

Fixed Attenuator

BW-20N100W+

50Ω 100 W 20 dB DC to 6 GHz N-Male to N-Female

THE BIG DEAL

- DC to 6 GHz
- · High Power Handling, 100 W
- Excellent VSWR, 1.25:1 Typ.
- N-Male and N-Female Connectors

APPLICATIONS

- Impedance Matching
- Instrumentation
- Test Setups



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Model No.	BW-20N100W+		
Case Style	GH986		
Connectors	N-Male to N-Female		

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

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits' BW-20N100W+ is a 20 dB coaxial precision fixed attenuator providing high power handling of up to 100 W over the DC to 6 GHz frequency range. This model supports many of high-power applications requiring precise attenuation over a broad frequency range including high-power measurement, matching, instrumentation, and more. It provides good VSWR (1.25 typ.), outstanding attenuation flatness (±0.65 dB) and excellent thermal stability from -55 to +100°C. It features rugged construction with N-male to N-female connectors and heat dissipation fins for efficient cooling.

KEY FEATURES

Feature	Advantages	
Wideband Operation, DC to 6 GHz	Wide frequency range makes the BW-20N100W+ suitable for a wide variety of applications.	
High Power Handling to 100 W	Supports high-power test lab and system applications including high-power measurement, matching, instrumentation, and more.	
Good VSWR, 1.25:1 Typ.	Well-matched for 50Ω systems; reduces effects of phase variation.	
Good Flatness, ±0.65 dB	Provides consistent attenuation performance across the entire frequency band.	
Rugged Construction	Excellent durability for a long lifetime of use.	
Excellent Thermal Stability, -55 to +100°C	Designed with heat dissipation fins for efficient cooling, the BW-20N100W+ provides reliable performance without the need for external cooling equipment.	
Compact Size (3.46 x 3.46 x 6.36")	Outstanding performance capability and power handling with minimal space requirements.	

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT +25°C

Parameter	Condition (GHz)	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		DC		6	GHz
Attenuation	DC - 6	18.5	20	21.5	dB
VSWR	DC - 2.5		1.15	1.35	:1
	2.5 - 6		1.30	1.45	
Input Power (Male)¹	DC - 6			100	W
Input Power (Female)	DC - 6			20	W

^{1.} Derate linearly to 20 W at +100°C.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +125°C
Peak Power ²	1K Watt

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

 $^{2.\,5\,\}mu$ second pulse 0.05% duty cycle.

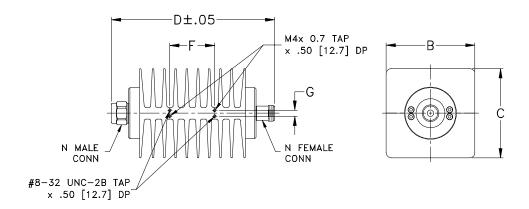


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OUTLINE DRAWING



OUTLINE DIMENSIONS $\binom{lnch}{mm}$

В С D Ε F G wt. .23 3.46 3.46 6.36 -- 1.75 grams 87.88 87.88 161.54 44.45 5.84 1100.0

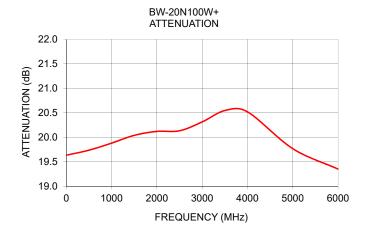


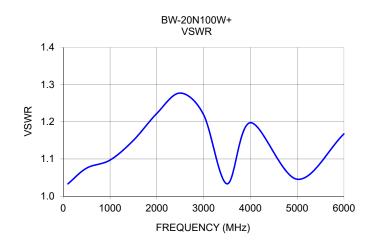
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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA AND CHARTS

Frequency (MHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
0.3	19.57	1.02
500.0	19.74	1.08
1000.0	19.88	1.10
1500.0	20.04	1.15
2000.0	20.12	1.22
2500.0	20.13	1.28
3000.0	20.31	1.22
3500.0	20.55	1.03
4000.0	20.52	1.20
5000.0	19.77	1.05
6000.0	19.35	1.17





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