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SURFACE MOUNT <sup>top hat</sup>

# Directional Coupler

## RDC-10-122-75X+

75Ω 10dB 5 to 1250 MHz

### THE BIG DEAL

- Low mainline loss, 1.2 dB
- High directivity, 20 dB
- Good Return Loss, 20 dB
- Excellent coupling flatness, ±0.1 dB
- Supports DOCSIS® 3.1 Systems

### APPLICATIONS

- DOCSIS 3.1
- Cable TV



Generic photo used for illustration purposes only

CASE STYLE: TT2315

#### +RoHS Compliant

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

### PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits RDC-10-122-75X+ surface-mount directional coupler provides 10 dB coupling with excellent flatness, low mainline loss, high directivity, and good return loss for 75Ω applications from 5 to 1250 MHz, supporting a variety of broadband applications including DOCSIS 3.1 systems and equipment. This model features core and wire construction with wrap-around terminations for good solderability and easy visual inspection.

### KEY FEATURES

Feature	Advantages
Broadband, 5 to 1250 MHz	Supports bandwidth requirements for DOCSIS 3.1/4.0 systems and equipment.
Low mainline loss, 1.2 dB	Provides excellent through-path signal transmission and maintains low heat dissipation, avoiding the need for special heat sinking methods.
Power handling, up to 1W	Usable in systems with a variety of signal power requirements.
Excellent return loss, 20 dB typ.	Provides excellent matching for 50Ω systems.
High directivity, 20 dB	High directivity allows accurate signal sampling through the coupled port with minimal measurement error.
Top Hat® feature	Improves speed and accuracy of pick and place assembly.

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### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT 25°C

Parameter	Condition (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		5		1250	MHz
Mainline Loss <sup>1</sup>	5-1000 1000 - 1250	—	1.1 1.3	1.6 1.8	dB
Nominal Coupling	5 - 1250	—	10	—	dB
Coupling Flatness(±)	5 - 1250	—	0.1	0.4	dB
Directivity	5-50	19	21	—	dB
	50-870	15	20	—	
	870 - 1250	12	18	—	
Return Loss (Input)	5 - 1250	15	18	—	dB
Return Loss (Output)	5 - 1250	17	21	—	dB
Return Loss (Coupled)	5 - 1250	15	19	—	dB
Input Power	5 - 1250	—	—	1.0	W

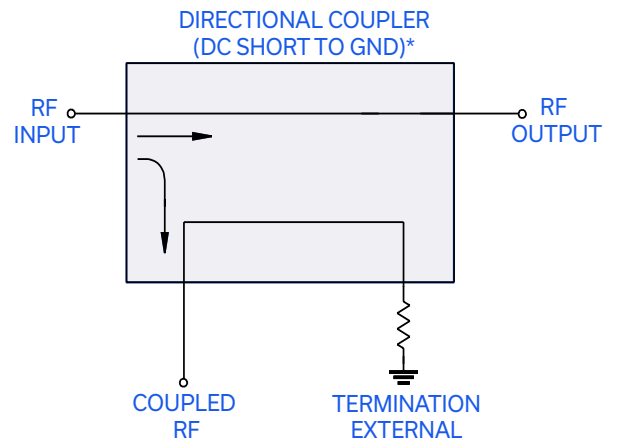
1. Mainline loss includes theoretical power loss at coupled port.

### MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-40°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C

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

### ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC



\*Electrical schematic is for Directional coupler with internal transformer(s) and external termination



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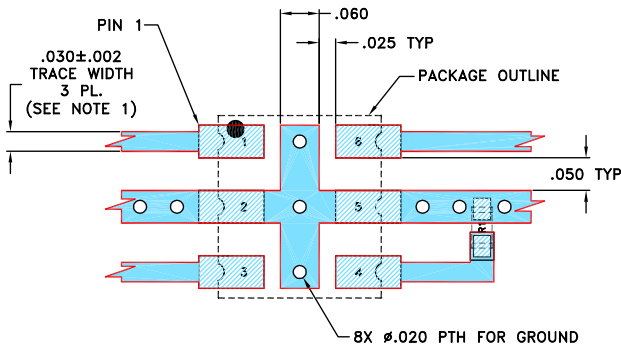
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### PIN CONNECTIONS

Function	Pad Number
INPUT	1
OUTPUT	6
COUPLED	3
GROUND	2
75Ω TERM EXTERNAL	4
ISOLATE (DO NOT USE)	5

### PRODUCT MARKING: US

**DEMO BOARD MCL P/N:** TB-917+  
**SUGGESTED PCB LAYOUT (PL-452)**



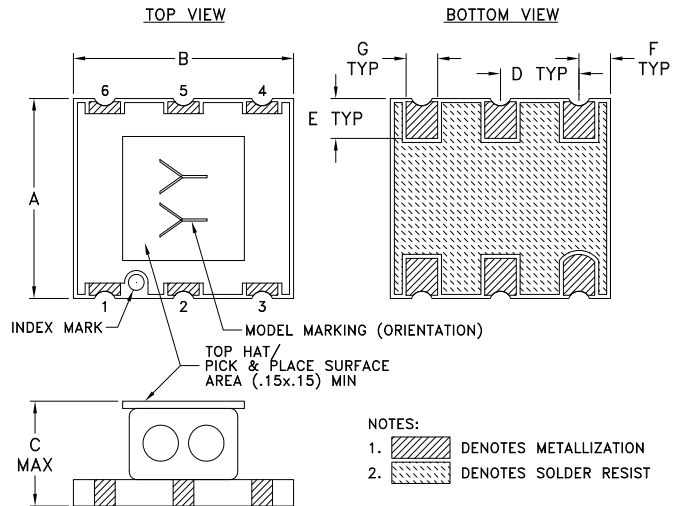
#### NOTES:

- TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR ROGERS R04350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .030" ± .002"; COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
- .0603 SIZE CHIP RESISTOR FOOT PRINT SHOWN FOR REFERENCE. FOR RESISTOR VALUE REFER TO TB-917+.
- BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

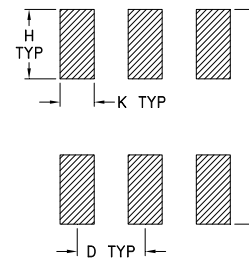
DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)

DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK

### OUTLINE DRAWING



### PCB Land Pattern



Suggested Layout,  
Tolerance to be within ±.002

### OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inches/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K
.250	.280	.140	.100	.050	.040	.040	.100	.310	.050
6.35	7.11	3.56	2.54	1.27	1.02	1.02	2.54	7.87	1.27

Weight: 0.35 grams

### TAPE & REEL INFORMATION: F34



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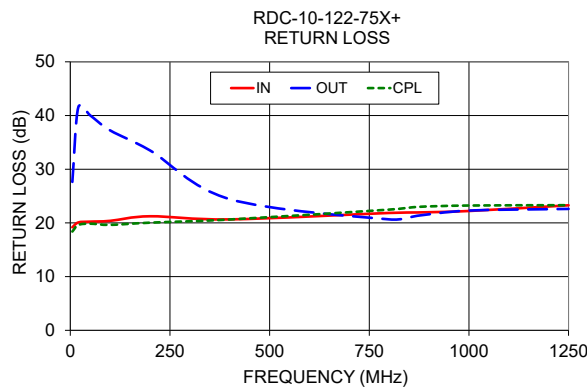
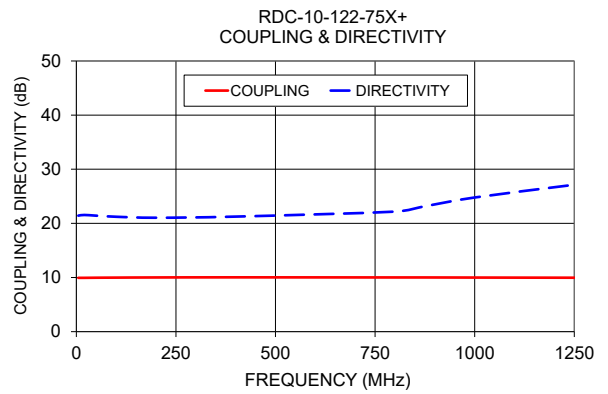
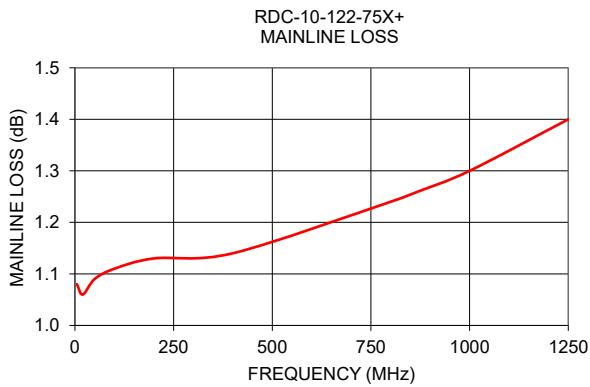
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### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB) In-Out	Coupling (dB) In-Cpl	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB)		
				In	Out	Cpl
5	1.08	9.94	21.43	19.19	27.64	18.40
20	1.06	9.94	21.55	20.09	41.54	19.62
50	1.09	9.96	21.42	20.24	40.01	19.86
100	1.11	9.98	21.22	20.39	37.22	19.64
200	1.13	10.01	21.04	21.24	33.49	20.05
400	1.14	10.03	21.25	20.66	24.43	20.64
800	1.24	10.01	22.17	21.86	20.66	22.48
870	1.26	10.01	23.09	21.95	21.33	22.98
1000	1.30	9.99	24.78	22.22	22.30	23.24
1250	1.40	9.96	27.13	23.28	22.61	23.30



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