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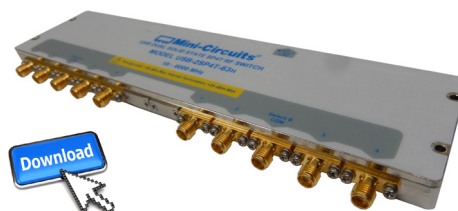
# USB RF SP4T Switch Matrix

## USB-2SP4T-63H

50Ω 10 to 6000 MHz

### The Big Deal

- Very high isolation, 85 dB typ
- Dual SP4T switches with single USB interface
- High power handling, +30 dBm max
- High speed switch transition, 5 μs typ



Software Package

Case Style: QM2605

Model No.	Description	Qty.
USB-2SP4T-63H	Switch Matrix	1

#### Included Accessories

MUSB-CBL-3+	2.6 ft USB cable	1
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### Typical Applications

- Cellular handset / BTS testing
- High volume production testing / ATE
- Design verification testing
- RF signal routing / switch matrices

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### Product Overview

Mini-Circuits' USB-2SP4T-63H is a low cost, USB controlled, solid state matrix, containing two independent SP4T RF switches. Each fast switching, absorptive switch operates from 10 MHz to 6000 MHz with 5 μs typical switch transition speed. High linearity (+50 dBm typ IP3), and high isolation (85 dB typical) allow the model to be used for a wide variety of RF applications.

Full software support is provided for USB control, including our user-friendly GUI application for Windows and a full API with programming instructions for Windows and Linux environments (both 32-bit and 64-bit systems). The latest version of the full software package can be downloaded from <https://www.minicircuits.com/softwaredownload/solidstate.html> at any time.

The USB-2SP4T-63H is housed in a compact, low profile, rugged metal case (8.4" x 2.00" x 0.475") with 10 SMA (F) connectors (COM, 1 to 4 for each switch), a USB Mini-B port for power and control.

### Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Two RF SP4T absorptive switches	Wideband (10 to 6000 MHz) with low insertion loss (2.5 dB typ.), high isolation (85 dB typ), and high power rating (+30 dBm through path).
High Linearity (IP3 50 dBm typ.)	Results in little or negligible inter-modulation generation, meeting requirements for digital communications signals
Internal DC Blocking capacitors	No need for external DC blocking circuitry
Full software support included	Mini-Circuits' full software package, programming and user manual are available for download from <a href="https://www.minicircuits.com/softwaredownload/solidstate.html">https://www.minicircuits.com/softwaredownload/solidstate.html</a> at no extra cost.

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## Electrical Specifications @ 0 to +50°C

Parameter	Port	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Operating Frequency			10		6000	MHz
Insertion Loss	COM to any active port	10 to 700 MHz	-	2.1	3.5	dB
		700 to 2500 MHz	-	2.5	4.0	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	-	2.9	4.3	
		5000 to 6000 MHz	-	3.3	4.7	
Isolation	Between ports 1 to 4 of a given switch	10 to 700 MHz	78	105	-	dB
		700 to 2500 MHz	74	105	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	63	90	-	
		5000 to 6000 MHz	58	80	-	
	COM to any terminated port of a given switch	10 to 700 MHz	77	105	-	
		700 to 2500 MHz	73	100	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	60	79	-	
	COM to port 1, 2, or 4 of a given switch (Disconnected state) <sup>1</sup>	5000 to 6000 MHz	58	70	-	
		10 to 700 MHz	77	105	-	
		700 to 2500 MHz	73	100	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	60	79	-	
	COM to port 3 of a given switch (Disconnected state) <sup>1</sup>	5000 to 6000 MHz	58	70	-	
		10 to 700 MHz	55	70	-	
		700 to 2500 MHz	37	48	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	30	39	-	
	Crosstalk between switches	5000 to 6000 MHz	28	36	-	
10 to 6000 MHz		85	100	-		
VSWR	COM port at all active states	10 to 700 MHz	-	1.25	-	:1
		700 to 2500 MHz	-	1.25	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	-	1.45	-	
		5000 to 6000 MHz	-	1.40	-	
	Any port connected to COM	10 to 700 MHz	-	1.25	-	
		700 to 2500 MHz	-	1.25	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	-	1.25	-	
		5000 to 6000 MHz	-	1.30	-	
	Any terminated port	10 to 700 MHz	-	1.20	-	
		700 to 2500 MHz	-	1.20	-	
		2500 to 5000 MHz	-	1.25	-	
		5000 to 6000 MHz	-	1.40	-	
Power Input @ 1 dB Compression	COM to any active port	100 to 6000 MHz	-	33	-	dBm
IP3 <sup>2</sup>	COM to any active port	100 to 6000 MHz	-	50	-	dBm
Transition Time <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-	5	8	µs
Minimum dwell time <sup>4</sup>	High Speed Mode	-	-	15	-	µs
Switching Time (USB) <sup>5</sup>	-	-	-	2	-	ms
Rated voltage	USB port	-	4.75	5	5.25	V
Rated Current		-	-	55	85	mA
Operating RF Input Power	Any active port to COM port	Hot Switching	-	-	+23	dBm
	Any terminated port	-	-	-	+23	
	Through path	10 to 50 MHz	Max power at through path derates linearly from +30 dBm @ 50 MHz to +23 dBm @ 10 MHz	-	-	
50 to 6000 MHz			-	-	+30	

<sup>1</sup> In disconnected state COM port is reflective and ports 1-4 are absorptive, isolation COM to 1,2,4 is significantly better than COM to 3. See block diagram on page 3 for details.

<sup>2</sup> IP3 is tested with 1 MHz span between signals, +5 dBm per tone.

<sup>3</sup> Transition time spec represents the time that the RF signal paths are interrupted during switching and thus is specified without communication delays.

<sup>4</sup> Minimum dwell time is the shortest time that can be achieved between 2 switch transitions when programming an automated switch sequence.

<sup>5</sup> Switching time(USB) is the time from issuing a single software command via USB to the switch state changing. The most significant factor is the host PC, influenced by CPU load and USB protocol. The time shown is an estimate for a medium CPU load and USB 2.0 connection.

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

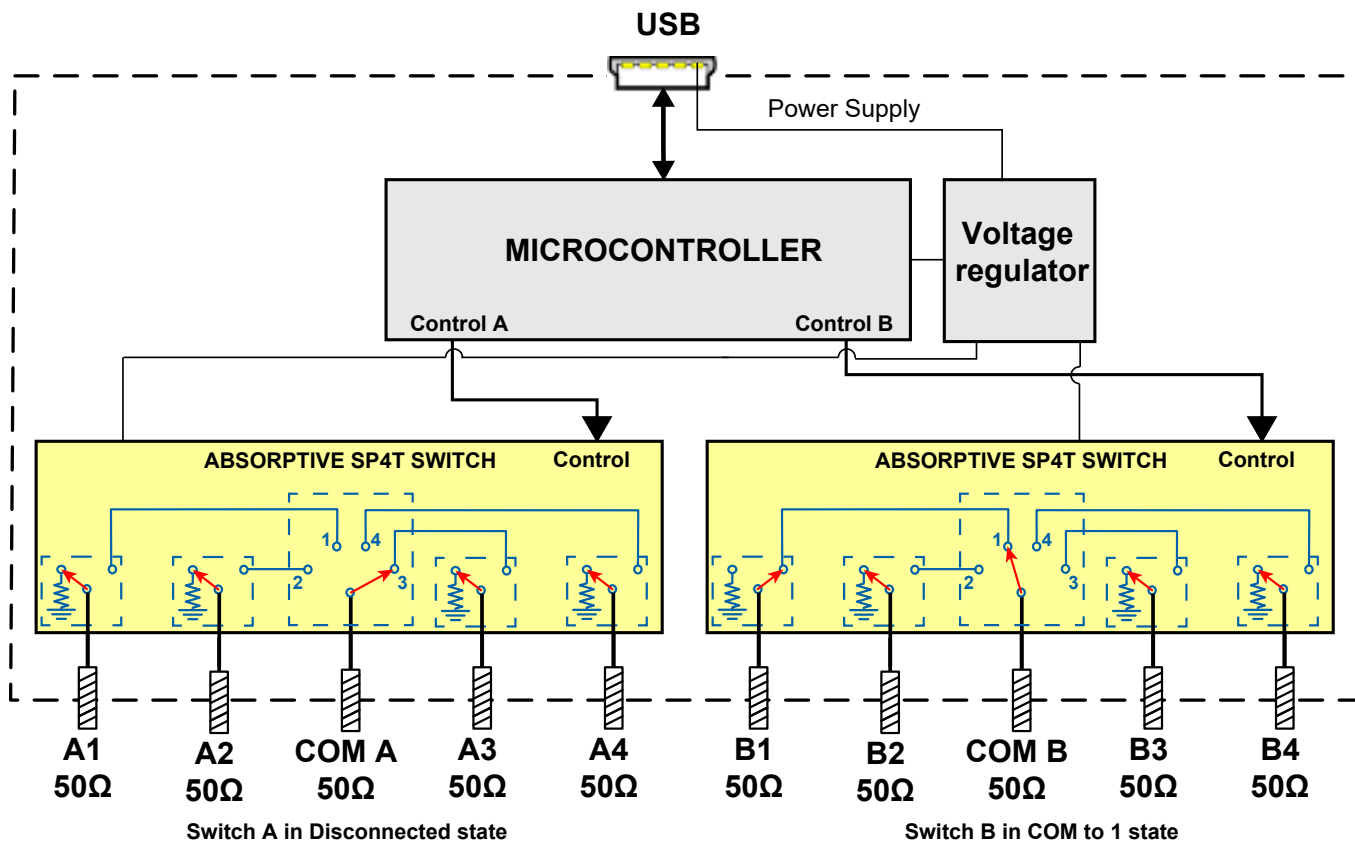
Operating Temperature		0°C to 50°C
Storage Temperature		-20°C to 60°C
DC supply voltage max.		6V
RF power @ 10 - 6000 MHz into termination		+24 dBm
RF power @ Through path	10 to 50 MHz	Derate linearly from +35 dBm @ 50 MHz to +30 dBm @ 10 MHz
	50 to 6000 MHz	
DC voltage @ RF Ports		16V

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded. Operating in the range between operating power limits and absolute maximum ratings for extended periods of time may result in reduced life and reliability.

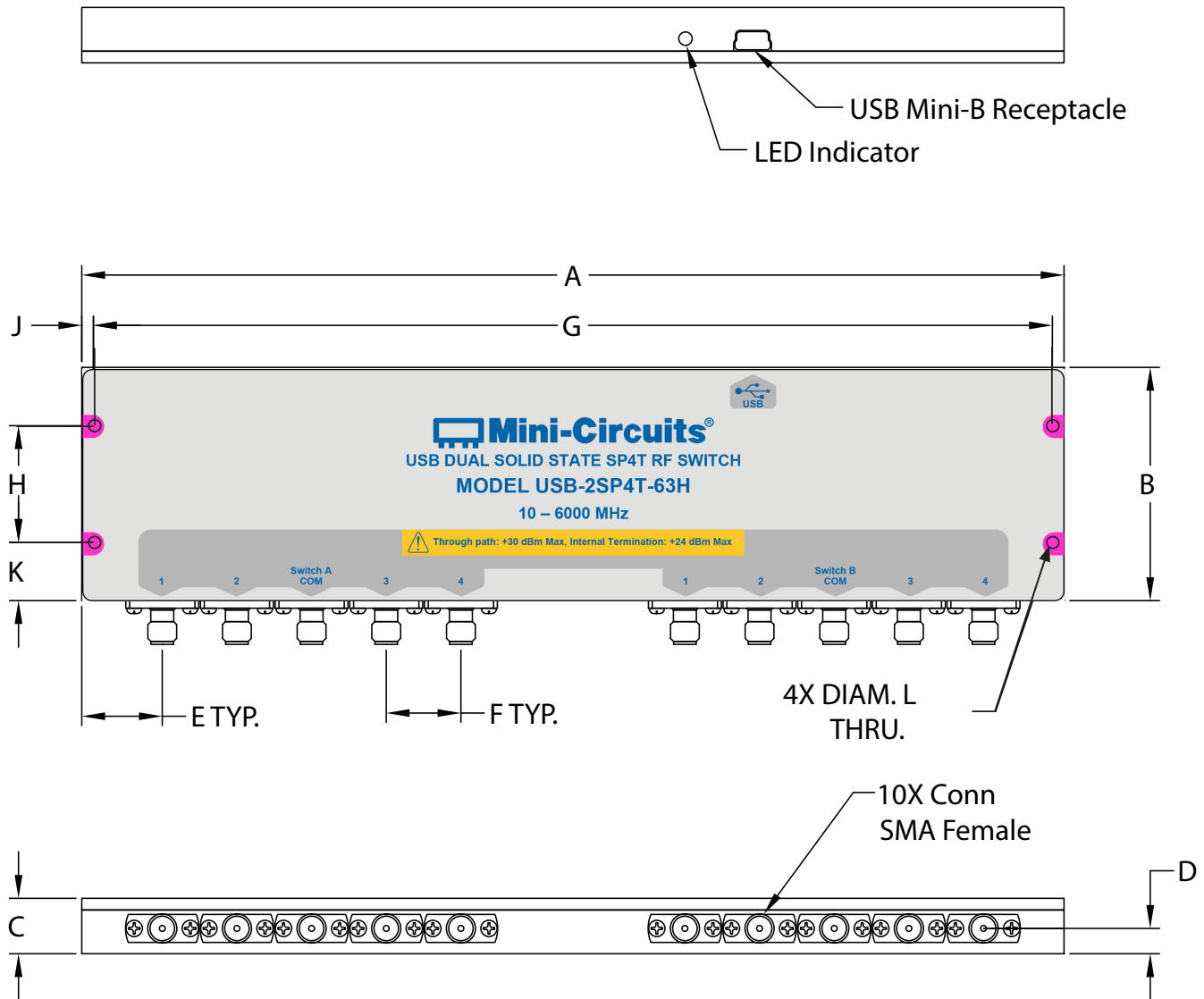
### Connections

RF SP4T Switch A (COM 1, 2, 3, 4)	(SMA female)
RF SP4T Switch B (COM 1, 2, 3, 4)	(SMA female)
USB	(USB type Mini-B receptacle)

### Simplified Diagram



## Outline Drawing (QM2605)

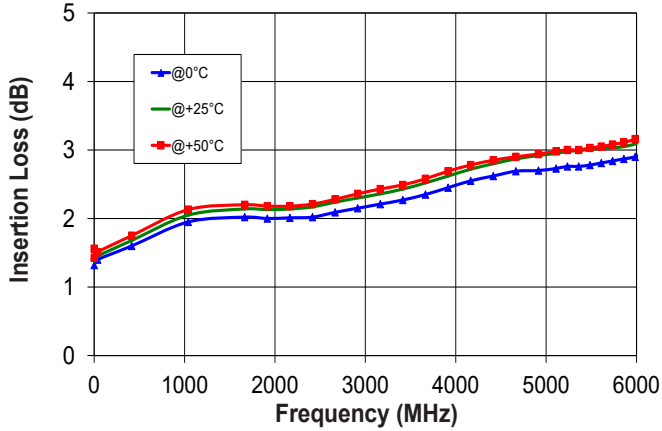


### Outline Dimensions ( $\frac{\text{inch}}{\text{mm}}$ )

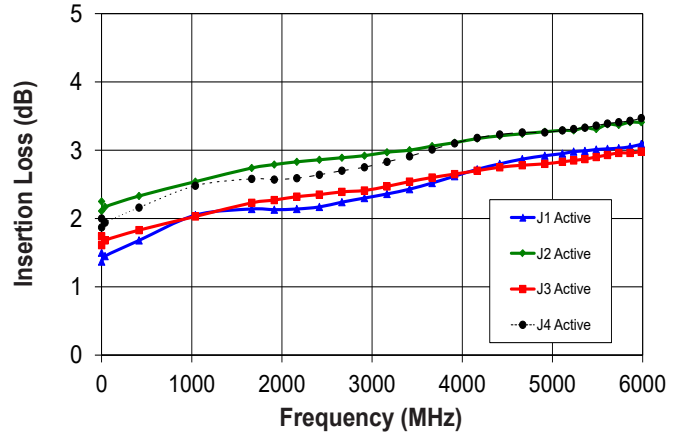
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8.42	2.00	0.475	0.217	0.69	0.640	8.220	1.000	0.10	0.50	0.106	440
213.9	50.8	12.06	5.51	17.53	16.26	208.79	25.40	2.54	12.70	2.69	

## Typical Performance Curves

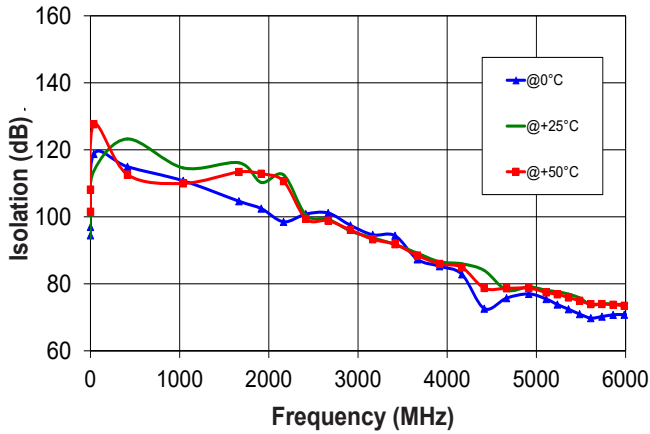
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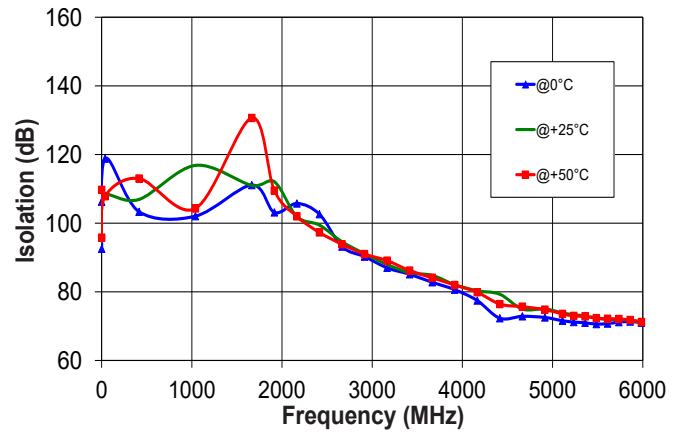
Insertion Loss J1/2/3/4 Active



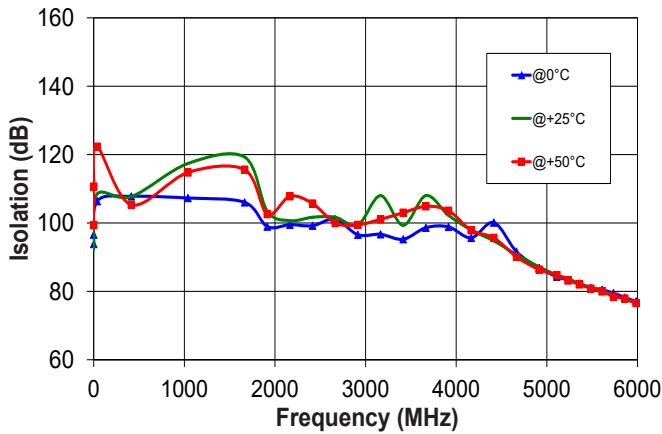
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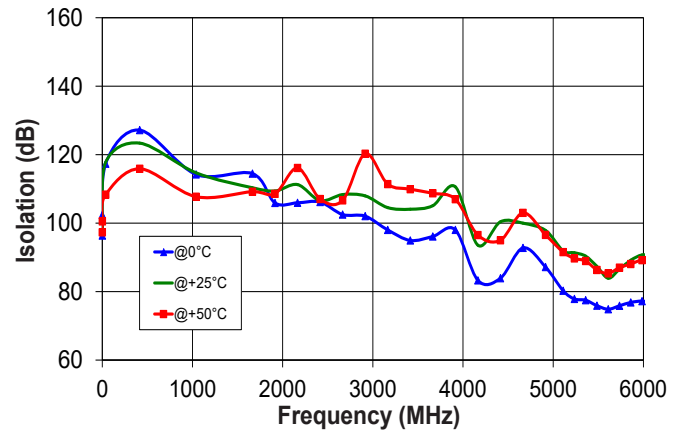
Isolation COM to J1 (J3 Active)



Isolation J2 to J3 (J3 Active)

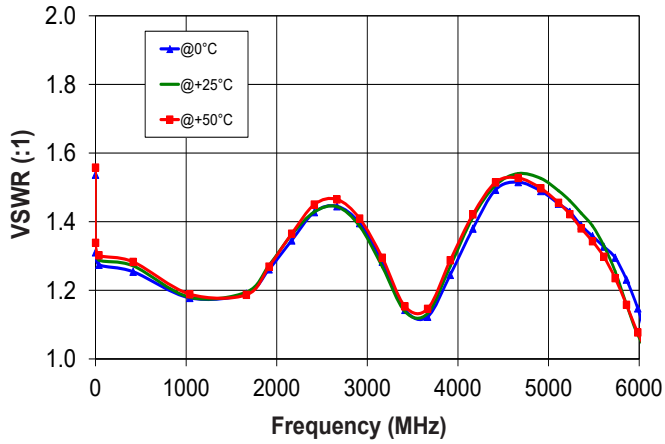


Isolation J1 to J3 (J2 Active)

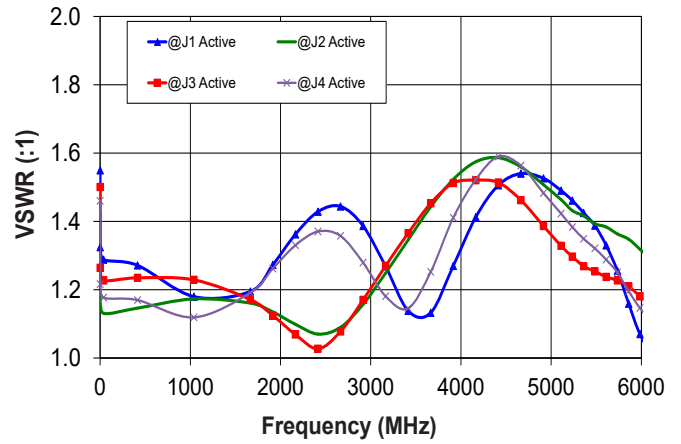


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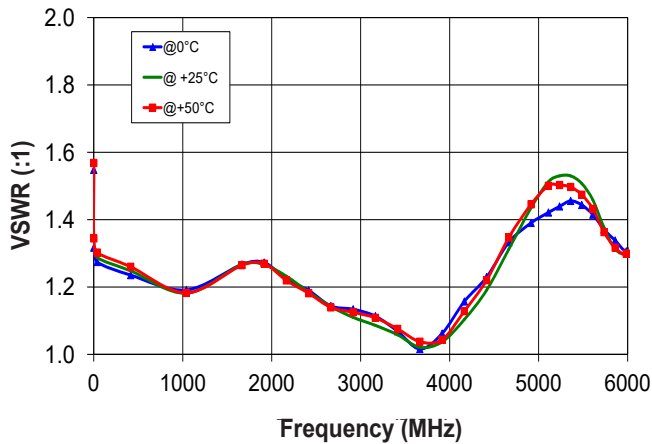
**VSWR @ COM over Temp. (J1 Active)**



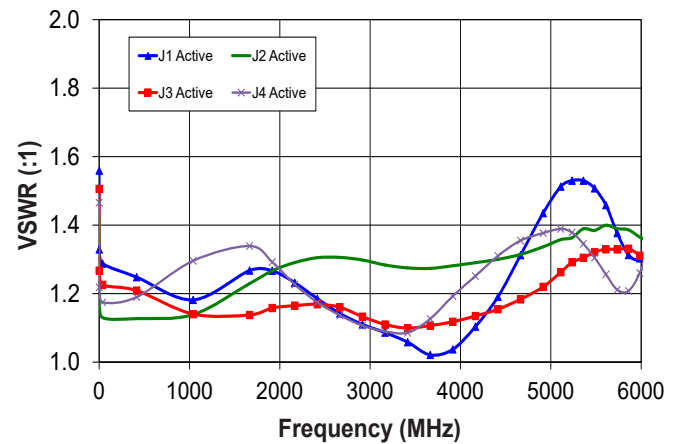
**VSWR @ COM (J1/2/3/4 Active)**



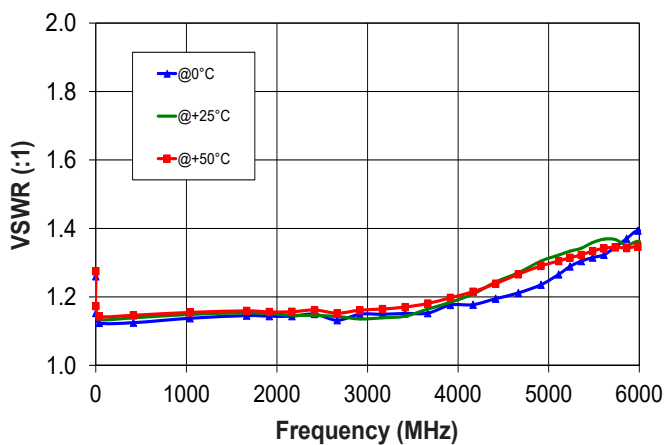
**VSWR @ J1 Active Port over Temp.**



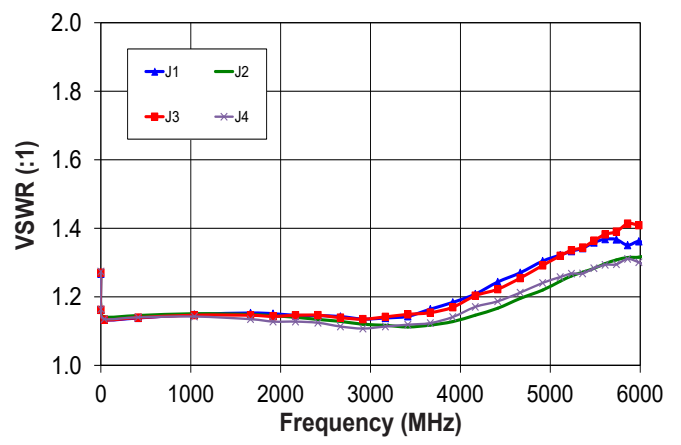
**VSWR @ Active Ports J1/2/3/4**



**VSWR @ J1 Terminated over Temp.**



**VSWR J1/2/3/4 Terminated Ports**



## Software & Documentation Download:

- Mini-Circuits' full software and support package including user guide, Windows GUI, DLL files, programming manual and examples can be downloaded free of charge from <https://www.minicircuits.com/softwaredownload/solidstate.html>
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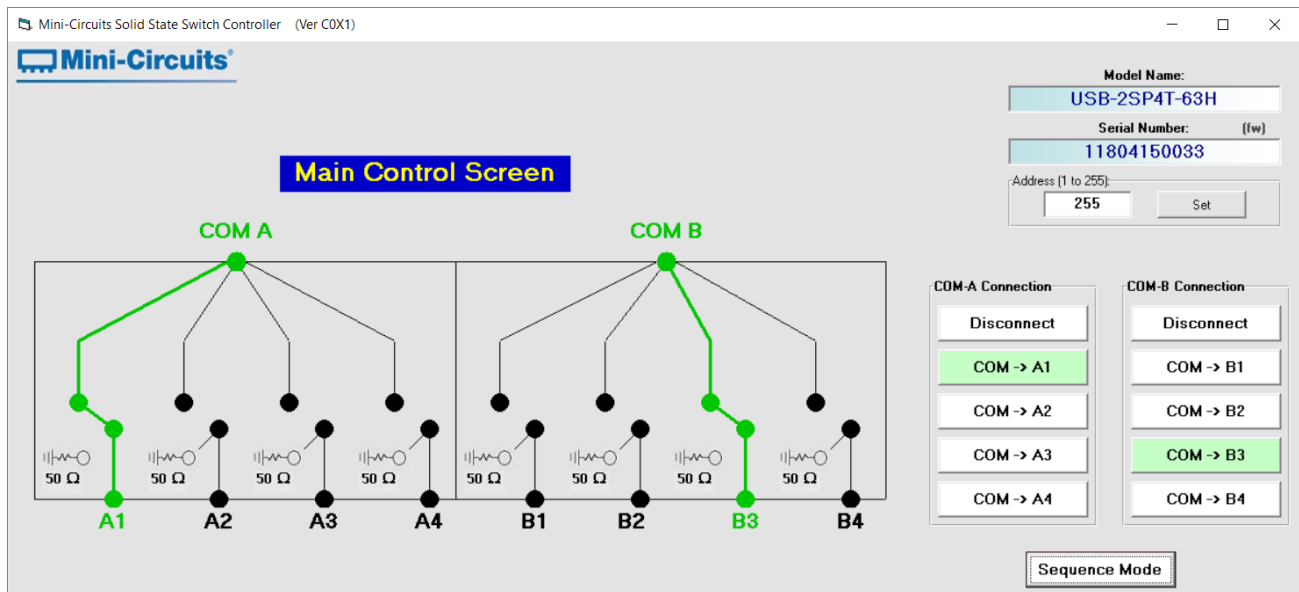
## Minimum System Requirements

Parameter	Requirements	
Interface	USB HID	
System requirements	GUI	Windows 32 & 64 bit systems from Windows 98 up to Windows 10
	USB API (ActiveX & .Net)	Windows 32 & 64 bit systems with ActiveX or .Net support from Windows 98 up to Windows 10
	USB direct programming support	Linux, Windows systems from Windows 98 up to Windows 10
Hardware	Pentium® II or higher, RAM 256 MB	

## Graphical User Interface (GUI) for Windows

### Key Features:

- Set each switch manually
- Set timed sequence of switching states
- Configure switch address and upgrade Firmware



## Application Programming Interface (API)

### Windows Support:

- API DLL files exposing the full switch functionality See programming manual for details
  - ActiveX COM DLL file for creation of 32-bit programs
  - .Net library DLL file for creation of 32 / 64-bit programs
- Supported by most common programming environments (refer to application note [AN-49-001](#) for summary of tested environments)


### Linux Support:

- Full switch control in a Linux environment is achieved by way of USB interrupt commands.



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Included Accessories	Part No.	Description
	MUSB-CBL-3+	2.6 ft (0.8 m) USB Cable: USB type A(Male) to USB type Mini-B(Male)

Optional Accessories	Description
MUSB-CBL-3+ (spare)	2.6 ft (0.8 m) USB Cable: USB type A(Male) to USB type Mini-B(Male)
MUSB-CBL-7+	6.6 ft (2.0 m) USB Cable: USB type A(Male) to USB type Mini-B(Male)

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