## Models N445A, N446A, N425B, N426B, N427B Integrated Thermoelectric Power Monitors

- Amplifier and power sensor in a single, compact package
- 0.01 to 18 GHz frequency range
- 30 dB dynamic power range
- ±1% accuracy
- -55°C to +85°C temperature range
- 0.02% F.S. (p-p) noise
- 0.02% F.S./ºC drift





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Model N445A, N446A: 0.01 to 18 GHz Models N425B, N426B, N427B: 0.01 to 12.4 GHz These power monitors are compact, integrated assemblies of thermoelectric power sensors and dc amplifiers specially designed for system power monitoring at local or remote locations. Small size and light weight make them ideal for difficult systems packaging requirements, and choice of readout type and location is flexible — all this is accomplished without sacrificing high accuracy, excellent stability or economy.

Modulated, pulsed, or cw signals from 0.01 to 18 GHz are measured over a 30 dB dynamic range covered in three convenient decade steps. Power levels as low as

 $-30 \text{ dBm} (1\mu \text{ W})$  and as high as +20 dBm (100 mW) can be measured. Provisions for remote range selection and zero setting are included.

The monitor output is a dc analog signal which may be connected to readouts in either a constant current or constant voltage mode, directly scaleable in milliwatts. The constant current output is 1 milliampere full scale, and the constant voltage output is adjustable up to -10volts full scale. For remote readout distances up to many hundreds of feet, the constant current connection provides a stable reading free from errors caused by long line wire resistance values. Where the readout device is a voltmeter, or for such applications as sweep generator levelling, the constant voltage mode of operation is available.

The carefully designed amplifier section, when combined with the excellent stability of the thermoelectric power sensor, assures exceptionally low noise and drift. A wide operating temperature range of -55 °C to +85 °C is also featured.

The Type N rf connector conforms to MIL-C-39012, and the dc and signal output connector mates with a furnished MS3116E plug connector. Rugged construction is featured throughout.



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MODEL	N445A		N446A		N425B		N426B		N427B	
Frequency Range	0.58.246.5	0.01 to	18 GHz		Messorer dage for		0.01 to 12.4 GHz		We draw it with the	
Full Scale Ranges:	dBm	₩m	dBm∵	mW	dBm	∭ mW°	dBm	mW.	dBm	₩m₩
Range 1	+ 10	10	: + 20	100	+ 10	10	+ 20	. 100	S • 0	
Range 2	0	1	+ 10	10	0	( <b>1</b>	- + 10	10	- 10	0.1
Range 3	-10	0.1	<u>  0 -</u>	$ \cdot  < 1$	- 10	0.1	0	$ \cdot  <  \cdot ^{1}$	<u> 20  </u>	0.01
Input Impedance	.50/ohms									
Max. VSWR	1.35 <sup>(7)</sup> to 10 GHz; 1.6 from 10 GHz to 18 GHz. 1.5 <sup>(2)</sup>									
Accuracy <sup>(3)</sup>	±1% of full scale									
Operating Temperature Range	-54°C to+85°C(0) -54°C to+85°C(0) -				-54°C to +85°C® -54°C to +85°C <sup>®</sup>				-54°C to +85°C"	
Zero Drift <sup>(4)(5)</sup>	0.02% F.S./°C						0.035% F.S./°C			
Noise <sup>(4)</sup>	0.02% F.S. (p-p) 0.035% F.S. (p-p)									
Element Temperature Sensitivity	0:1%/°C									
Field Replaceable Elements	TL-4A		TL-5		TL-0A		TL-1A		TL-2A	
CW Overload Rating <sup>(7)</sup>	300%		200%				300%			e la la carro
Max. Pulse Energy at + 25 °C (W μ -sec)	5		30		-15		150		1.5	
Max. Pulse Power at + 25°C (W)	1		15		3		30		0.3	
Max. Pulse Duration at + 25°C (µ. sec) <sup>(6)</sup>	5		2				5			
Max. dc Voltage (volts)	1	0		30		10	Carlon March 3	0	\$P\$\$P\$	3
Output: Current Mode Voltage Mode	1 mA full scale; each range – 10 volts full scale (maximum), each range									
Power Supply Requirements	±6V to ±18V, 10 mA, 0.1% regulation									
Weight		8 oz: (227 gm.)								

## ENVIRONMENTAL RATINGS

Shock	MIL-STD-202F, Method 213B, Cond. B (75G, 6 msec)
Vibration	MIL-STD-202F, Method 204D, Cond. B (.06" double amplitude or 15G, whichever is less)
Altitude	MIL-STD-202F, Method 105C, Cond. B (50,000 ft.)
Temp. Cycling	MIL-STD-202F, Method 107D, Cond. A, 5 cycles

(1) Except in the range from 0.010 to 0.015 GHz, where VSWR may rise to 1.5.

- (2) Except in the range from 0.010 to 0.015 GHz, where VSWR may rise to 1.75.
- (3) Excluding RF calibration error.
- (4) On least sensitive range. Proportionately more on lower power ranges.
- (5) Over temperature range from -25 °C to +85 °C.
- Over full temperature range:
  - Models N445A, N446A, N425B and N426B: 0.03% F.S./°C. Model N427B: 0.05% F.S./°C.
- (6) At maximum pulse power.
- (7) While the units will take overloads for short periods of time, extended periods of operation at overload levels may result in permanent change in the element characteristics or even burnout. Maximum care should be exercised to avoid such an occurrence.
- (8) Derate at 0.2 mW/°C from + 60 °C to + 85 °C.
- (9) Derate at 1.4 mW/°C from + 50 °C to + 85 °C.
- (10) Derate at 0.02 mW/°C from +60°C to +85°C

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