

Precision Fixed Attenuator

50Ω 5W 40dB DC to 18000 MHz

BW-N40W5+



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CASE STYLE: DC736

Connectors Model
N-Female N-Male BW-N40W5+

+RoHS Compliant

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

Maximum Ratings

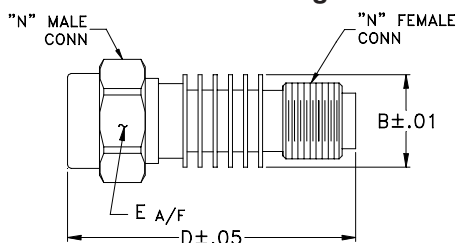
Operating Temperature -55°C to 100°C

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.

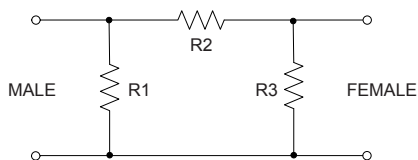
Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

B	D	E	wt
.61	1.90	.812	grams
15.49	48.26	20.62	49.7

Electrical Schematic



Features

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

Applications

- matching
- instrumentation
- test set-ups

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	40	±1.5	1.20	1.25	1.30	5

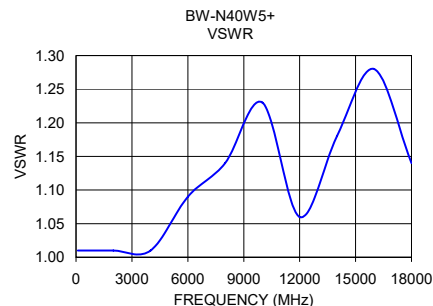
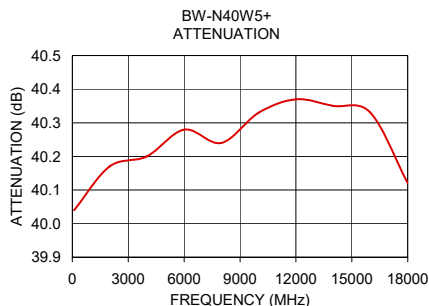
1. At 25°C, accuracy includes frequency and power variations. Temperature coefficient for attenuation: .0004dB/dB/°C typ.

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

3. Average power at 25°C ambient, derate linearly to 2W at 100°C. Peak Power 125W max. 5μsec. pulse width, 100 Hz PRF.

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
100	40.04	1.01
2000	40.17	1.01
4000	40.20	1.01
6000	40.28	1.09
8000	40.24	1.14
10000	40.33	1.23
12000	40.37	1.06
14000	40.35	1.18
16000	40.33	1.28
18000	40.12	1.14



Notes

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