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# Precision Fixed Attenuator **BW-S3-2W263A+**

50Ω 2W 3dB DC to 26 GHz

## THE BIG DEAL

- DC to 26 GHz
- Precise attenuation
- Excellent VSWR, 1.05 typ.
- Passivated stainless steel connectors

## APPLICATIONS

- Matching
- Instrumentation
- Test set-ups



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Model No.	BW-S3-2W263A+
Case Style	FF3336
Connectors	SMA-Fem to SMA-Male

### +RoHS Compliant

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

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The BW-SX-2W263A+ Series of precision fixed attenuators achieves ultra-wide frequency range with excellent VSWR. Available in a variety of attenuation values for different requirements, these units support a broad range of system and testing applications. Precise performance, excellent VSWR and wide band features make these models ideal solutions for systems requiring precise attenuation across very wide frequency range.

## KEY FEATURES

Feature	Advantages
Ultra wideband, DC to 26 GHz	Ideal for an exceptionally wide variety of applications.
Excellent VSWR, 1.05 typ.	Efficient power utilization with low power reflected back to source.
Passivated stainless steel connectors	Rugged construction withstands harsh environmental conditions for high reliability and long life of use.



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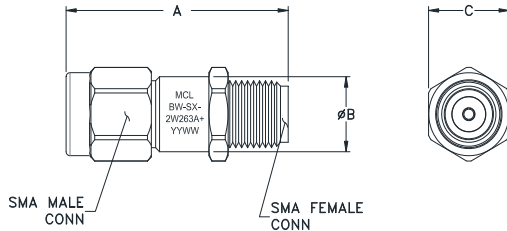
## MAXIMUM RATINGS

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.

\*\* With mated connectors.

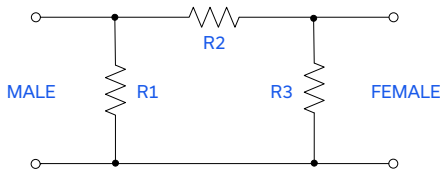
## OUTLINE DRAWING



## OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inches/mm)

dB Value	A	B	C	Wt Grams (Max.)
0-10	.86 (21.84)	.28	.312	6.0
15,20,30	1.02 (25.91)	(7.1)	(7.92)	

## ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC



## ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT 25°C

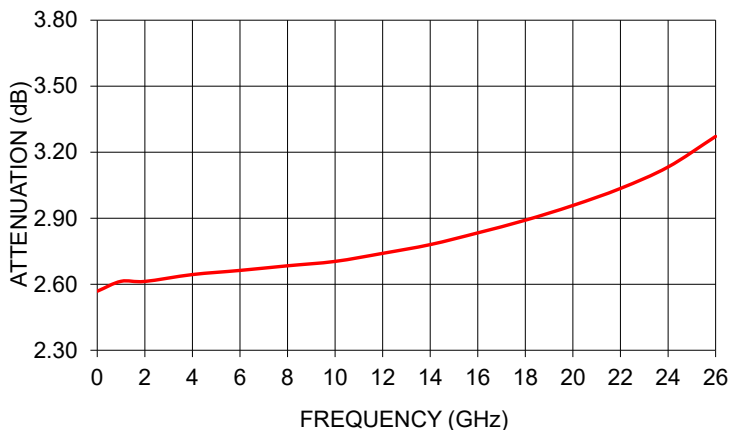
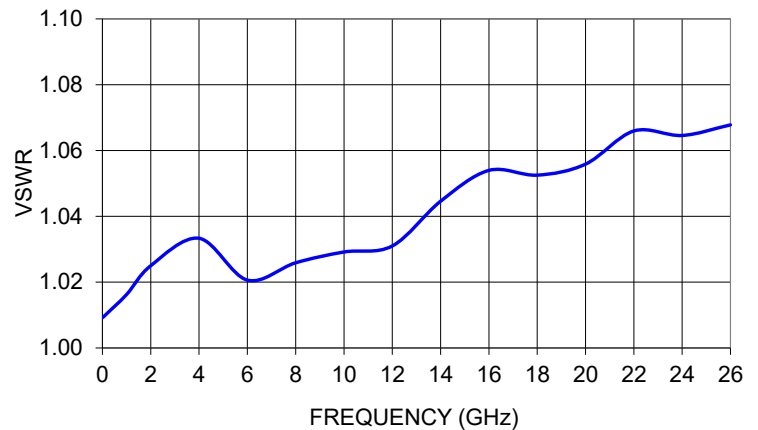
Parameter	Condition (GHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range		DC		26	GHz
Attenuation <sup>1</sup>	DC - 26	2.25	2.81	3.75	dB
VSWR	DC - 6	—	1.02	1.15	:1
	6 - 18	—	1.04	1.30	
	18 - 26	—	1.07	1.40	
Input Power <sup>2</sup>	DC - 26	—	—	2	W

1. At 25°C, accuracy includes frequency and power variations.

2. Max. Power at 25°C ambient, derate linearly to 0.5W at 125°C. Peak power 250W max. 5μsec. pulse width, 10% duty cycle.

## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

Frequency (GHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
0.01	2.57	1.01
1.00	2.61	1.02
2.00	2.61	1.02
4.00	2.64	1.03
6.00	2.66	1.02
8.00	2.68	1.03
10.00	2.70	1.03
12.00	2.74	1.03
14.00	2.78	1.04
16.00	2.83	1.05
18.00	2.89	1.05
20.00	2.96	1.06
22.00	3.04	1.07
24.00	3.13	1.06
26.00	3.27	1.07

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