

Coaxial Directional Coupler

50Ω

20 to 2000 MHz

ZFDC-6-23-S+



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CASE STYLE: K18

Connectors	Model
SMA	ZFDC-6-23-S+
BRACKET (OPTION "B")	

+RoHS Compliant

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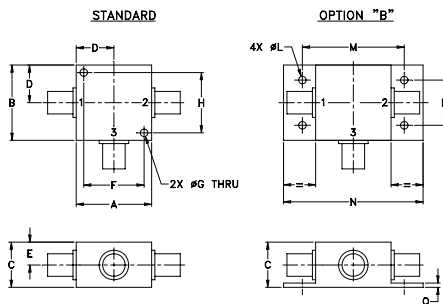
Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C

Coaxial Connections

INPUT	3
OUTPUT	1
COUPLED	2

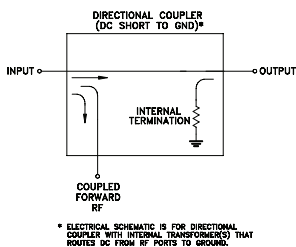
Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1.25	1.25	.75	.63	.38	1.00	.125	1.000
31.75	31.75	19.05	16.00	9.65	25.40	3.18	25.40
J	K	L	M	N	P	Q	wt
--	--	.125	1.688	2.18	.75	.07	grams
--	--	3.18	42.88	55.37	19.05	1.78	70.0

Electrical Schematic



Features

- very wideband, 20 to 2000 MHz
- good directivity, 17 dB typ.
- can be used for unbalance 2 way splitter
- rugged shielded case

Applications

- cellular
- instrumentation
- communication receivers & transmitters
- GPS

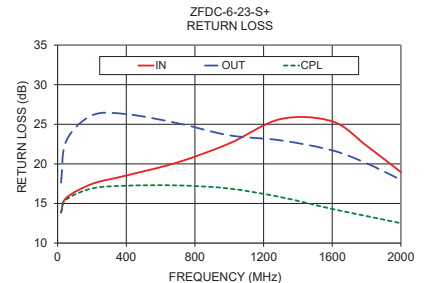
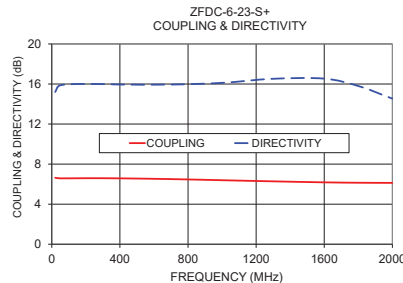
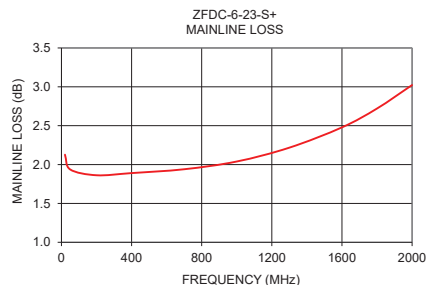
Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter	Condition (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		20		2000	MHz
Mainline Loss¹	20-1300	—	2.0	2.8	dB
	1300-2000	—	2.7	3.5	
Nominal Coupling	20-2000	—	6.4±0.5	—	dB
Coupling Flatness(±)	20-2000	—	0.3	0.7	dB
Directivity	20-2000	11	18	—	dB
Return Loss (Input)	20-700	11	16	—	dB
	700-1600	15	22	—	
	1600-2000	12	18	—	
Return Loss (Output)	20-700	14	22	—	dB
	700-1600	17	24	—	
	1600-2000	14	22	—	
Return Loss (Coupling)	20-700	11	16	—	dB
	700-1600	10	15	—	
	1600-2000	10	14	V	
Input Power	20-2000			0.5	W

1. Include coupling loss.

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB) In-Out	Coupling (dB) In-Cpl	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB)		
				In	Out	Cpl
20	2.13	6.64	15.21	13.94	17.62	13.81
50	1.94	6.58	15.87	15.69	22.88	15.49
200	1.86	6.59	16.01	17.46	26.12	16.89
400	1.89	6.58	15.95	18.53	26.28	17.24
700	1.94	6.50	15.95	20.19	25.13	17.28
1000	2.04	6.39	16.12	22.58	23.61	16.88
1300	2.22	6.28	16.52	25.66	22.97	15.80
1600	2.48	6.18	16.54	25.36	21.71	14.31
1800	2.72	6.14	15.80	22.29	20.07	13.41
2000	3.02	6.12	14.54	18.96	17.99	12.50



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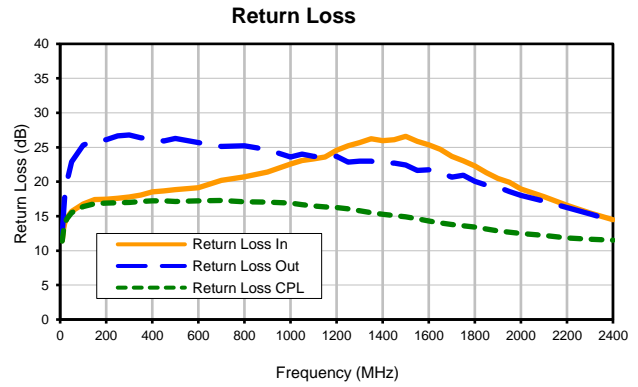
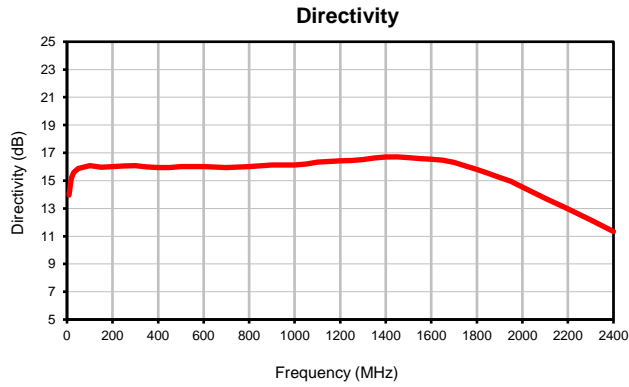
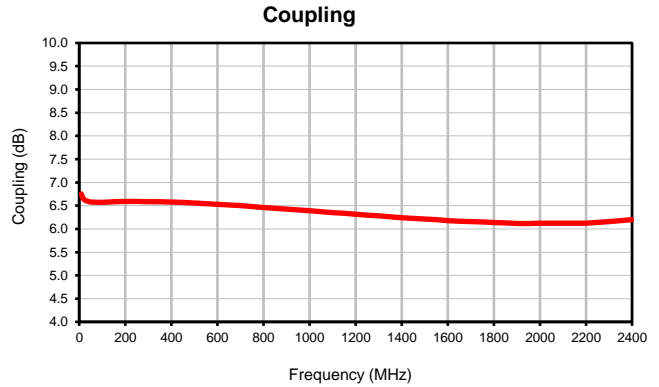
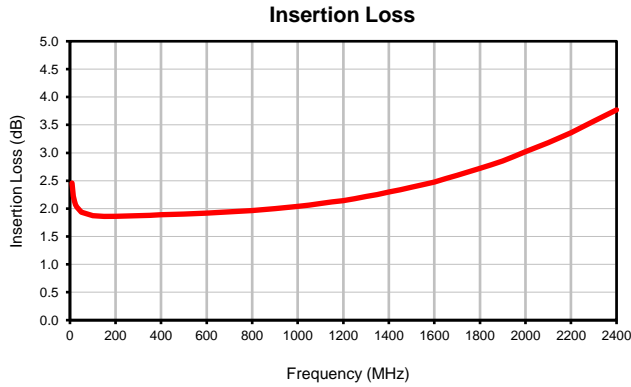
Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS (dB)	COUPLING (dB)	DIRECTIVITY (dB)	RETURN LOSS (dB)		
				IN	OUT	CPL
9	2.46	6.75	13.96	11.45	12.32	11.38
15	2.22	6.67	14.82	13.19	15.71	13.07
20	2.13	6.64	15.21	13.94	17.62	13.81
25	2.07	6.62	15.45	14.42	19.05	14.30
30	2.03	6.60	15.59	14.80	20.15	14.65
50	1.94	6.58	15.87	15.69	22.88	15.49
100	1.87	6.57	16.08	16.76	25.28	16.37
150	1.86	6.58	15.97	17.41	25.98	16.79
200	1.86	6.59	16.01	17.46	26.12	16.89
250	1.87	6.59	16.05	17.60	26.66	16.93
300	1.87	6.59	16.07	17.79	26.78	16.98
350	1.88	6.59	16.00	18.05	26.39	17.12
400	1.89	6.58	15.95	18.53	26.28	17.24
450	1.90	6.57	15.94	18.65	25.90	17.24
500	1.90	6.56	16.00	18.83	26.28	17.15
600	1.92	6.53	16.01	19.12	25.68	17.21
700	1.94	6.50	15.95	20.19	25.13	17.28
800	1.97	6.46	16.02	20.72	25.21	17.09
900	2.00	6.43	16.13	21.38	24.64	17.02
1000	2.04	6.39	16.12	22.58	23.61	16.88
1050	2.06	6.37	16.20	23.07	23.99	16.65
1100	2.09	6.35	16.34	23.30	23.67	16.46
1150	2.12	6.34	16.38	23.57	23.60	16.36
1200	2.15	6.32	16.41	24.55	23.67	16.23
1250	2.18	6.30	16.46	25.19	22.84	16.05
1300	2.22	6.28	16.52	25.66	22.97	15.80
1350	2.25	6.26	16.63	26.24	22.98	15.49
1400	2.30	6.24	16.70	25.97	22.63	15.25
1450	2.34	6.23	16.71	26.10	22.70	15.08
1500	2.38	6.21	16.65	26.59	22.42	14.88
1550	2.43	6.20	16.58	25.87	21.64	14.61
1600	2.48	6.18	16.54	25.36	21.71	14.31
1650	2.54	6.17	16.46	24.71	21.34	14.01
1700	2.60	6.16	16.32	23.67	20.68	13.79
1750	2.66	6.15	16.05	23.03	20.93	13.62
1800	2.72	6.14	15.80	22.29	20.07	13.41
1850	2.79	6.13	15.52	21.30	19.49	13.12
1900	2.86	6.12	15.23	20.49	19.23	12.86
1950	2.94	6.12	14.95	19.94	18.57	12.66
2000	3.02	6.12	14.54	18.96	17.99	12.50
2100	3.18	6.13	13.74	17.82	17.17	12.21
2200	3.36	6.13	12.98	16.56	16.24	11.84
2300	3.56	6.16	12.16	15.47	15.34	11.66
2400	3.77	6.20	11.34	14.47	14.33	11.52

Directional Coupler

Typical Performance Curves

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Outline Dimensions



CASE#	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N
K18	1.25 (31.75)	1.25 (31.75)	.75 (19.05)	.63 (16.00)	.38 (9.65)	1.000 (25.40)	.125 (3.18)	1.000 (25.40)	--	--	.125 (3.18)	1.688 (42.88)	2.18 (55.37)

CASE#	P	Q	WT. GRAMS
K18	.75 (19.05)	.07 (1.78)	70.0

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2 Pl. $\pm .03$; 3 Pl. $\pm .015$

Notes:

- Case material: Aluminum alloy.
- Case finish:
For RoHS Case Styles: Clear chemical conversion coating, non-chrome or trivalent chrome based.
- Mounting bracket available on request. Add suffix B to part number.
- For port marking 1, 2, and 3 see specifications data sheet.
- For bracket version, option B, dimension "C" changes from .75 to .94 inches when connectors are type N.
- Refer to the individual model data sheet for the type of connectors available.

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-55° to 100°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Barometric Pressure	100,000 Feet	MIL-STD-202, Method 105, Condition D
Humidity	90% RH, 65°C Units may require bake-out after humidity to restore full performance.	MIL-STD-202, Method 103
Thermal Shock	-65° to 125°C, 5 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition B
Vibration (High Frequency)	20g peak, 10-2000 Hz, 12 times in each of three perpendicular directions (total 36)	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D
Mechanical Shock	100g, 6ms sawtooth, 3 shocks each direction 3 axes (total 18)	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition I