

Coaxial, High Directivity

Directional Coupler

ZHDC-10-63-NS+

50Ω 10 dB Coupling 50 to 6000 MHz

The Big Deal

- High directivity, 33 dB
- Wideband, 50 to 6000 MHz
- Excellent coupling flatness, ±0.3 dB
- N-Type to SMA connectors



CASE STYLE: FM1918-1

Product Overview

Mini-Circuits' ZHDC-10-63-NS+ high-directivity directional coupler provides outstanding directivity and excellent coupling flatness from 50 to 6000 MHz, making it a low cost solutions for S-parameter measurements, intermodulation measurements as well as signal monitoring in other test and system applications. This model comes housed in an aluminum alloy case (2.5 x 1.4 x 0.88") with N-Type (input) to SMA (coupled and output) connectors.

Feature	Advantages
High directivity, 33 dB	High directivity allows accurate signal sampling through the coupled port with minimal measurement error.
Wideband, 50 to 6000 MHz	One device supports a broad range of system and test lab applications.
Flat coupling, ±0.3 dB	Provides consistent coupling performance across frequency.
Good VSWR. 1.2:1 typ.	Well-matched for 50Ω systems.
N-Type to SMA connectors	Allows connection between different connector types without the need for additional adapters.
Small size, 2.5 x 1.4 x 0.88"	Saves space in crowded spaces and dense system layouts.

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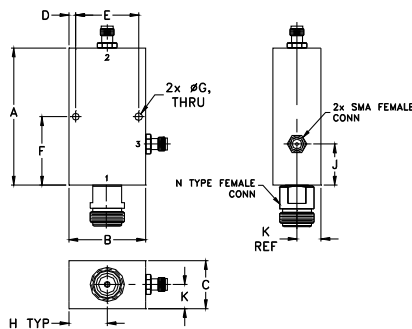
Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-40°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C

Coaxial Connections

INPUT	1
OUTPUT	2
COUPLED	3

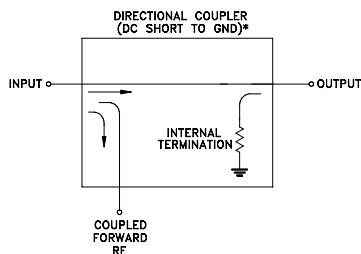
Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F
2.50	1.40	0.88	0.13	1.150	1.25
63.50	35.56	22.35	3.30	29.21	31.75
G	H	J	K		wt
0.140	0.70	0.75	0.44		grams
3.56	17.78	19.05	11.18		100.0

Electrical Schematic



* ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC IS FOR DIRECTIONAL COUPLER WITH INTERNAL TRANSFORMER(S) THAT ROUTES DC FROM RF PORTS TO GROUND.

Features

- wideband, 50 to 6000 MHz
- high directivity, 33 dB typ.
- flat coupling, ± 0.3 dB typ.
- good VSWR, 1.20:1 typ.

Applications

- military defense
- test and measurement

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Connectors	Model
SMA / N-TYPE	ZHDC-10-63-NS+

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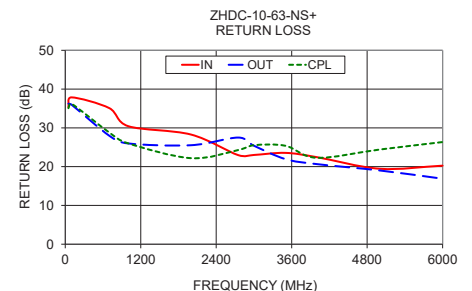
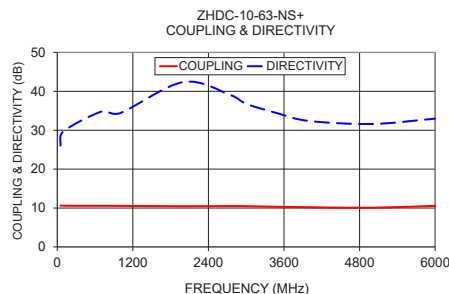
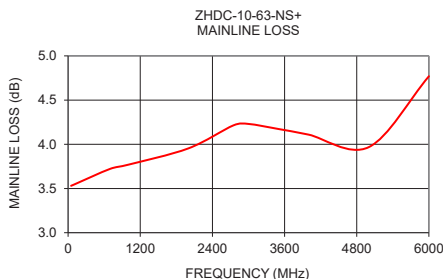
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Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter	Condition (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		50	—	6000	MHz
Mainline Loss	50 - 6000	—	4.0	5.3	dB
Coupling	50 - 6000	9.6	10.2	11.4	dB
Coupling Flatness($\pm$)	50 - 6000	—	0.3	0.7	dB
Directivity	50	24	26	—	dB
	700	30	34	—	
	2750	25	32	—	
	6000	24	32	—	
Return Loss (Input)	50 - 6000	—	18	—	dB
Return Loss (Output)	50 - 6000	—	17	—	dB
Return Loss (Coupling)	50 - 6000	—	19	—	dB
Input Power	50 - 6000	—	—	1.0	W

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB) In-Out	Coupling (dB) In-Cpl	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB) In	Return Loss (dB) Out	Cpl
50	3.53	10.65	26.06	35.33	36.23	35.07
100	3.55	10.60	29.72	37.86	35.97	36.21
700	3.72	10.56	34.79	35.09	27.97	28.79
1000	3.77	10.55	34.41	30.44	25.98	26.00
2000	3.95	10.46	42.39	28.27	25.52	22.19
2750	4.21	10.50	39.04	22.97	27.50	24.28
3000	4.23	10.47	36.78	23.01	25.39	25.53
3500	4.17	10.32	34.34	23.55	21.95	25.38
4000	4.11	10.20	32.38	22.45	20.66	22.28
5000	3.97	10.08	31.61	19.46	19.02	24.41
6000	4.77	10.56	32.98	20.25	16.89	26.34



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FREQUENCY (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS (dB)	COUPLING (dB)	DIRECTIVITY (dB)	RETURN LOSS		
				(dB)		
				IN	OUT	CPL
20	3.49	10.61	20.66	31.11	31.32	30.44
30	3.49	10.65	23.80	34.08	34.34	33.11
40	3.49	10.66	25.37	35.65	35.64	34.32
50	3.53	10.65	26.06	35.33	36.23	35.07
60	3.50	10.64	27.18	36.35	36.39	35.44
70	3.51	10.63	27.87	37.59	36.37	35.72
80	3.52	10.62	28.45	37.78	36.26	35.90
90	3.54	10.61	29.12	37.83	36.09	36.08
100	3.55	10.60	29.72	37.86	35.97	36.21
300	3.64	10.55	35.47	37.46	32.17	34.12
500	3.69	10.56	35.59	38.53	29.75	31.20
700	3.72	10.56	34.79	35.09	27.97	28.79
900	3.75	10.56	34.41	31.68	26.56	26.90
1000	3.77	10.55	34.41	30.44	25.98	26.00
1250	3.82	10.54	35.04	29.10	25.08	24.15
1500	3.87	10.53	36.51	30.02	24.49	23.11
1750	3.92	10.50	38.94	30.64	24.52	22.56
2000	3.95	10.46	42.39	28.27	25.52	22.19
2250	4.02	10.45	45.53	25.49	27.16	22.48
2500	4.13	10.48	42.80	23.83	28.55	23.08
2750	4.21	10.50	39.04	22.97	27.50	24.28
3000	4.23	10.47	36.78	23.01	25.39	25.53
3500	4.17	10.32	34.34	23.55	21.95	25.38
4000	4.11	10.20	32.38	22.45	20.66	22.28
4250	4.03	10.12	31.58	21.19	20.08	21.48
4500	3.94	10.03	31.15	20.21	19.37	21.59
4750	3.90	10.00	31.10	19.58	18.75	22.54
5000	3.97	10.08	31.61	19.46	19.02	24.41
5250	4.19	10.28	32.88	20.37	20.55	26.80
5500	4.46	10.50	34.84	21.34	21.68	27.82
5750	4.69	10.62	35.56	21.24	19.67	27.01
6000	4.77	10.56	32.98	20.25	16.89	26.34
6250	4.73	10.35	30.00	19.22	15.47	26.13
6500	4.64	10.13	27.96	18.47	15.26	26.30
6750	4.59	9.95	26.79	17.61	16.08	25.92
7000	4.49	9.75	26.49	16.18	17.57	25.37
7250	4.35	9.53	27.04	14.53	18.49	25.49
7500	4.31	9.43	28.50	13.31	17.53	24.75
8000	4.73	10.09	36.12	11.49	13.23	15.78



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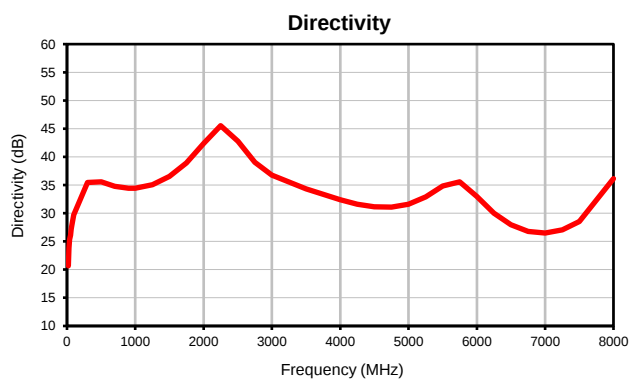
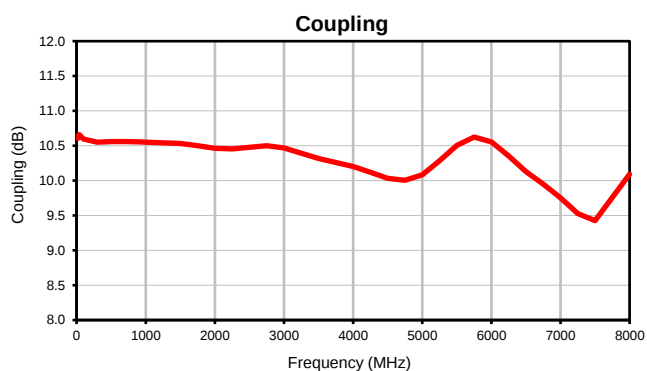
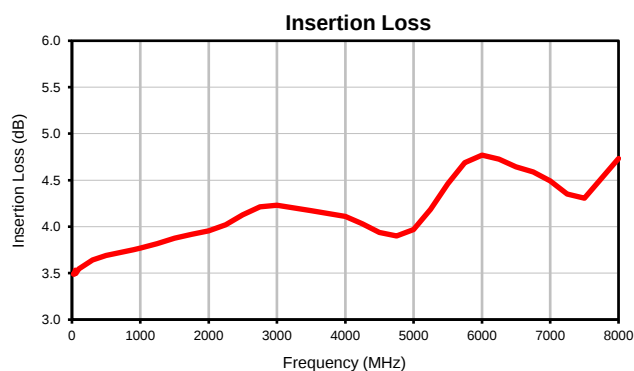
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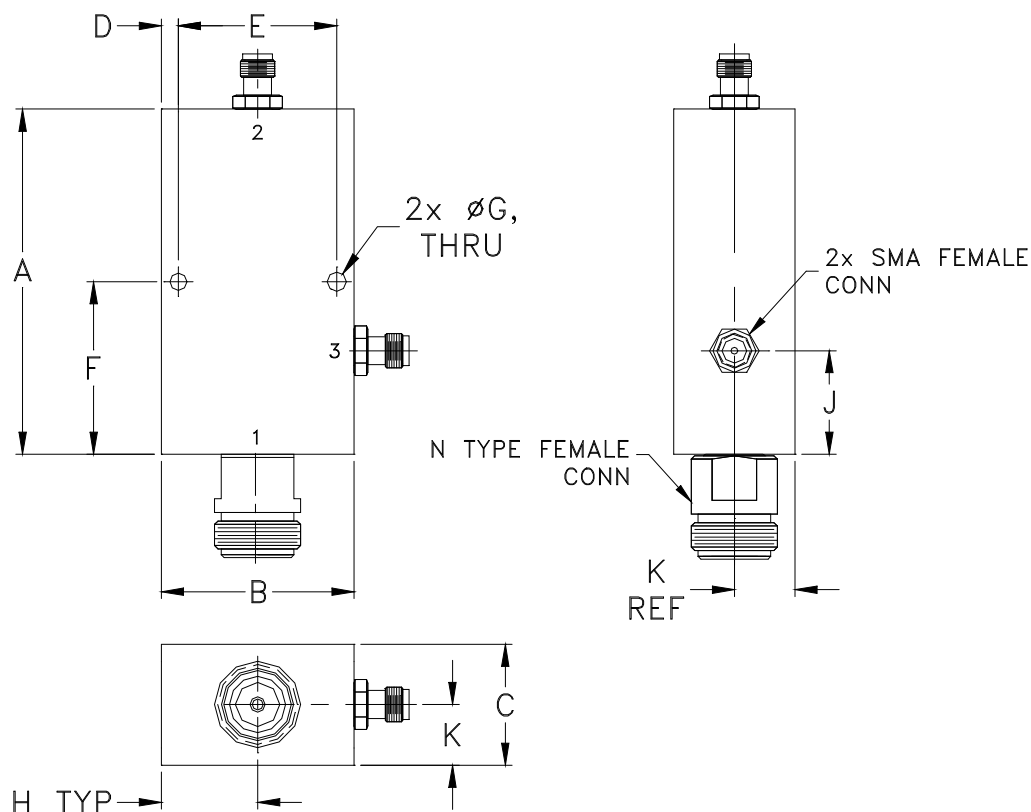
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Typical Performance Curves



Outline Dimensions

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CASE #.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	WT, GRAM
FM1918-1	2.50 (63.50)	1.40 (35.56)	.88 (22.35)	.13 (3.30)	1.150 (29.21)	1.25 (31.75)	.125 (3.175)	.70 (17.78)	.75 (19.05)	.44 (11.18)	100

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2Pl. $\pm .03$; 3Pl. $\pm .015$

Notes:

- Case material: Aluminum alloy.
- Case finish:
For RoHS Case Styles: Clear chemical conversion coating, non-chrome or trivalent chrome based.



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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-40° to 85°C	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Barometric Pressure	100,000 Feet	MIL-STD-202, Method 105, Condition D
Humidity	90% RH, 65°C Units may require bake-out after humidity to restore full performance.	MIL-STD-202, Method 103
Thermal Shock	-65° to 125°C, 5 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition B
Vibration (High Frequency)	20g peak, 10-2000 Hz, 12 times in each of three perpendicular directions (total 36)	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D
Mechanical Shock	100g, 6ms sawtooth, 3 shocks each direction 3 axes (total 18)	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition I