

HF/50 MHz 1.5 kW Linear Amplifier

# The Ultimate Linear Amplifier For the World's Top DX'ers

Ultra high speed Automatic Antenna Tuner Built in Two inputs and Four antenna jacks, with an additional Antenna Direct Jack

VL-2000 HF/50 MHz 1.5 kW (50 MHz: 1 kW) Linear Amplifier **VP-2000** 48 V 63A Switching Power Supply





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### High Power Output with High Reliability

8 rugged VRF2933 MOS FET transistors, in a Parallel Push-Pull circuit, will produce high power output on 160 through 6 meters. Two large fans, with continuously variable speed control, cool the LPF and PA unit, and assure years of silent, reliable operation.





#### **Two Large Analog Meters**

The left meter indicates TX Power or SWR, and the right meter show the ID or VDD.



### Monitor Circuitry Assures Reliable and Quick Diagnosis of System Anomalies

The high-power devices are monitored to warn of input voltage fluctuations, extreme heat-sink temperature, high SWR and excessive RF Drive Power.

#### Built-in High speed Automatic Antenna Tuner

Perfect the SWR match of your antenna to1.5: 1 or better in less than 3 seconds (typical).

#### Two Input and Four Output Jacks Integrate exciter and antenna selections

For example, the Two input jacks allow, connection of an HF transceiver to INPUT 1 and a 6-meter transceiver to INPUT 2, while the four output jacks may be connected to your station's

various antenna systems. Automatic antenna selection is provided for the exciter connected to the INPUT 1 jack, eliminating the need for multiple antenna-selection keystrokes. When the "DIRECT" switch on the rear panel is turned on, the signal at "INPUT 2" is output from the "ANT DIRECT" connector, without any antenna switching after the amplification. In addition, the VL-2000 is S02R capable.



#### Automatic Band Change for Quick QSY

With most modern Yaesu transceivers, band data can be transferred between the transceiver and the VL-2000 amplifier, permitting automatic amplifier band change when you change bands on the transceiver. For use with other exciters, the VL-2000 also provides Automatic Band Change via a frequency sensing circuit, which instantly changes bands when RF drive is first applied.

VL-2000 Specifications	3	Automatic Antenna	Tuner Section
Operating Mode: Input: Input Impedance:	1.8 MHz ~ 50 MHz Amateur Bands SSB, CW, AM, FM, RTTY INPUT 1/INPUT 2 (Two Systems) 50 ohm, unbalanced, Type-M connector 100 W or 200 W (@ATT ON)	Matching Time:	25 to 100 ohm, unbalanced @ 1.8 MHz and 50 MHz Amateur Bands 16.6 to 150 ohm, unbalanced @ 3.5 ~ 28 MHz Amateur Bands Less than 3 seconds (typical) 1.5 : 1 or better
Output:	ANT 1 ~ ANT 4 (Four Systems) plus ANT DIRECT (INPUT 2 to ANT DIRECT directly)	VP-2000 Specifications	
Power Output:	50 ohm, unbalanced, Type-M connector 1.5 kW (1.8 MHz ~ 28 MHz Amateur Bands) 1 kW (50 MHz Amateur Bands) 500 Watts (1.8 MHz ~ 50 MHz Amateur Bands)	Output Voltage: Output Current (Maximum):	DC +48 V, DC +12 V, DC -12 V DC +48 V: 63 A DC +12 V: 5.5 A
Spurious Radiation:	Better than –60 dB @ 1.8 - 28 MHz Amateur Bands Better than –73 dB @ 50 MHz Amateur Band Manual/Automatic		DC -12 V: 1 A AC 100-240 V, 50/60 Hz 16 A (@AC 200-240V, VL-2000: 1.5 kW output)
Cooling System: Operating Temperature Range:	(Automatic: requires the CONTROL Cable or the BAND DATA Cable) VRF2933 x 8 Class-AB, Push-pull Circuit, Power Combine Forced air-cooling (Variable wind velocity) +14 °F ~ +104 °F (−10 °C ~ +40 °C) @1.5 kW/1 kW Operation +14 °F ~ +122 °F (−10 °C ~ +50 °C) @500 W Operation	Case Size (W x H x D): Weight (Approx.):	13 A (@AC 200-240V, VL-2000: 1 kW output) 17.5 A (@AC 100-120 V, VL-2000: 500 W output) 19" x 7" x 20" (482 x 177 x 508 mm) 41.9 lbs (19 kg)
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