

Plug-In Directional Coupler

PDC-15-21+

50Ω 1 to 500 MHz

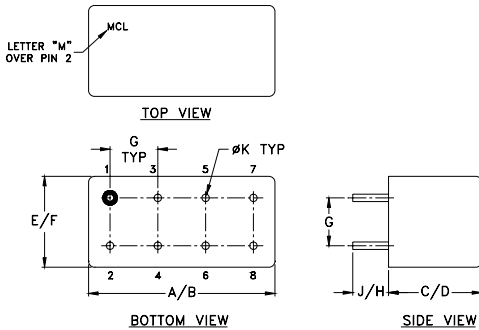
Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.	

Pin Connections

INPUT	1
OUTPUT	4
COUPLED	3
GROUND	2,5,7,8
CASE GROUND	2,5,7,8
NOT USED	6

Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F
.770	.800	.385	.400	.370	.400
19.56	20.32	9.78	10.16	9.40	10.16
G	H	J	K	wt	
.200	.20	.14	.031	grams	
5.08	5.08	3.56	0.79	5.2	

Features

- wideband, 1 to 500 MHz
- excellent directivity, 35 dB typ.
- low mainline loss, 0.7 dB typ.
- rugged welded construction, hermetically sealed

Applications

- VHF/UHF
- power levelling & monitoring
- defense & federal communications



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CASE STYLE: A01

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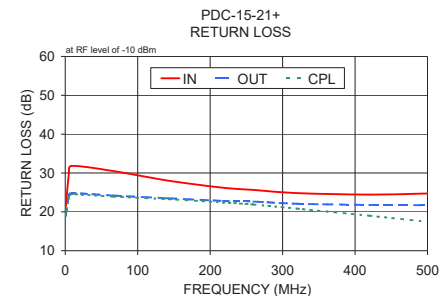
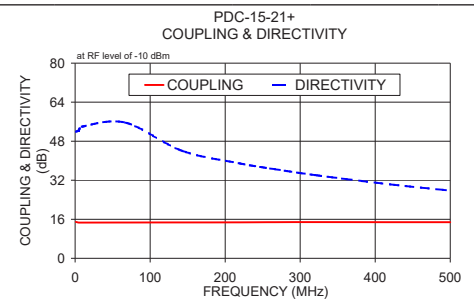
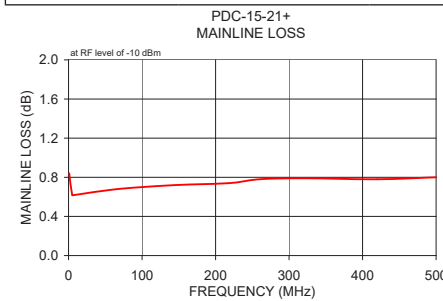
Directional Coupler Electrical Specifications

FREQ. (MHz)	COUPLING (dB)		MAINLINE LOSS ¹ (dB)						DIRECTIVITY (dB)						VSWR (:1)	POWER INPUT, W		
			L		M		U		L		M		U					
	Nom.	Flatness	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Min.	Typ.	Min.	Typ.	Min.		Typ.	Max.	Max.
f _L -f _U																		
1-500	14.7±0.5	±0.6	0.7	1.1	0.7	1.1	0.8	1.2	35	30	35	30	30	23	1.4	1.0	2.0	

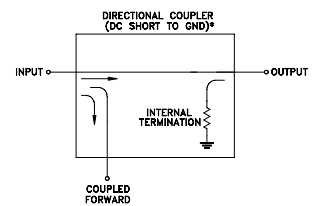
L = low range [f_L to 10 f_L] M = mid range [10 f_L to f_U/2] U = upper range [f_U/2 to f_U]
 1. Mainline loss includes theoretical power loss at coupled port.

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB)		Coupling (dB) In-Cpl	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB)		
	In-Out				In	Out	Cpl
1.00	0.84		14.92	51.87	21.50	19.50	18.97
5.00	0.62		14.65	52.53	29.88	24.24	23.75
9.00	0.62		14.63	53.94	31.83	24.82	24.50
67.00	0.68		14.68	55.63	30.49	24.19	23.92
143.00	0.72		14.72	44.02	28.00	23.48	23.25
218.00	0.74		14.74	38.99	26.21	22.83	22.42
260.00	0.78		14.81	36.81	25.64	22.64	21.88
320.00	0.79		14.83	34.10	24.83	22.09	20.83
420.00	0.78		14.81	30.29	24.45	21.78	19.00
500.00	0.80		14.82	27.78	24.72	21.71	17.45



Electrical Schematic



* ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC IS FOR DIRECTIONAL COUPLER WITH INTERNAL TRANSFORMER(S) THAT ROUTES DC FROM RF PORTS TO GROUND.

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