

Coaxial Directional Coupler

50Ω

1 to 1000 MHz

ZFDC-10-21



BNC version shown

CASE STYLE: K18

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.

Coaxial Connections

INPUT	1
OUTPUT	2
COUPLED	3

Features

- wideband, 1 to 1000 MHz
- excellent directivity, 25 dB typ.
- rugged shielded case

Applications

- VHF/UHF
- cellular
- instrumentation
- communications receivers & transmitters

Connectors	Model	Price	Qty.
BNC	ZFDC-10-21	\$54.95	(1-9)
SMA	ZFDC-10-21-S	\$59.95	(1-9)
N-TYPE	ZFDC-10-21-N	\$59.95	(1-9)
BRACKET (OPTION "B")		\$5.00	(1+)

Directional Coupler Electrical Specifications

FREQ. RANGE (MHz)	COUPLING* (dB)		MAINLINE LOSS¹ (dB)						DIRECTIVITY (dB)						VSWR (:1)	POWER INPUT (W)	
			L		M		U		L		M		U			L	MU
	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Min.	Typ.	Min.	Typ.	Min.		Typ.	Max.
f _L -f _U	Nom.	Flatness															
1-1000	11±0.5	±0.5	1.2	2.1	1.2	1.7	1.6	2.0	40	30	25	20	25	20	1.2	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]

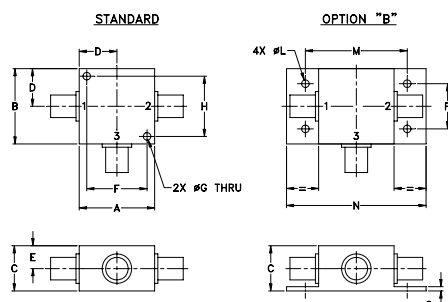
1. Mainline loss includes theoretical power loss at coupled port.

* Upper range coupling flatness ±0.75 dB

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB) In-Out	Coupling (dB) In-Cpl	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB)		
				In	Out	Cpl
1.00	1.40	11.11	57.10	19.66	15.47	14.40
5.00	1.10	10.69	57.53	29.35	18.65	17.89
9.00	1.06	10.64	58.41	33.22	19.11	18.54
127.00	1.09	10.63	53.14	35.93	19.06	18.61
283.00	1.13	10.67	41.08	33.11	18.61	17.79
440.00	1.15	10.67	34.18	32.39	17.97	16.96
540.00	1.32	10.77	31.02	32.13	17.66	16.67
678.00	1.38	10.77	27.90	29.33	17.37	16.50
873.00	1.48	10.76	24.75	23.76	17.46	17.00
1000.00	1.70	10.84	23.41	20.67	17.70	17.66

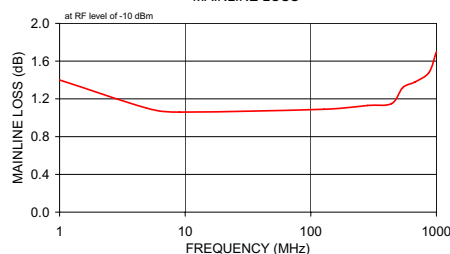
Outline Drawing



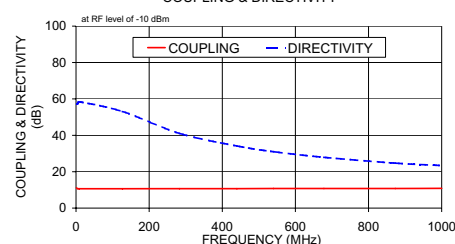
Outline Dimensions (inch mm)

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

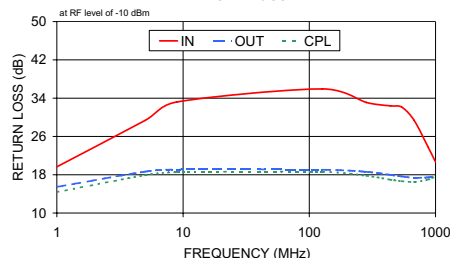
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MAINLINE LOSS



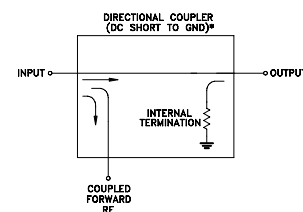
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COUPLING & DIRECTIVITY



ZFDC-10-21
RETURN LOSS



Electrical Schematic



* ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC IS FOR DIRECTIONAL COUPLER WITH INTERNAL TRANSFORMERS THAT ROUTES DC FROM RF PORTS TO GROUND.

For detailed performance specs & shopping online see web site



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