

The AE Techron **7548** amplifier is a DC-enabled, high-powered unit designed to provide very low noise and fast slew rates. A single 7548 has an output capability of 100 amperes peak and 200 volts peak when driving typical MRI gradient coil loads. It can output a 40 mSec pulse with up to 105 amperes peak current into a 1-ohm load. If more current is needed, up to four amplifiers can be combined in series or parallel and operate as a single system.

The 7548 can operate in either voltage or current mode and features robust output devices and a power range of over 3300 watts RMS. It can safely drive a wide range of resistive, inductive loads.

Typical use includes as a power source for EMC testing in applications that require both continuous AC or DC signals and significant short term (burst) signals. It can be combined in a three-phase system ideal for MIL-STD-704F (AC and 28VDC tests).

### Performance (Controlled Voltage Mode)

*Note: Testing performed at 208V/415V AC. 7548 amplifiers can operate from 400V AC  $\pm 10\%$ . Since these amplifiers have an unregulated power supply, low line conditions may slightly affect the maximum voltage potential.*

*7548P accuracy was measured when driven into a 10 ohm load with between 0.1VDC and 6VDC or between 0.2V AC and 5V AC presented at its inputs.*

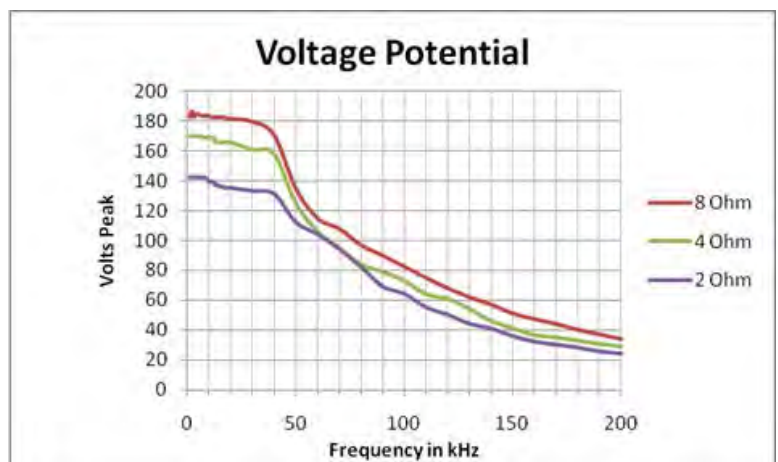
### Frequency Response:

DC – 30 kHz, +0.1, –0.5 dB



### Features

- Over 12,000 watts peak for 40 mSec and 5,500 watts peak continuous into a 1-ohm load.
- 40 mSec pulses of up to 105 amperes peak into a 1-ohm load.
- System output of 800 volts and 70 amperes maximum are possible with multiple, interconnected amplifiers.
- Frequency bandwidth of DC to 50 kHz at rated power; DC to 100 kHz at reduced power.
- Rugged chassis for stand-alone or rack mounted operation. No additional power supplies are required.
- Protection circuitry protects the *AE Techron 7548* from input overloads, improper output connection (including shorted and improper loads), over-temperature, over-current, and supply voltages that are too high or low.
- 7548 with “P” option offers precision control of output offset, DC drift and gain linearity.
- Shipped ready to operate from 208-volt ( $\pm 10\%$ ) three-phase AC mains. Operation from 400-volt ( $\pm 10\%$ ) AC mains are available on request.



## AC Specifications

Ohms	PEAK OUTPUT						RMS OUTPUT					
	40mSec Pulse, 20% Duty Cycle		5 Minute, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle		5 Minute, 100% Duty Cycle		1 Hour, 100% Duty Cycle			
	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Volts	Amps	Watts	
Open	200	0	200	0	200	0	141	0	141	0	0	
16	195	12	195	12	195	12	138	8	138	8	1170	
8	183	23	183	23	183	23	129	16	129	16	2104	
4	165	41	165	41	165	41	117	29	117	29	3381	
2	150	75			86	43			61	30	1848	
1.5	134	90										
1	116	105										
0.5	66	112										

Note: Performance levels typical up to 20 kHz frequency levels. Above 20 kHz, slew rate may affect performance, reducing maximum voltage, current and power output.

### 8 ohm Power Response:

- DC-40 kHz:** ± 180 Vpk
- DC-50 kHz:** ± 150 Vpk
- DC-150 kHz:** ± 50 Vpk
- DC-200 kHz:** ± 25 Vpk

### Maximum Continuous Output Power:

3300 watts RMS

### Power Sinking:

1.2 kVA at 120VAC

### Slew Rate:

41 V/μSec

### Phase Response:

± 5 degrees (10 Hz - 10 kHz)

### Unit to Unit Phase Error:

+/- 0.1 degrees at 60Hz

### Output Offset:

**7548:** Less than 5 mV, field adjustable to less than 1 mV

**7548P:** Less than 200 μV

### Output Offset Current:

Less than 10 milliamperes DC

### DC Drift:

**7548:** ±1.5 mV

**7548P:** ± 400 μV (from cold to maximum operating temperature); ±200 μV (after 20 minutes of operation)

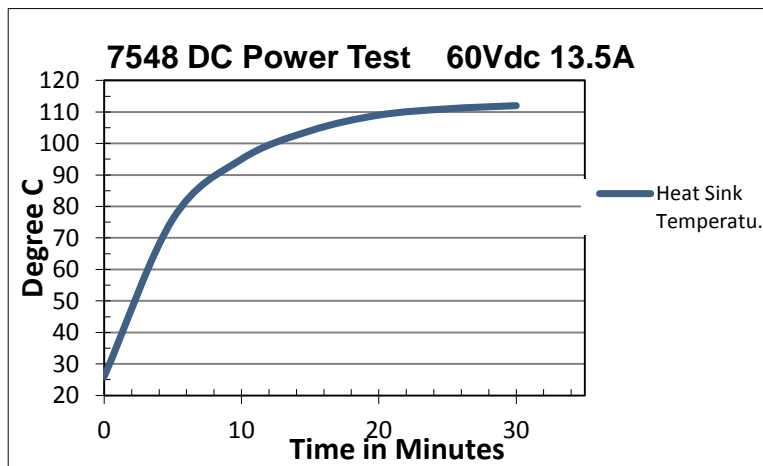
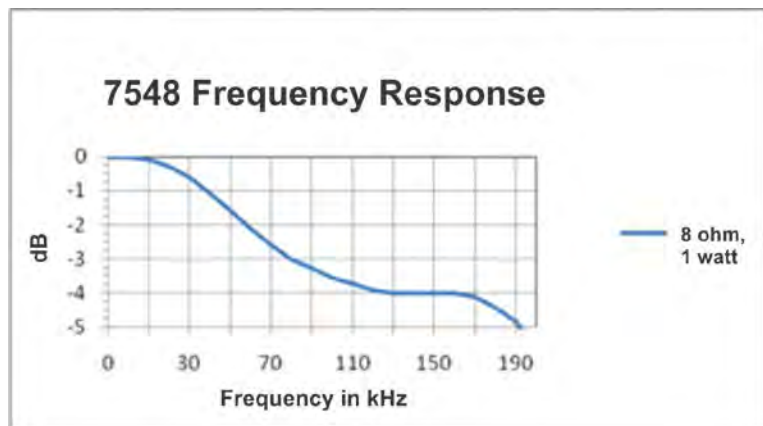
### Residual Noise:

**Unfiltered:** Less than 75 μV

**Filtered (400 Hz - 30 kHz):**  
Less than 55 μV

### THD:

DC - 30 kHz less than 0.1%



### Input Characteristics

#### Balanced with ground:

Three terminal barrier block connector 20 k ohm differential

#### Unbalanced:

BNC connector, 10 k ohm single ended

#### Gain:

**Voltage Mode:** 20 volts/volt

**Current Mode:** 20 amperes/volt

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

**7548:** 0.1%

**7548P:**

**DC:** 0.0125%

**AC:** 0.030%

**Max Input Voltage:**

± 10 V balanced or unbalanced

**Input Impedance:**

20 kOhm differential

**Input Sensitivity:**

3.0V input for 3800W output into 1 ohm (adjustable)

**Common Mode Rejection Range:**

± 11 VDC maximum

**Common Mode Rejection Ratio:**

70 dB

**Display, Control, Status, I/O**

**Front Panel**

**LED Displays indicate:**

Run, Ready, Standby, Stop, and Fault conditions in the output stage

**LCD Display:**

Lists type of fault condition and gives suggested corrective action

**Soft Touch Switches for:**

Run (Enable), Stop, Reset

**User Configurable:**

LCD display can be configured for up to four simultaneous displays reporting one, two or all four of the following: Voltage Peak, Voltage RMS, Current Peak, and Current RMS

**Back Panel**

**Power Connection:**

NEMA-style locking receptacle; matching AC connector also included

**Signal Output:**

4-position terminal barrier block (OUTPUT/Common/SAMPLED Common/CHASSIS GROUND); resistor installed between SAMPLED Common AND CHASSIS GROUND is a 2.7-ohm, 2W, 5%, metal-oxide resistor

**Signal Input:**

User-selectable Unbalanced BNC or Balanced Barrier Strip



**Interlock Connector:**

25-pin D-sub connector used for amplifier control and status applications; also used in multi-amplifier applications

**Communication Capabilities**

**Current Monitor:** ± 1V / 20A ±1%

**Reporting:**

System Fault, OverTemp, Over Voltage, Overload

**Control:**

Force to Standby; Reset after a fault

**Protection**

**Over/Under Voltage:**

± 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

## Physical Characteristics

### Chassis:

Black powder-coat chassis with all aluminum construction; designed for stand-alone or rack-mounted operation. The amplifier occupies five EIA 19-inch-wide rack units

### Weight:

103 lbs. (46.7 kg)

### AC Power:

Three-phase, 208 VAC  $\pm 10\%$ , 47-60 Hz, 20A AC service (400 VAC  $\pm 10\%$ , 15A version available). A toggle switch circuit breaker opens all legs of the AC mains on excess current demand.

### 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 via four 100 ft<sup>3</sup>/min. fans. No space is required between rack-mounted amplifiers. Air filters are removable from the rear via one fastener per side and may be eliminated if cabinet filtration is provided.

### Dimensions:

19 in. x 22.8 in. x 8.75 in. (48.3 cm x 57.9 cm x 22.3 cm). Unit occupies five EIA 19-inch-wide rack units.

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