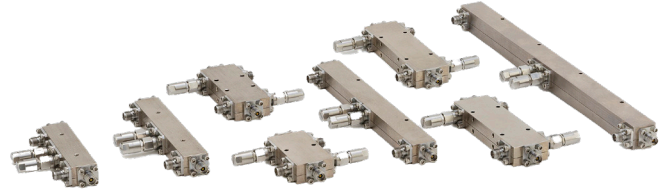*Wideband, DC Pass*

Dual Directional Couplers ZDDC-Series

50Ω   10, 20 and 30 dB   Up to 20W   0.5 to 40 GHz

The Big Deal
- Wideband, 0.5, 1, 2, 6, or 18 to 40 GHz
- Excellent Coupling Flatness, ±0.3 to ±1.0 dB typ.
- Power Handling up to 20W

ZDDC Model Series

Product Overview
The Mini-Circuits ZDDC family of wideband Dual-Directional Couplers offers exceptional performance spanning frequencies from 0.5, 1, 2, 6, or 18 to 40 GHz. Available in models with 10, 20, and 30 dB coupling, these couplers provide excellent coupling flatness, good directivity, and power handling up to 20 W. They are ideal for lab testing applications as well as for power monitoring over wide bands, among other applications

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Family of models Wide bandwidth and choice of coupling • Up to 40 GHz • 10, 20, or 30 dB coupling	10 dB coupling: ZDDC10-K5R44W+ (0.5-40 GHz), ZDDC10-K0144+ (1-40 GHz), ZDDC10-K0244+ (2-40 GHz), ZDDC10-K0644+ (6-40 GHz), ZDDC10-K1844+ (18-40 GHz) 20 dB coupling: ZDDC20-K0144+ (1-40 GHz), ZDDC20-K0244+ (2-40 GHz), ZDDC20-K0644+ (6-40 GHz), ZDDC20-K1844+ (18-40 GHz) 30 dB coupling: ZDDC30-K0144+ (1-40 GHz), ZDDC30-K0244+ (2-40 GHz), ZDDC30-K0644+ (6-40 GHz), ZDDC30-K1844+ (18-40 GHz)
Dual-Directional Coupler	Ideally suited for simultaneous monitoring of both forward and reverse power of a system and reflectometer measurements.
Good Directivity • 13 to 22 dB typ. up to 40 GHz	High directivity allows sampling of input powers with minimal detrimental effects due to output mismatches.
Excellent coupling flatness • ±0.3 to ±1.0 dB typ.	Excellent coupling flatness over the entire frequency range minimizes the need for compensation circuits in most cases.
Great Return Loss (In & Thru) • 17 to 23 dB typ. up to 40 GHz	Good return loss over operating band minimizes undesired reflections and resulting amplitude ripple.

Wideband, DC Pass
Dual Directional Coupler — ZDDC10-K0244+

50Ω   10 dB   Up to 16W   2 to 40 GHz

Features
- Wide frequency range, 2 to 40 GHz
- Excellent coupling flatness, ±0.6 dB typ.
- Good directivity, 13 dB typ. up to 40 GHz
- Great return loss, 17 dB typ. up to 40 GHz
- DC current pass through input to output

Applications
- 5G
- Mobile
- Fixed satellite
- Lab use

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CASE STYLE: HT3104-2

Connectors	Model
2.92mm Female	ZDDC10-K0244+

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

Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter	Frequency (GHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range		2		40	GHz
Coupling	2 - 40	-	10±1.9	-	dB
Coupling Flatness (±)	2 - 40	-	±0.6	±1.0	dB
Mainline Loss[1]	2 - 8	-	1.4	1.9	dB
	8 - 18	-	1.7	2.4	
	18 - 26.5	-	2.0	2.8	
	26.5 - 40	-	2.4	3.3	
Directivity[2]	2 - 8	16	31	-	dB
	8 - 18	14	27	-	
	18 - 26.5	12	23	-	
	26.5 - 40	11	20	-	
Return Loss (In & Thru)	2 - 8	15.5	32	-	dB
	8 - 18	13.9	29	-	
	18 - 26.5	12.7	27	-	
	26.5 - 40	11.7	23	-	
Return Loss (Coupling)	2 - 8	15.5	32	-	dB
	8 - 18	13.9	29	-	
	18 - 26.5	12.7	23	-	
	26.5 - 40	11.7	24	-	
Input Power[3]	2 - 40	-	-	16	W

1. Mainline loss includes coupling loss
2. Directivity (dB) = -RF-OUT to COUP1 (dBm) + RF-IN to COUP1 (dBm) or -RF-IN to COUP2 (dBm) + RF-OUT to COUP2 (dBm)
3. Up to 25°C, derates linearly to 6W at 100°C.

Maximum Ratings

| Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Supplied Termination[4]	1W
DC Current	0.56A

4. Up to 25°C, derates linearly to 325mW at 100°C.
   Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

Configuration

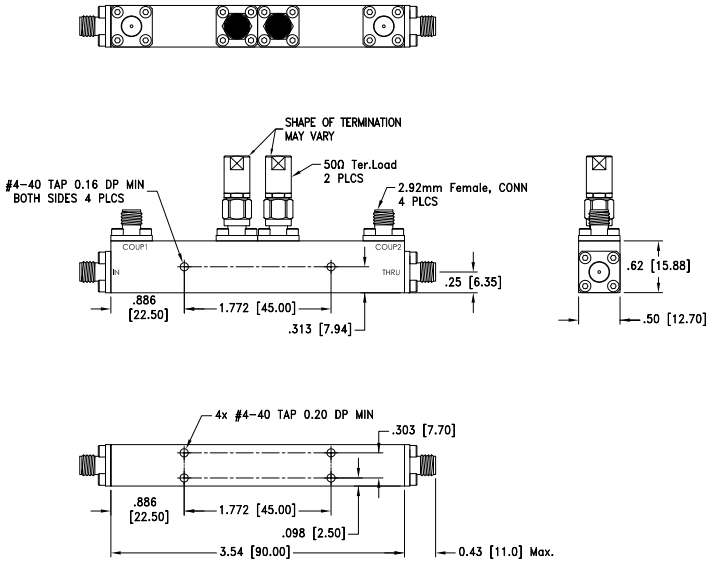| Port Markings	Function
IN	RF-IN
THRU	RF-OUT
COUP1	Couples power applied at RF-IN
COUP2	Couples power applied at RF-OUT

Electrical Schematic
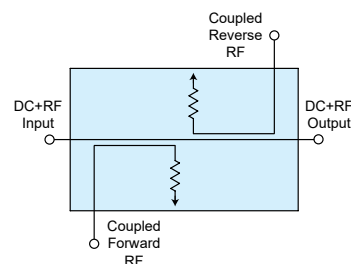
* Mainline is DC Coupled.
* Coupling ports are DC Coupled to internal terminations.

Outline Drawing


Weight: 95 grams;
Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2 Pl.±.03; 3 Pl. ± .015

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss[1] (dB)	Coupling (dB)		Directivity (dB)		Return Loss (dB)			
	In-Thru1	In-Coup1	Thru-Coup2	Thru-Coup1	In-Coup2	In	Thru	Coup1	Coup2
2000	1.29	9.64	9.26	31.63	27.75	31.99	30.31	36.65	31.99
4000	1.40	9.67	9.17	25.53	23.72	31.05	28.47	24.20	22.79
6000	1.60	9.25	8.72	38.10	38.41	32.04	46.69	31.33	31.27
8000	1.58	9.77	9.27	26.68	24.14	22.24	20.41	29.95	25.84
12000	1.71	9.50	9.19	31.66	21.44	28.12	30.86	36.30	30.50
16000	1.91	9.10	9.07	25.33	20.29	25.10	27.11	24.79	24.73
18000	1.84	9.68	9.73	23.65	21.89	21.52	21.55	25.86	26.10
22000	1.95	9.70	9.57	18.89	15.90	31.12	30.14	20.55	20.89
26500	2.14	9.54	9.41	27.93	23.29	32.69	30.19	29.88	20.97
30000	2.39	9.55	9.27	23.20	19.45	17.47	17.59	45.52	31.18
35000	2.42	9.86	9.48	17.10	13.21	25.88	26.27	21.82	22.69
40000	2.53	9.78	9.47	25.93	17.33	31.43	38.68	18.91	21.67

1. Mainline loss includes coupling loss

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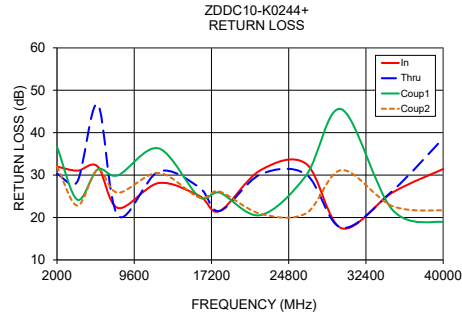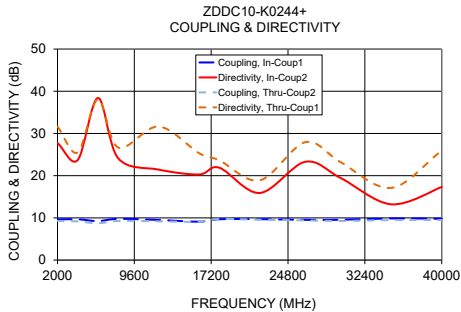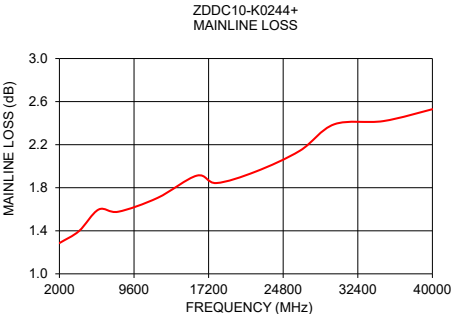
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