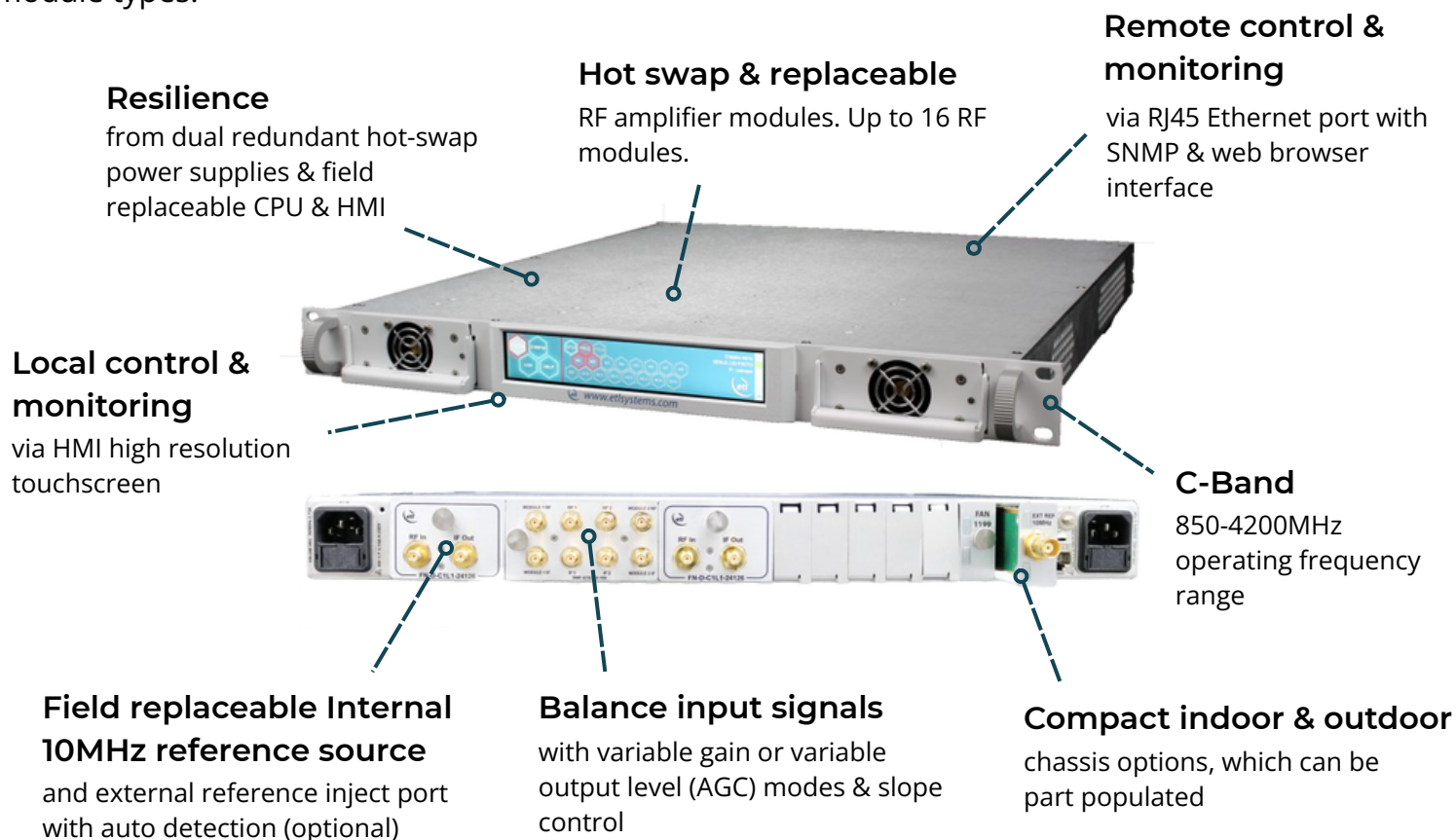


Alto C-band Smart Amplifier Module

with low noise, high linearity, and variable gain

The C-Band low noise amplifier module is designed to work in the Genus 1U chassis series, operating over 850-4200 MHz. The module has low noise, high linearity, and +38 to 0 dB variable gain. The chassis has the capacity for up to 16 amplifier modules, or can house a mixture of other hot-swap module types.



Chassis Specification	
Dimensions/Weight/Colour	1U high x 550mm deep x 19" wide / <10kg / RAL9003 - white (semi-matte)
Capacity	17 module slots. Note: Actual modules may require >1 slot. Refer to required module spec table.
Temperature	Operating: 0°C to +45°C Storage: -20°C to +75°C
Location/Humidity/Altitude	Indoor use only / 20 to 90% non-condensing / 2,000m AMSL (Operational) 8,000m AMSL (Storage) Above Mean Sea Level
Control & Monitoring	Local: HMI, capacitive touch screen Remote: Ethernet via RJ45, 10BaseT/100 BaseTx. ETL TCP/IP, SNMPv2/3, HTTPS & built-in web server. HMI and CPU field replaceable.
MTTR	20 minutes (15 minutes to retrieve spare part and 5 mins to replace). Applies to LRUs only and assumed in-house stock.
AC Input/Consumption	85-264Vac 50/60Hz / 275W max. consumption at steady state
PSU Redundancy	Dual redundant and alarmed. Diode OR. Hot swappable.
Input & Output Ports	Dependant upon module fitted



Smart Amplifier Module

Compact form factor allows multiple modules to be housed in the 1U GENUS chassis. Each module occupies 1 slot in the chassis.

High linearity ensures overall RF gain signal performance is optimised.

Low noise for prime signal quality.

Smart Amplifier Module - RF Parameters				
Model Numbers		ALT-G1S-C5-114-S5S5		
Frequency Range		850 - 4200 MHz		
Size		1 slot wide		
MTBF		>150,000 hrs. MTBF of each amp module. These are hot-swap		
RF Ports		50 ohm SMA		
Gain		38 ± 2.0 dB max. 0 ± 2.0 dB min.		
Gain Flatness	Full band	±1.75 dB	When set to 0dB slope. In manual gain control mode, not AGC.	
	850 - 2450 MHz	±1.25 dB		
	3400 - 4200 MHz	±1.25 dB		
	Any 36MHz	±0.25 dB		
Gain Steps		0.25 ± 0.15 dB in manual gain mode		
Input Return Loss		18 dB typ. 12 dB min.		
Output Return Loss		18 dB typ. 12 dB min.		
Isolation		60dB Typ. 50dB Min.	With amplifiers set at the same gain level. Worst case isolation is between adjacent amps, isolation degrades dB to dB for different gain levels.	
Reverse Gain		< -60 dB typ.		
Noise Figure	Typ.	6 dB	At max. gain	
	Max.	9 dB	At max. gain	
1db GCP	Typ.	16 dBm	At max. gain	
	Min.	13 dBm	At max. gain	
OIP3	Typ.	26 dBm	At max. gain	
	Min.	23 dBm	At max. gain	
OIP2	Typ.	38 dBm		
	Min.	35 dBm		
In band, signal independent spurii		<-85 dBm max.	Very low level spurii from CPU clock, switch mode PSU and other control electronics inside the chassis.	
Maximum Input Level		+20 dBm	For no damage. Non-operational.	

Interface, Monitoring & Alarms		
Control Method	Local and remote as provided by selected chassis	
LNB Power	None	
Environmental		
Operating Temperature	-0°C to +50°C	Up to 8 modules in a chassis.
	-0°C to +45°C	Up to 16 modules in a chassis.
Storage Temperature	-20°C to +75°C	
Location	Indoor use only, within parent GENUS chassis	
Humidity	20 to 90% non-condensing, relative humidity	
Altitude	10,000ft / 3,000m above mean sea level	
Physical Dimensions & Parameters		
Weight	<0.35kg typ.	

The performance quoted above is for a standalone amplifier. For in-chassis performance, see relevant spec. tables.

Note 1: The specification is subject to regular reviews and will be updated from time to time as part of our continuing product development and improved spec accuracy.

Note 2: Operation beyond the quoted limits stated above may cause instantaneous and permanent damage.