



7212 0.44-kVA Power Amplifier for Power Grid Simulation

Performance Overview:	
Continuous Output (4 Ω):	430 watts RMS
Frequency Bandwidth:	DC to 250 kHz
For High-Power	
Applications to:	100 kHz
40 mS Pulse (1.0Ω):	30 Ap
Slew Rate:	50 V /µs
Output Voltage:	Up to 113V RMS at 4A
Output Impedance:	$28m\Omega$ in series with $1\mu H$

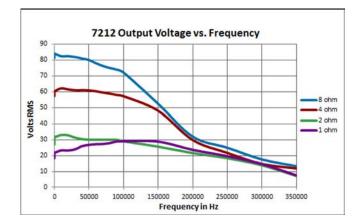
AE Techron's 7212 is a four-quadrant, 0.44 kVA, DC-enabled power amplifier that was created to meet the exacting requirements of the power utility industry. It features a DC to 250 kHz bandwidth, low noise floor, fast slew rate and a 113V RMS potential. The 7212 can be combined to form a 3-phase Y voltage source, and has a wide range of field-configurable options.

A single 7212 can output a 40 mSec pulse with up to 30 amperes peak current. In continuous operation, a 7212 can provide 440 watts RMS of output power. If more voltage is needed, up to four amplifiers can be combined in series and operate as a single system.

The 7212 can operate in either voltage or current mode and can be configured by the customer for high-voltage/ low-current, medium voltage and current, or lowvoltage/high-current applications. It provides very low noise and fast slew rates, and can safely drive a wide range of resistive or inductive loads.

Features

- Phase Stability: DC 250 kHz bandwidth design minimizes phase shift of system output when reproducing the most rapid fault events
- Low Noise: Noise floor of only 300 μV
- User-selectable controlled-voltage or controlled-current modes of operation
- Can be field-configured for high-voltage/low current, medium voltage and current, or low-voltage/high-current applications
- System output of over 1,700 watts is possible with multiple, interconnected amplifiers
- Efficient design and light-weight chassis materials allow amplifier to occupy only 2U height and weigh only 35 lbs
- Protection circuitry protects the amplifier from input overloads, improper output connection (including shorted and improper loads), over-temperature, over-current, and supply voltages that are too high or low





Specifications

Performance

AC testing was performed at 1 kHz.

Frequency Response, DC-100 kHz (1 watt): +0.0 to -3.0 dB

8-Ohm Power Response (continuous duty), DC to 60 kHz: ± 140 Vpk DC to 100 kHz: ± 50 Vpk

Slew Rate: 50 V/µSec

Residual Noise,

10 Hz to 300 kHz: 950 μV (0.95 mV) **10 Hz to 80 kHz:** 300 μV (0.3 mV)

Signal-to-Noise Ratio, 10 Hz - 30 kHz: -113 dB 10 Hz - 80 kHz: -106.6 dB

Unit to Unit Phase Error: ±0.1 degrees at 60 Hz

THD (DC - 30 kHz): <0.1%

Output Offset: <±5 mV, field adjustable to less than 1 mV

DC Drift: <±1.5 mV

Output Impedance: 5.3 mOhm in Series with 0.95 μH

Phase Response (10 Hz - 10 kHz): ±5 degrees plus 560 nsec propagation delay

Input Characteristics

Balanced with ground: Three terminal barrier block connector, 20k ohm differential

Unbalanced: BNC connector, 10k ohm single ended

Gain (variable or fixed): Voltage Mode: 20 volts/volt Current Mode: 5 amperes/volt

Gain Linearity (over input signal, from 0.2V to 5V): 0.15%

Max Input Voltage: ±10V, balanced or unbalanced

Input Impedance: 20k ohm differential

Common Mode Rejection: -58 dB with 5V input

Display, Control, Status, I/O

Front Panel LED Displays indicate: Ready, Standby, Fault, Over Temp, Over Voltage, Overload

Soft Touch Switches for: Run, Stop, Reset

Gain Control, when enabled: Voltage gain adjustable from 20 to 0

On/Off Breaker

Back Panel Power Connection: 25 Amp IEC (with retention latch)

Signal Output:

Three-position terminal strip (OUTPUT/COM/CHASSIS GROUND); resistor between COM and CHASSIS GROUND terminals is a 2.7-ohm, 2W, 5%, metal-oxide resistor

Signal Input:

User-selectable BNC or Barrier Strip, Balanced or Unbalanced

Communication Capabilities

Current Monitor:

 $5A/V \pm 1\%$; 2.5A/V $\pm 1\%$ (differential configuration)

Reporting:

System Fault, Over Temp, Over Voltage, Over Load

Remote Control via Interlock Connector: Force to Standby, Reset after a Fault

Physical Characteristics Chassis:

The Amplifier is designed for stand- alone or rack-mounted operation. The Chassis is black aluminum with a powder coat finish. The unit occupies two EIA 19-inch-wide units.

Weight: 35 lbs (15.9 kg), Shipping 45 lbs (20.4 kg)

AC Power:

Single phase, 120 VAC, 60 Hz, 20A service; (220-240 VAC, 50-60 Hz, 10A service model available)

Operating Temperature: 10°C to 50°C (50°F to 122°F), maximum output Power de-rated above 30°C (86°F).)

Humidity: 70% or less, non-condensing

Cooling: Forced air cooling from front to back through removable filters.

Airflow: 180CFM

Dimensions: 19 in. x 22.75 in. x 3.5 in. (48.3 cm x 57.8 cm x 8.9 cm)

Protection

Over/Under Voltage:

 \pm 10% from specified supply voltage amplifier is forced to Standby

Over Current:

Breaker protection on both main power and low voltage supplies

Over Temperature:

Separate output transistor, heat sink, and transformer temperature monitoring and protection

AC Specifications - High-Voltage Mode

	PEAK OUTPUT							RMS OUTPUT					
	40 mSec Pulse, 20% Duty Cycle		5 Minutes, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle		5 Minutes, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle				
Ohms	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Watts		
32	166	5.1	161	5	161	5	113	3.6	113	3.6	407		
16	147	9	146	9	120	7.4	102	6.3	85	5.2	442		
8	123	15	99	12	68	8.5	69	8.5	48	6	288		
4	95	23.1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		

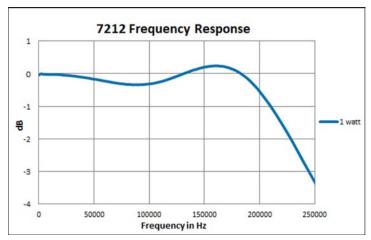
AC Specifications - Mid-Level Mode

	PEAK OUTPUT							RMS OUTPUT					
	40 mSec Pulse, 20% Duty Cycle		5 Minutes, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle		5 Minutes, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle				
Ohms	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Watts		
8	72	8.8	71	8.8	71	8.8	50	6.2	50	6.2	313		
4	62	14.8	60	14.8	59	14.6	42	10.5	42	10.3	432		
2	48	22.7	42	21.2	30	14.1	30	15	20	10	200		
1	32	30	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		

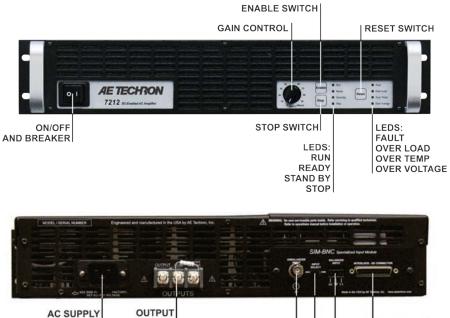
AC Specifications – High-Current Mode

	PEAK OUTPUT							RMS OUTPUT					
	40 mSec Pulse, 5 Minut 20% Duty Cycle 100% Duty		,	1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle		5 Minutes, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle		ycle			
Ohms	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Watts		
2	30	14.9	30	14.9	30	14.9	21	10.5	21	10.5	225		
1.5	27	17.6	27	17.7	27	17.7	19	12.5	19	12.4	236		
1	24	22.6	24	22.6	24	22.6	17	16	17	16	272		

*Not tested.



FREQUENCY PERFORMANCE



BNC INPUT INPUT SELECTOR SWITCH TERMINAL BLOCK INPUT CONNECTOR

INTERLOCK CONNECTOR

AC SUPPLY TERMINAL

STRIP

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