

**RFSD -2**  
**Head-end /Hub-site**  
**Signal monitoring and**  
**RF Switch Control**

**Possible switch configurations:**

- External switch control
- Internal input multiplexing
- Internal output selection
- Internal pilot carrier activation

**Applications include:**

- outage detection
- primary feed/backup switching
- amplifier AGC backup
- head-end monitoring

# **RFSD-2**

## **RF Signal Monitor & Switch Controller**

The RFSD-2 RF signal monitor measures the amplitude of analog or digital RF signals at two frequencies. Measurements are compared with programmable limits. Alarms may be indicated locally or remotely.

RF switch actions may be initiated. Pilot carrier can be switched in for supporting downstream amplifier AGC circuits.

All measurements, alarm status and switch status can be monitored remotely via TTL contacts.

Limits and set-up parameters may be changed and switches may be controlled.



***Reliability through Simplicity***

# RFSD-20 RF Signal Monitor & Switch Controller

## Features:

- Dual fixed frequency receivers
- Real-time measurement display
- Local and remote programming via TTL
- Status monitoring alarms
- Manual switch override control

## Options:

- Internal or external RF switches
- Pilot carrier for AGC control
- Input mux switches
- Alarm relay contact outputs
- Remote switch enable/disable input
- 120VAC / 240VAC / -48 VDC power input

Custom solutions available

*VISA, Mastercard, Amex, Discover accepted*

## SPECIFICATIONS

### Receivers:

Amplitude range .....	-13.0 to +33.0 dBmV
Amplitude resolution ....	0.1 dB
Amplitude accuracy.....	± 0.75 dB (+20° C to +30° C) ± 2.00 dB (0° C to +45° C)
Frequency Range .....	5MHz to 1000MHz
IF bandwidth .....	280 kHz, ±30 kHz at 6 dB points, 600 kHz at 40 dB points
Input port return loss .....	>18 dB
Spurious responses .....	40 dB down from indicated level
Peak detector error .....	< 1.0 dB TV composite modulated signal vs CW signal

### RF Switch:

Frequency range .....	DC to 1000 MHz
Impedance .....	75 ohms
Maximum signal .....	250 mW

	Insertion Loss*	Port-Port Return Loss	Return Loss
50 MHz	0.2 dB	>75 dB	>30 dB
650 MHz	0.8 dB	>55 dB	>17 dB
860 MHz	1.0 dB	>46 dB	>14 dB

\*(Main-to-Common, Standby-to-Common)  
Un-switched port terminates into 75W

### RF CW Pilot Carrier:

Frequency may be specified ...	5-1000 MHz
Amplitude .....	+30 to +60 dBmV
Spectral Purity .....	> -60 dBc

Specifications subject to change without notice.



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