

High Power Directional Coupler, 690-2700MHz, 40dB, N-Male or Female Input, 50Ω

HIGH DIRECTIVITY... 30dB TYPICAL PERFORMANCE!

WMADC-0.7-2.7-40DB-SERIES



The WMADC-0.7-2.7-40DB-SERIES is a high-power 40 dB directional coupler covering 690 to 2700 MHz, supporting key cellular, LTE, and wireless infrastructure bands. Built on an air dielectric coaxial structure, this design delivers low insertion loss, excellent power handling, and exceptional directivity for accurate forward and reverse power discrimination.

Unlike many broadband couplers that prioritize ultra-flat coupling, this model is engineered to maximize directivity across the band, ensuring cleaner separation between forward and reflected signals. In most real-world systems, coupling variation is easily calibrated out, while poor directivity cannot

be corrected—making this approach better aligned with high-power measurement accuracy and system protection.

Typical applications include RF power monitoring, transmitter protection, VSWR measurement, distributed antenna systems (DAS), base station infrastructure, and general-purpose RF test setups requiring reliable sampling of high-power signals.

The series is configurable in single or dual configurations. The input connector is offered with a standard N-Female, or optionally an N-Male for direct amplifier connection—eliminating unnecessary adapters, reducing mismatch, and preserving system integrity at high power.

Electrical Specifications at +25 °C, Sea Level

Parameter	Low Band	Mid Band	High Band	Unit	
Frequency Range	0.69 - 1	1 - 2	2 - 2.7	GHz	
Impedance	50			Ω	
Coupling Nominal Value	41.0	40.0	39.0	dB	
Coupling Accuracy (±) deviation from nominal	2.0	2.0	2.0	dB, typ.	
Coupling Flatness (±)	1.5	1.0	1.5	dB, typ.	
Directivity	25	25	25	dB, min.	
Mainline Loss ¹	+25 °C +85 °C	0.10 0.15	0.15 0.20	0.18 0.23	dB, max.
Return Loss (Input, Output)	25	25	24	dB, min.	
Return Loss (Coupled)	20	20	20	dB, min.	
Forward or Reverse Power, at +25 °C, Sea Level (CW) ²	500	375	300	W, max.	
Forward or Reverse Power, at +85 °C, Sea Level (CW) ²	400	300	240	W, max.	
Termination Power (Coupled Port max power)	1			W, max.	
DC Current (Input-Output)	5			A max.	

Mechanical and Environmental Specifications

Connector Interface	N Male or Female, SMA Female	RoHS Status ⁴	RoHS3 Compliant
Operating Temperature ³	-55 to +85 °C	REACH Status ⁴	REACH Unaffected
Storage Temperature	-55 to +100 °C	Enclosure Material	Aluminum
Nominal Weight	207 g (single) 211 g (dual)	Connectors Material	N: Brass, Tri-Alloy Plated SMA: Brass, Gold Plated
Operating Humidity	10-90% (non-condensing)	Contacts Material	Beryllium Copper, Gold Plated
Operating Environment	Indoor Use Only	Insulators Material	Virgin PTFE
HTSUS Code	8548.00.0000	Finish	Green Paint
ECCN	EAR99		

1. Mainline loss includes coupling loss.
2. All output ports must be terminated in a 50-ohm load with 1.2:1 max VSWR. Ratings assume adequate thermal conduction to mounting surface.
3. Electrical specifications are tested at +25 °C.
4. To the best of our knowledge at the time of publication.

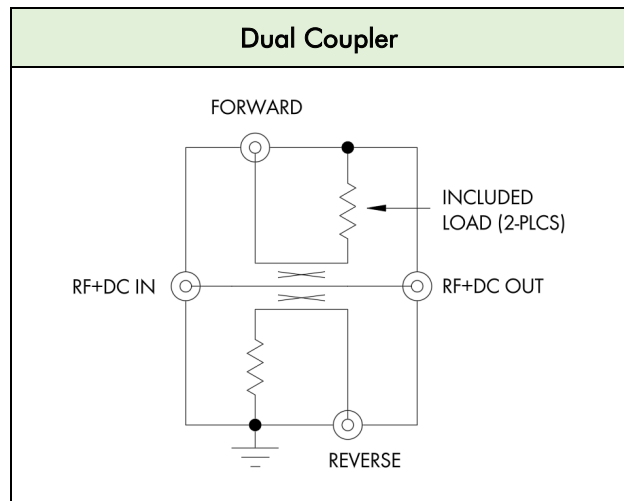
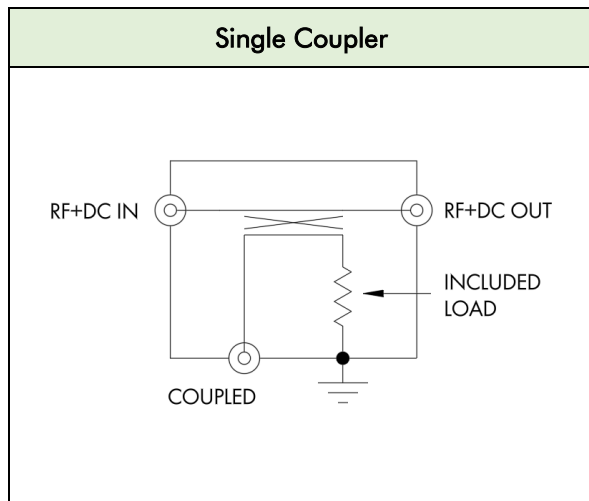
Explanation of Part Numbers

WMADC-	0.7-2.7-	40DB-	1-	NF
Product Series	Frequency (GHz)	Nominal dB Value	Configuration: 1 = Single Coupler 2 = Dual Coupler	Input Connector: NF = N Female NM = N Male

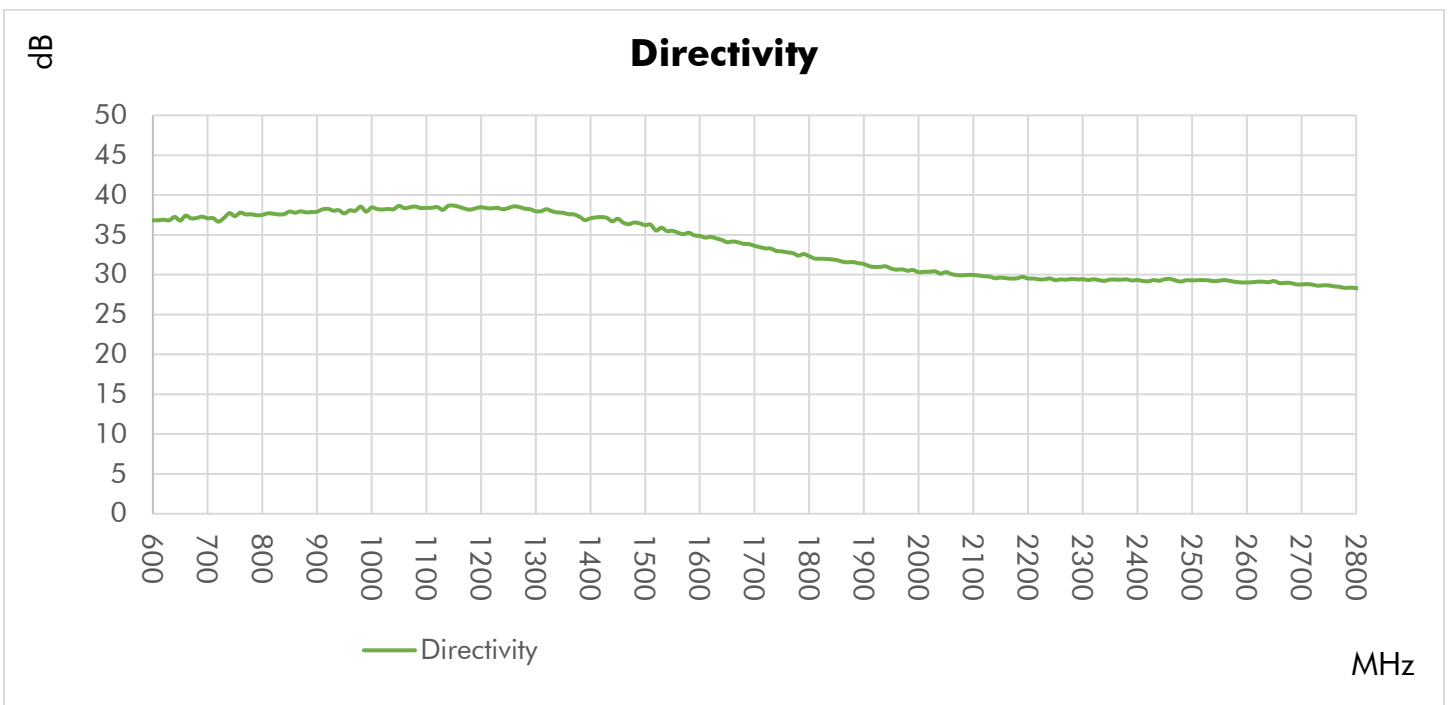
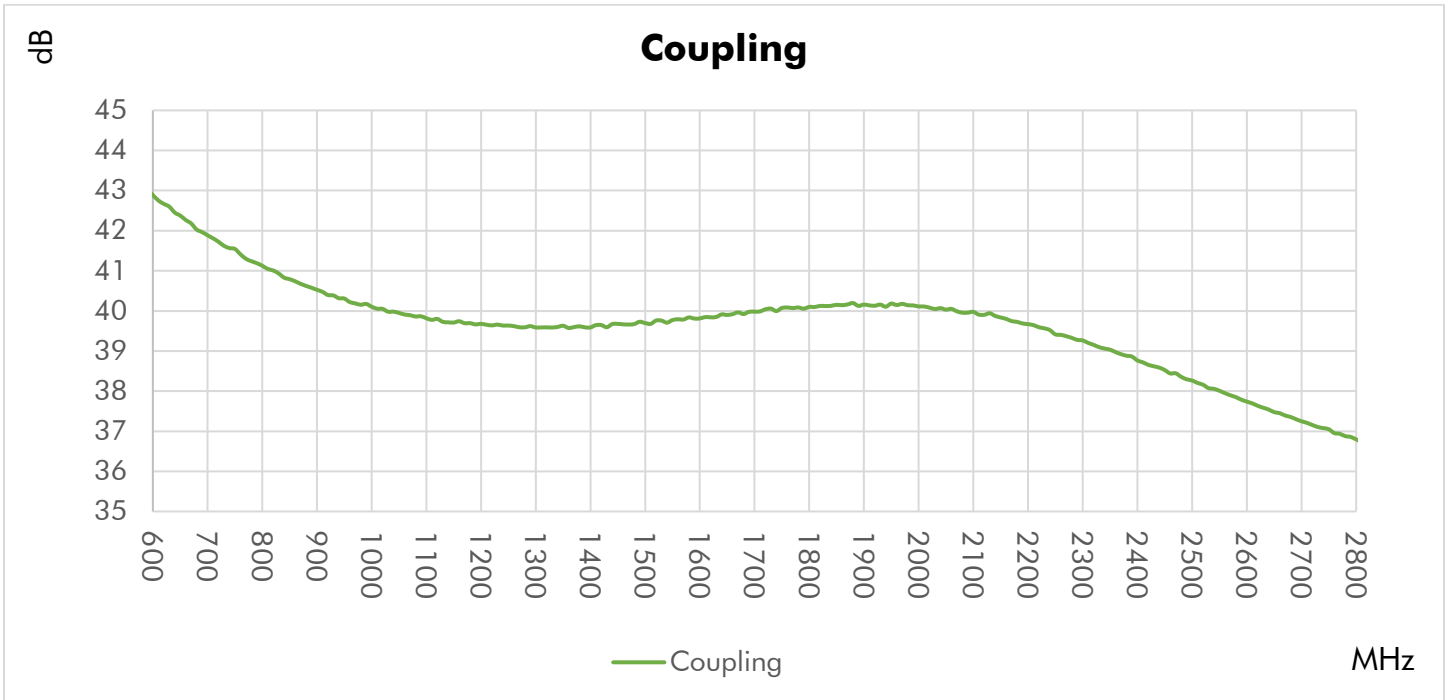
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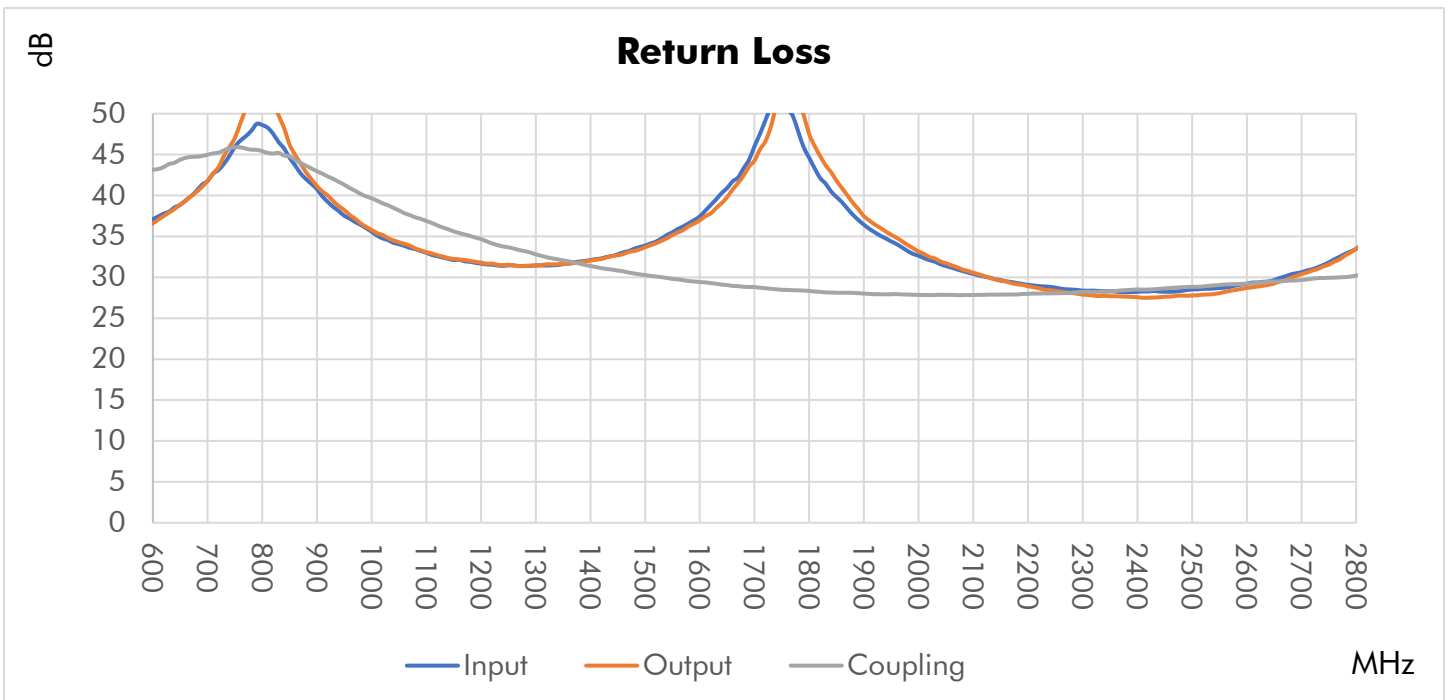
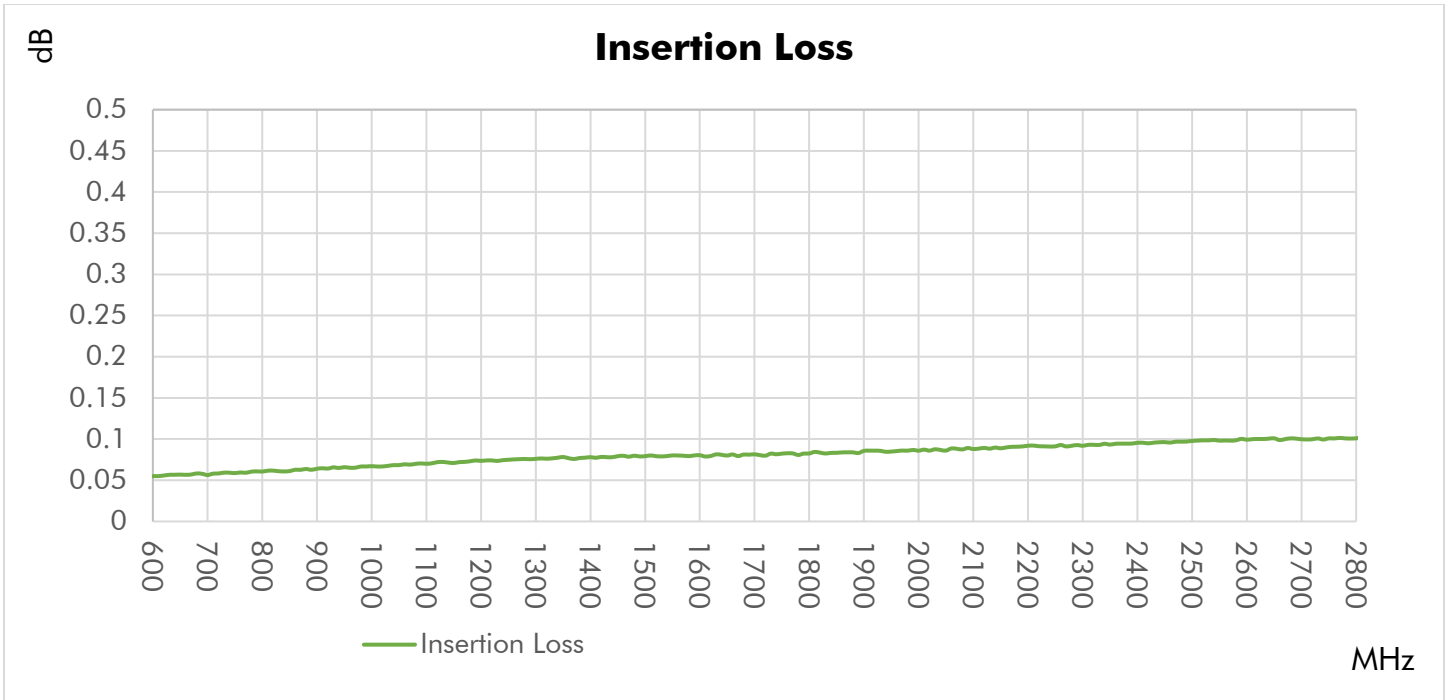
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WMADC-0.7-2.7-40DB-1-NM	690-2700MHz, 40dB, Single Coupler,	N-Male Input,	N-Female Output, SMA-F Coupled
WMADC-0.7-2.7-40DB-2-NF	690-2700MHz, 40dB, Dual Coupler,	N-Female Input,	N-Female Output, SMA-F Coupled
WMADC-0.7-2.7-40DB-2-NM	690-2700MHz, 40dB, Dual Coupler,	N-Male Input,	N-Female Output, SMA-F Coupled

Functional Schematic

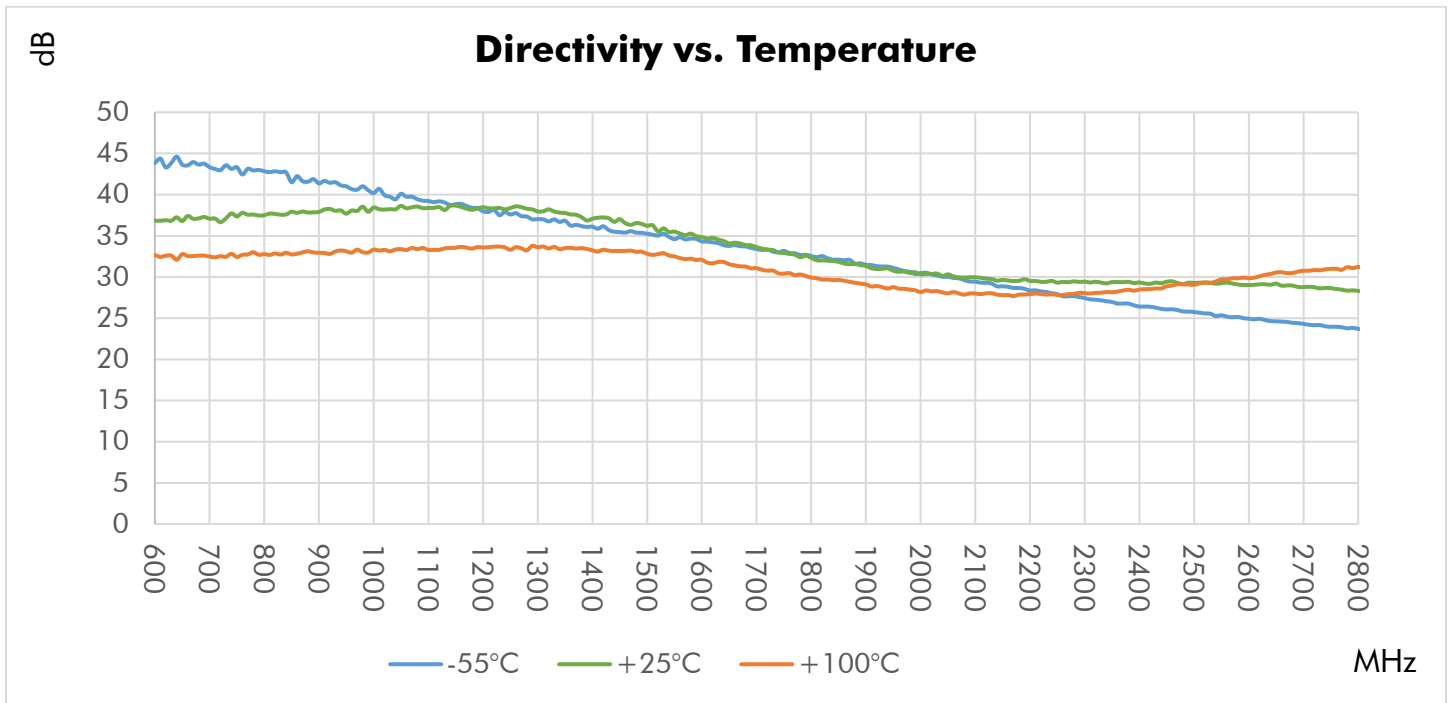
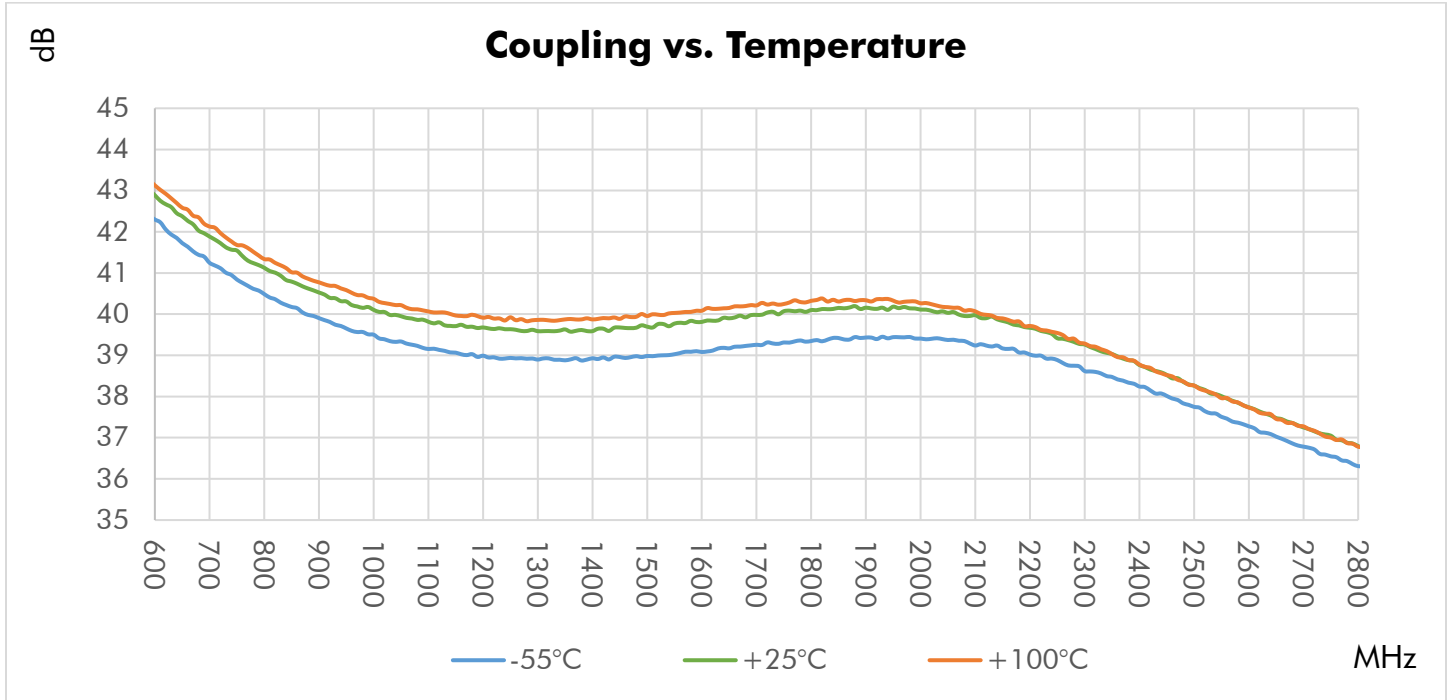


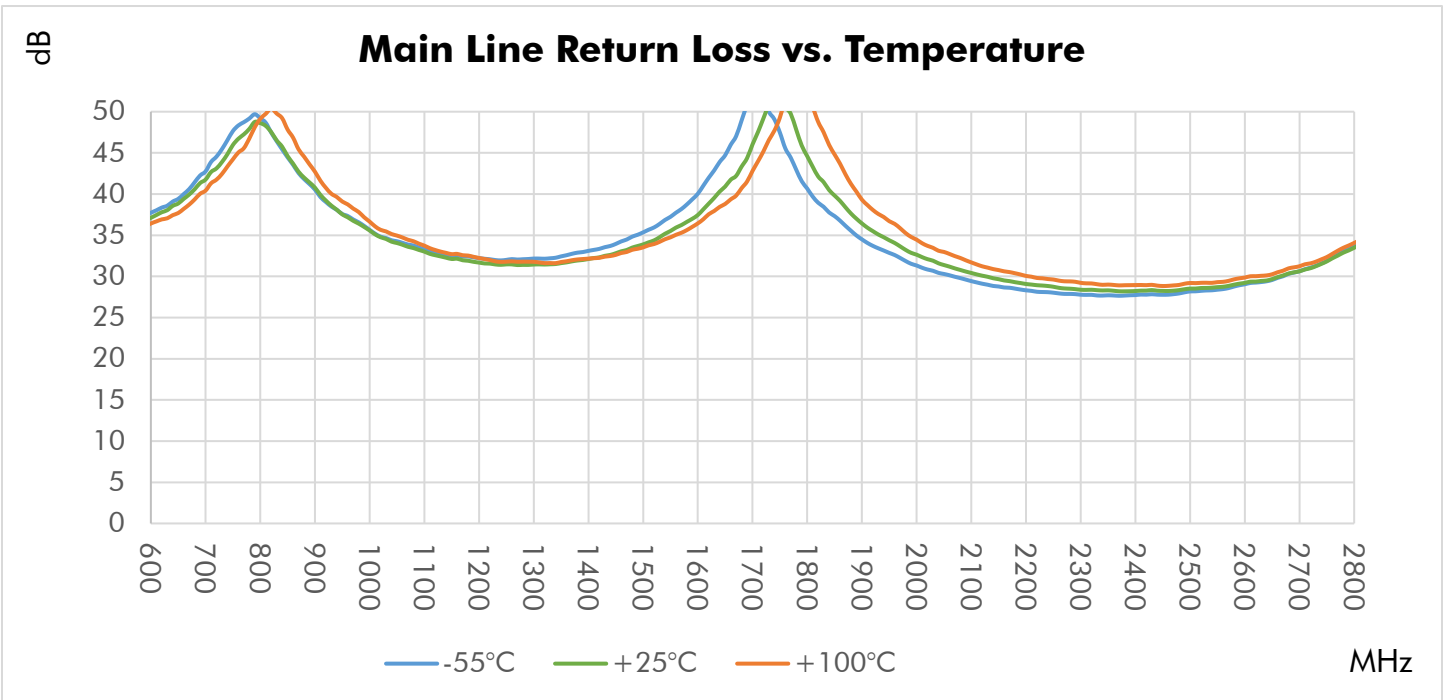
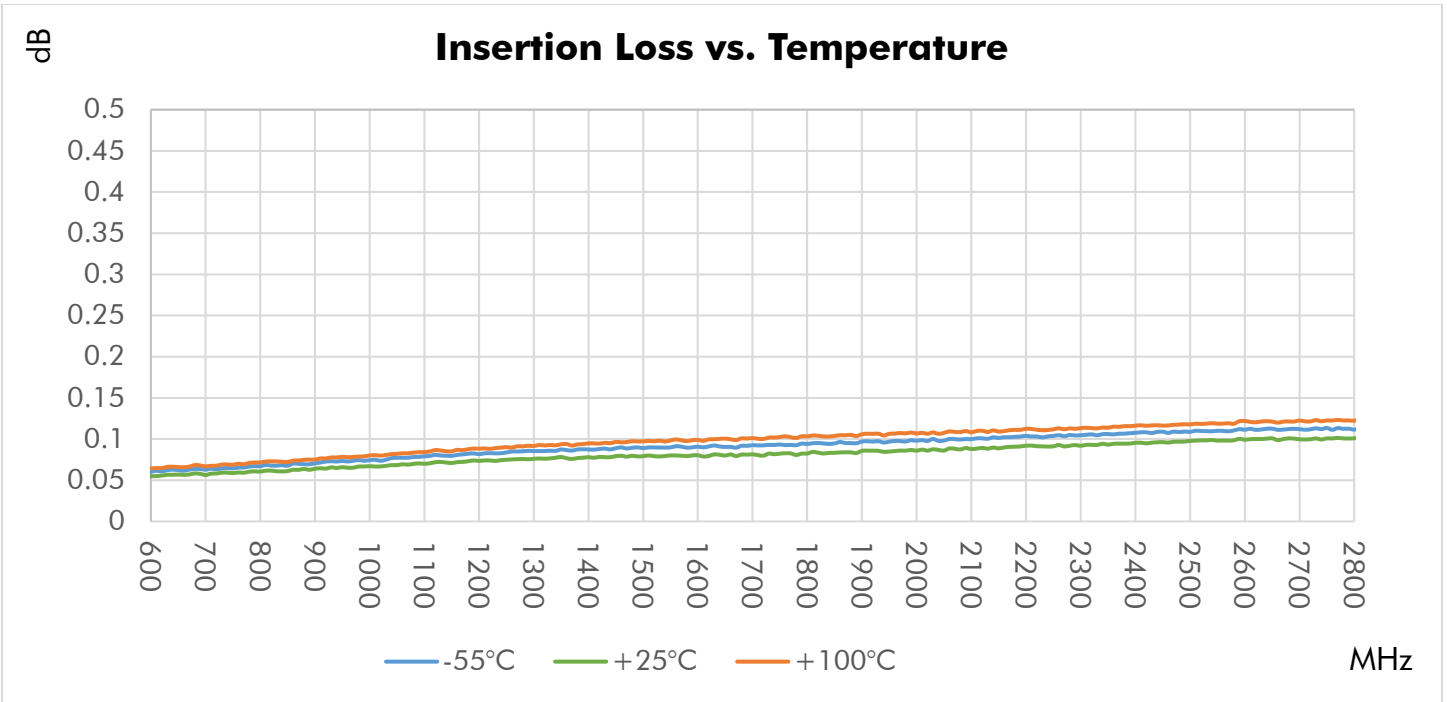
Typical Performance at +25 °C



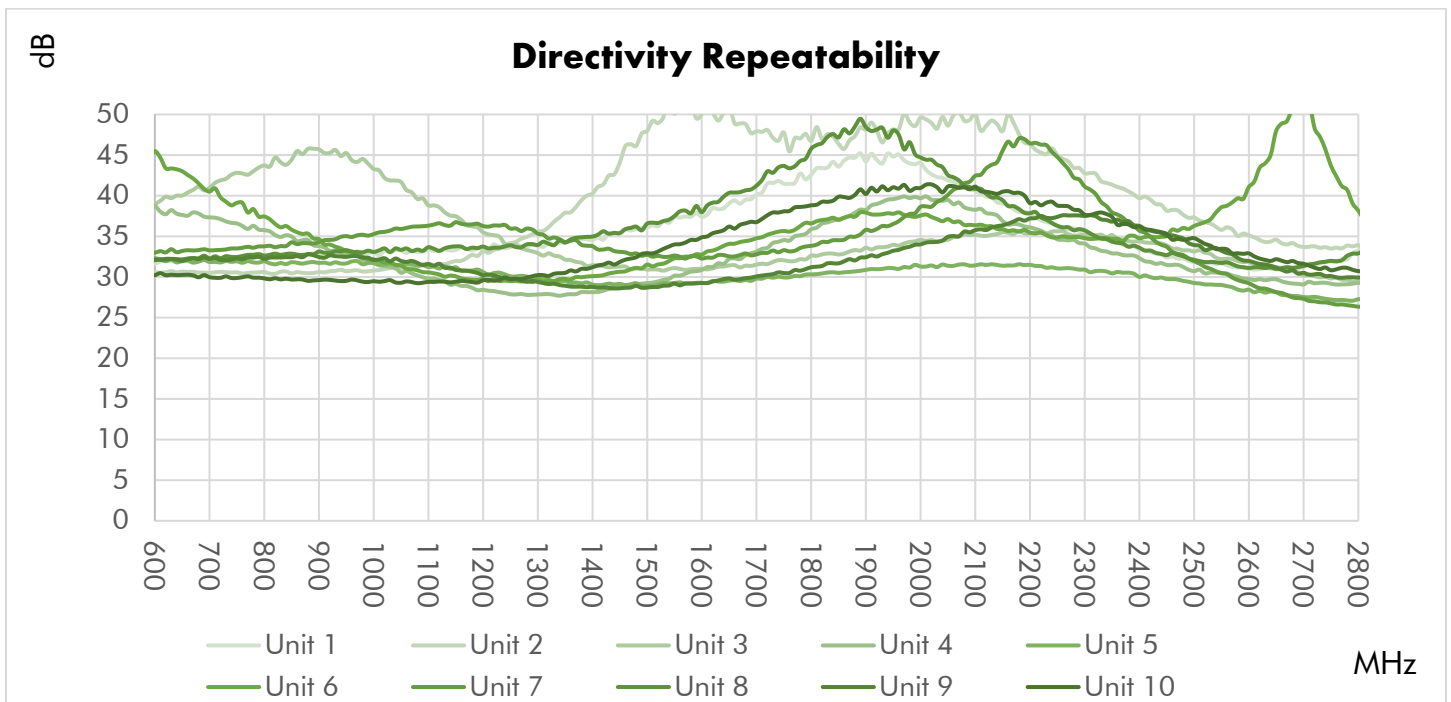
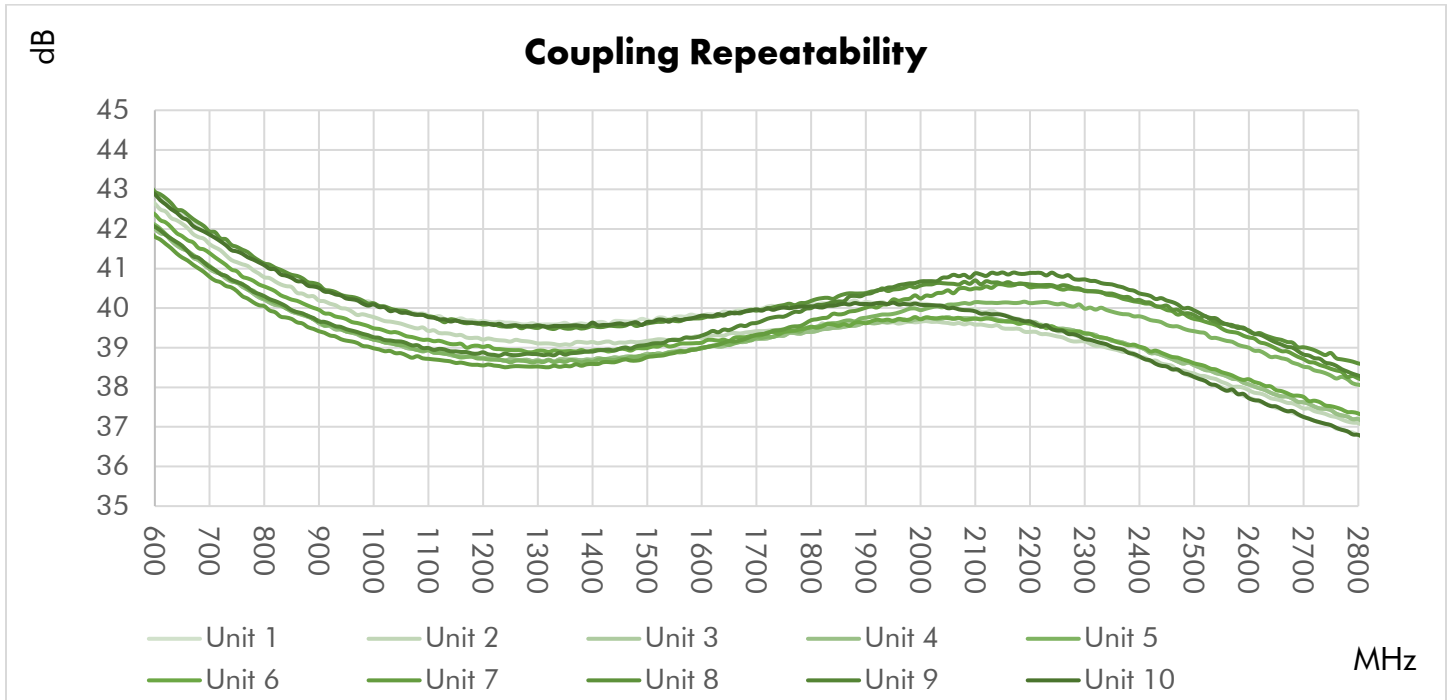


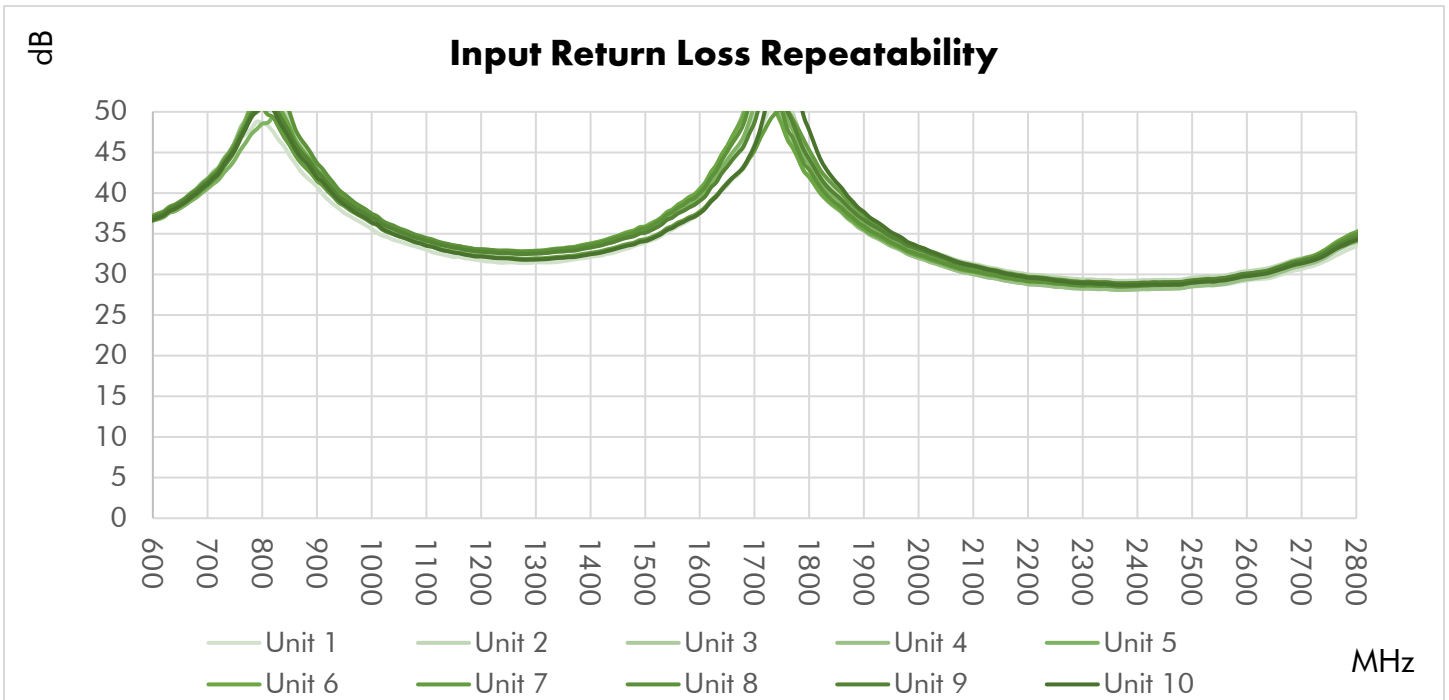
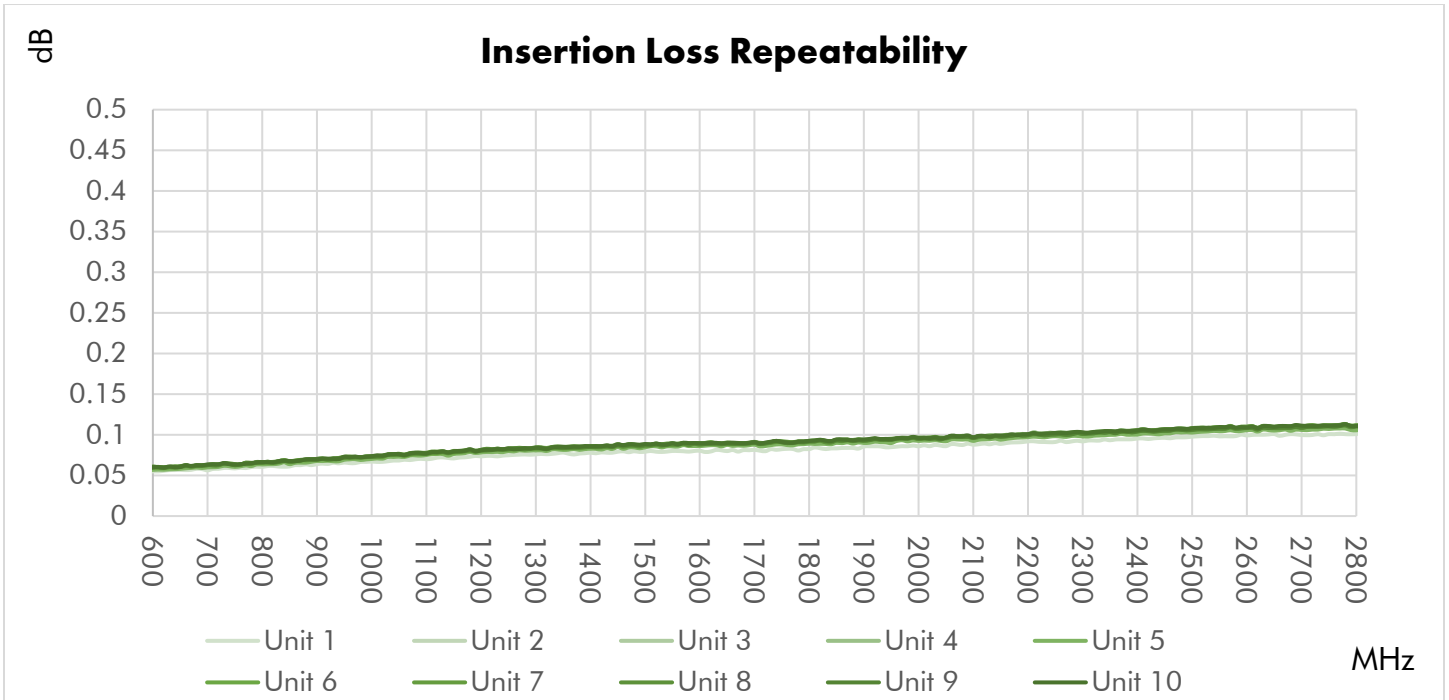
Typical Performance Over Temperature





Repeatability in Production

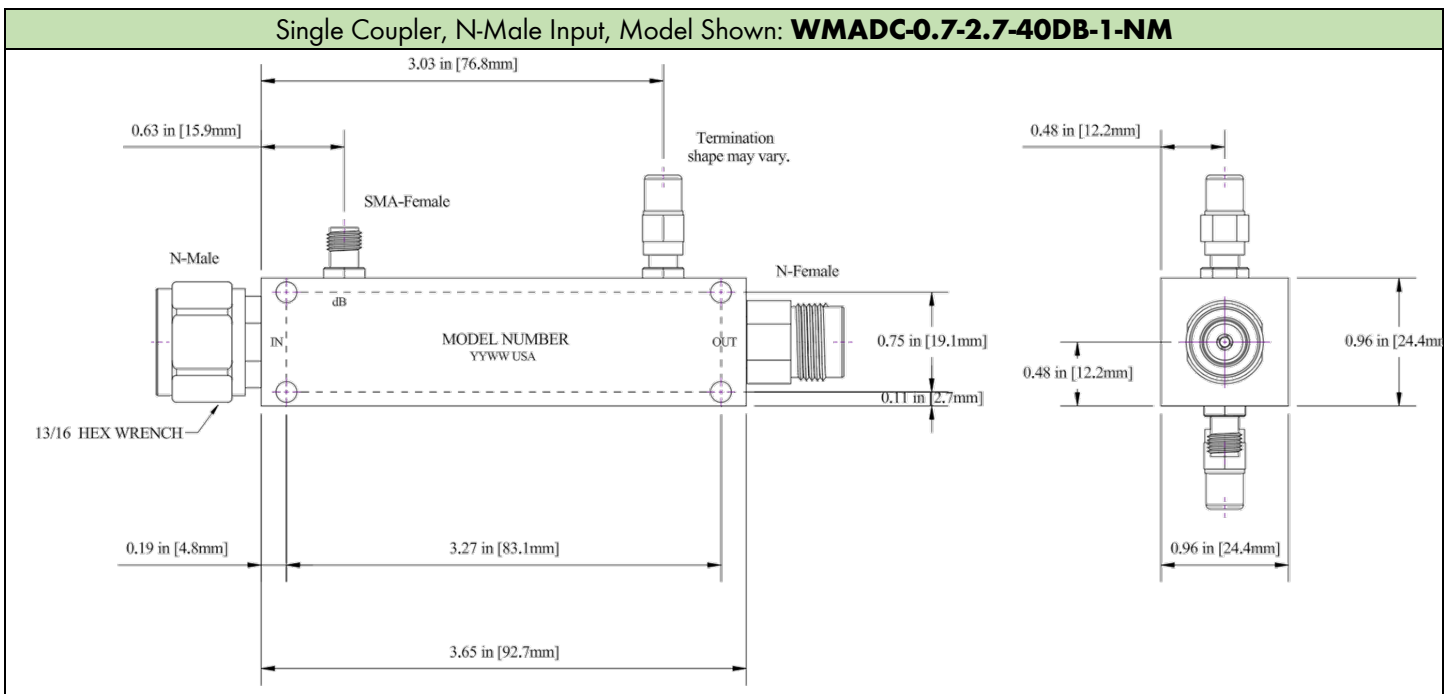
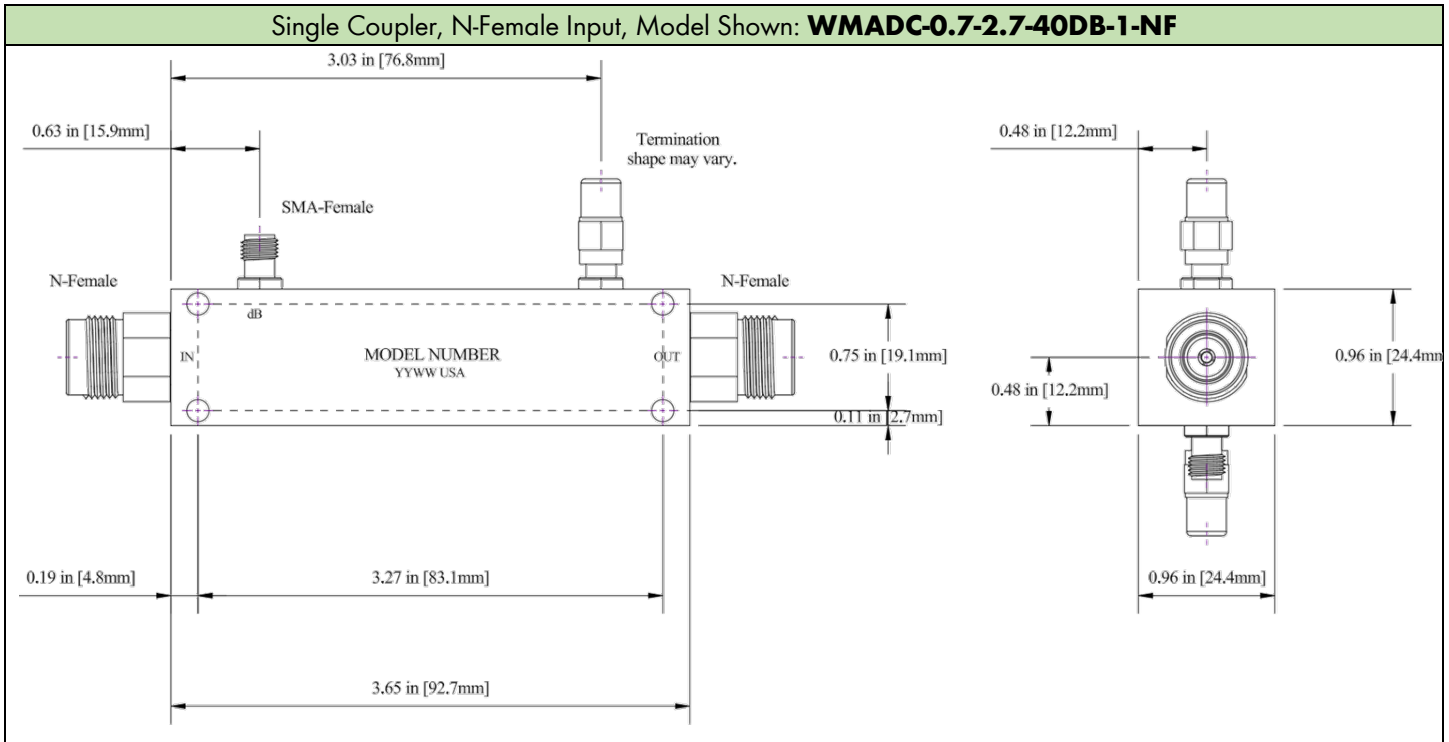




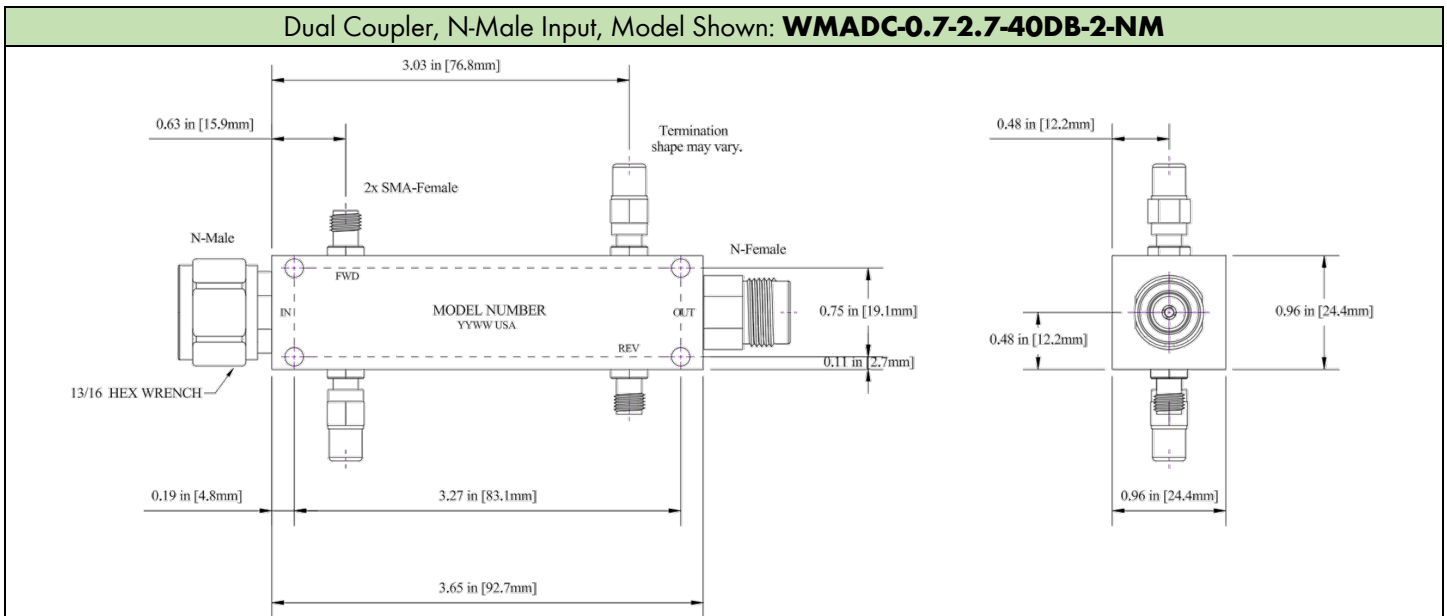
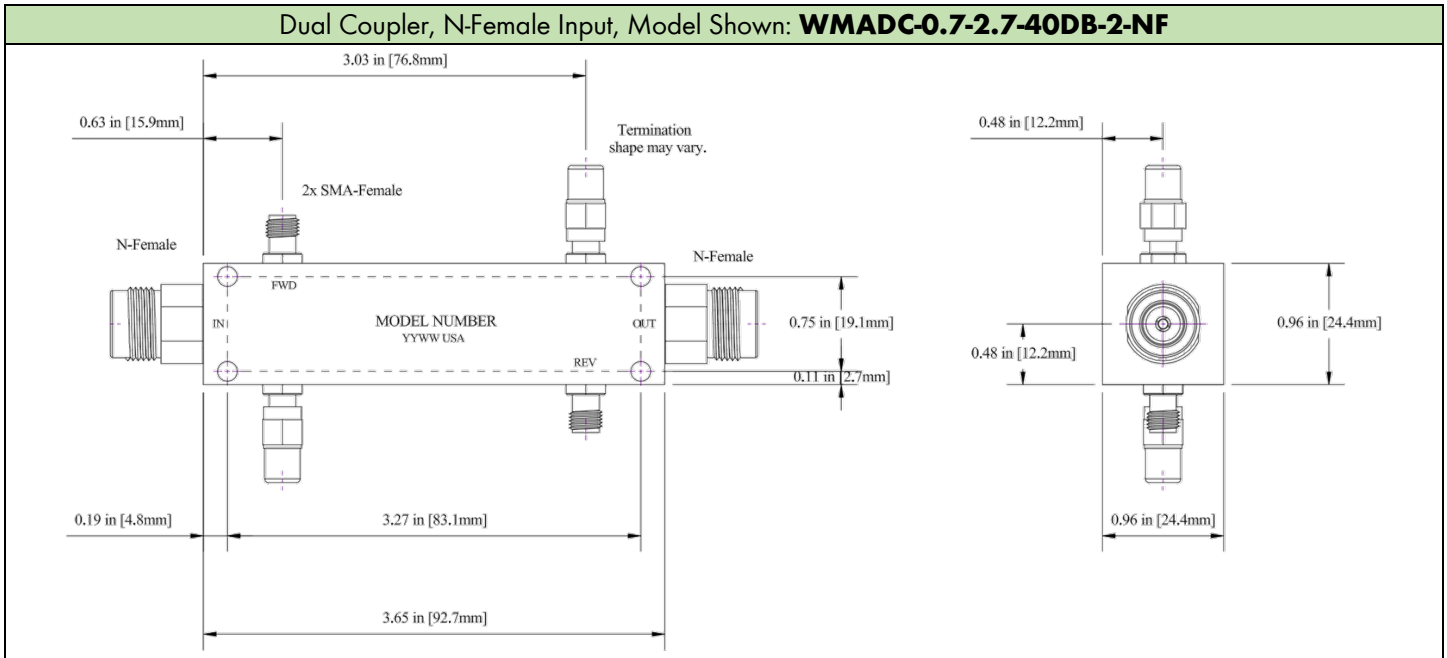
Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Return Loss (dB)			Mainline Loss (dB)	Coupling (dB)	Directivity (dB)
	In	Out	Cpl.	In-Out	In-Cpl.	
100	41.43	41.27	44.24	0.03	57.24	34.39
200	36.82	38.75	42.15	0.01	51.35	35.44
300	34.18	34.52	41.75	0.04	47.98	35.27
400	34.42	34.03	42.53	0.05	45.68	36.07
500	35.02	34.69	43.92	0.06	43.97	35.65
600	36.91	36.81	46.02	0.06	42.66	35.28
700	41.04	41.32	48.81	0.06	41.65	35.25
800	49.53	52.33	52.07	0.07	40.89	35.25
900	43.35	43.64	53.95	0.07	40.26	35.70
1000	37.75	37.67	54.72	0.07	39.79	35.75
1100	34.90	34.97	56.21	0.08	39.50	35.61
1200	33.67	33.74	60.62	0.08	39.31	36.14
1300	33.59	33.65	56.01	0.08	39.26	36.04
1400	34.62	34.58	49.06	0.09	39.29	35.72
1500	36.95	36.90	44.02	0.09	39.36	35.55
1600	42.01	42.12	40.32	0.09	39.52	34.78
1700	54.53	60.94	37.54	0.09	39.73	34.24
1800	40.97	41.67	35.24	0.09	39.97	33.25
1900	35.34	35.92	33.45	0.09	40.11	32.80
2000	32.29	32.72	31.93	0.10	40.27	31.64
2100	30.50	30.75	30.63	0.10	40.30	31.21
2200	29.45	29.52	29.53	0.10	40.18	30.84
2300	29.06	28.87	28.62	0.10	39.95	31.08
2400	29.13	28.76	27.87	0.10	39.66	31.12
2500	29.71	29.16	27.23	0.11	39.23	31.75
2600	30.80	30.34	26.65	0.11	38.79	32.46
2700	32.72	32.41	26.20	0.11	38.36	33.49
2800	36.35	36.23	25.86	0.11	37.90	34.58
2900	46.33	46.77	25.63	0.11	37.49	35.56
3000	42.04	41.68	25.56	0.12	37.15	36.27

Outline Drawings



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