIA-530:</b> D25 DCE supporting RS422/X.21/V.35/RS232
		Quad E1: Balanced G.703 on 4xRJ45; all 4 ports support Drop & Insert and are enabled as standard; supports Closed Network (+ ESC) satellite framing (< 0.5% overhead); MultiMux enabled as standard: dynamically replaces one or two E1 ports with IP and/or EIA-530, allowing combinations such as: 2 E1s + up to 32Mbps IP + up to 8Mbps EIA-530, or 3 E1s + up to 32Mbps IP, or 3 E1s + up to 8Mbps EIA-530, or up to 8Mbps EIA-530 plus up to 32Mbps IP
		Quad ASI: 4xBNC 75Ω sockets; includes DVB-S/DSNG FEC (for use with ASI, or MPEG over IP, or general IP)
		Serial LVDS: On 25-way D-type connector
		HSSI: On HD50 50-way SCSI-2 connector
		IDR: To IESS-308; 50-way female D-type connector; includes Advanced AUX (variable rate synchronous Aux channel; includes option to replace IDR audio channels with serial data); includes Audio option (for IBS carriers this allows 2 x audio in 64kbps or 2 x audio+64kbps data in 128kbps - requires IBS option)
Optimised Spectral Roll-off		Extends the standard 35%, 25% and 20% roll-off factors to include 5%, 10% and 15% roll-offs for FastLink™, TPC & legacy FECs including DVB-S
Ruggedisation		Ruggedises the modem for harsh environments (fans with higher airflow, heatsinks on key components, etc.)
DVB-CID		DVB Carrier ID: Tx carrier identification per ETSI 103 129
IBS		Satellite framing to IESS 309 with low-rate Intelsat ESC (to IESS 403) and high-rate IBS ESC
Legacy FEC		Sequential FEC (limited to maximum of 2.048Mbps); TCM 8PSK 2/3 to IESS 310; Viterbi BPSK/QPSK/OQPSK FEC rates 1/2, 3/4 & 7/8; Intelsat Reed-Solomon outer codec
DC Input		24V DC: K3023 24V DC primary power input (in place of 100 to 240V AC input)
		48V DC: K3018 48V DC primary power input (in place of 100 to 240V AC input)
BUC PSU		AC In & 24V Out: P3543 AC input, 24V 200W DC to Tx BUC
		AC In & 48V Out: P3544 AC input, 48V 200W DC to Tx BUC
		48V In & 24V Out: P3545 Floating 48V DC input; +24V 200W DC to Tx BUC
		48V In & 48V Out: P3546 Floating 48V DC input; +48V 200W DC to Tx BUC
		+48V In & 48V Out: P3547 +48V DC input; +48V 200W DC to Tx BUC
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