

Precision Fixed Attenuator

BW-S3W2+

50Ω 2W 3dB DC to 18000 MHz



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CASE STYLE: FF658

Connectors Model
SMA Female-SMA Male BW-S3W2+

+RoHS Compliant

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature -55°C to 100°C

Storage Temperature -55°C to 100°C**

**With mated connectors. Unmated, 85°C max.

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

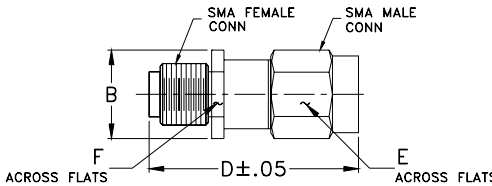
Features

- DC to 18000 MHz
- precise attenuation
- excellent VSWR, 1.20 typ.
- stainless steel SMA male and female connectors

Applications

- matching
- instrumentation
- test set-ups

Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

B	D	E	F	wt
.36	.85	.312	.312	grams
9.14	21.59	7.92	7.92	4.3

Electrical Specifications

FREQ. RANGE (MHz)	ATTENUATION ¹ (dB)		VSWR ² (:1)			MAX. INPUT POWER ³ (W)
	Nom.	ACCURACY	DC-4 GHz Max.	4-8 GHz Max.	8-12.4 GHz Max.	
f_L - f_U						
DC-18000	3	±0.40	1.20	1.25	1.30	2

1. At 25°C, accuracy includes frequency and power variations. Temperature coefficient for attenuation: .0004dB/dB/°C typ.

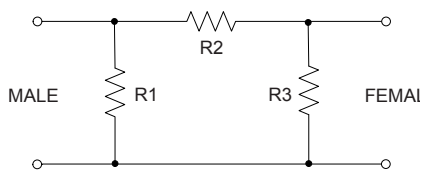
2. VSWR from 12.4 to 18 GHz, 1.6:1 typ.

3. Average power at 25°C ambient, derate linearly to 0.5W at 100°C. Peak Power 125W max. 5µsec pulse width, 100 Hz PRF

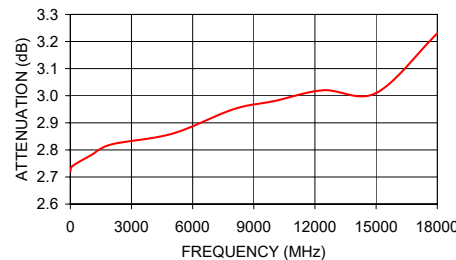
Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
1.00	2.72	1.02
100.00	2.74	1.02
1000.00	2.78	1.03
1999.90	2.82	1.05
5000.00	2.86	1.10
7999.90	2.95	1.07
9999.90	2.98	1.10
12400.10	3.02	1.15
15000.00	3.01	1.21
18000.00	3.23	1.48

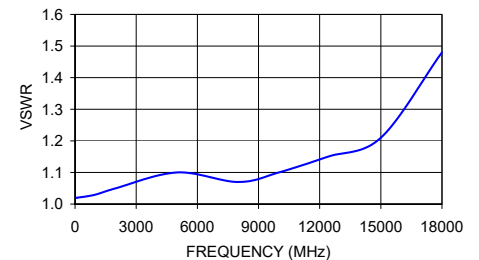
Electrical Schematic



BW-S3W2+ ATTENUATION



BW-S3W2+ VSWR



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