

Voltage-Controlled Attenuator Module 5 to 2000 MHz

Rev. V4

Features

- AVAILABLE IN SURFACE MOUNT
- LOW VSWR: < 1.8:1 (TYP.)
- LOW INSERTION LOSS: 2.0 dB TO 1000 MHz (TYP.)
- LOW DISTORTION: -25 dBc (TYP.) AT V_{control} = +15 V

Description

The G1 attenuator is a discrete hybrid design, which uses thin film manufacturing processes for accurate performance and high reliability.

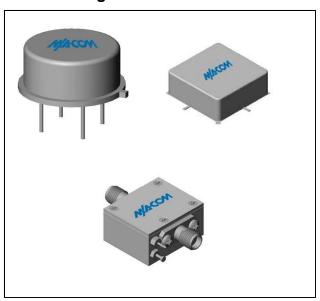
This design uses three pin diodes to provide a non linear attenuation response across a broadband frequency range. Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are hermetically sealed, and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | |
|-------------|-------------------|--|
| G1 | TO-8 | |
| SMG1 | Surface Mount | |
| CG1 ** | SMA Connectorized | |

^{**} The connectorized version is not RoHs compliant.

Product Image



Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$, $V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}$

| Parameter | Units | Typical Gu | | ıaranteed | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|
| | | 25°C | 0º to 50ºC | -54º to +85ºC* | |
| Frequency | MHz | 5-2200 | 5-2000 | 5-2000 | |
| Maximum Attenuation Available (min) 5-500 MHz 500-1000 MHz 1000-2000 MHz | dB dB dB | 36 30 23 | 31 25 18 | 30 24 17 | |
| Insertion Loss (Vctrl = +15 V) (max) 5-1000 MHz 1000-2000 MHz | dB dB | 2.0 2.5 | 2.5 3.0 | 2.8 3.3 | |
| VSWR (worst case in attenuation range) 5-2000 MHz | dB | <1.8:1 | 2.2:1 | 2.3:1 | |
| Flatness Over Frequency (max) (Attenuation = min to 15 dB, 5-1000 MHz) | dB | +/-0.5 | +/-1.0 | +/-1.2 | |
| Switching Speed (max.) 10% - 90% 0% - 100% | µsec µsec | 60 75 | 120 125 | 140 140 | |
| Bias Voltage | Volts | +15 | +15 | +15 | |
| Bias Current | mA | 10 | 15 | 15 | |
| Control Voltage | Volts | 0 to +15 | 0 to +15 | 0 to +15 | |
| Control Current (max) | mA | 4 | 7 | 7 | |

^{*}Over temperature performance limits for part number CG1, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.

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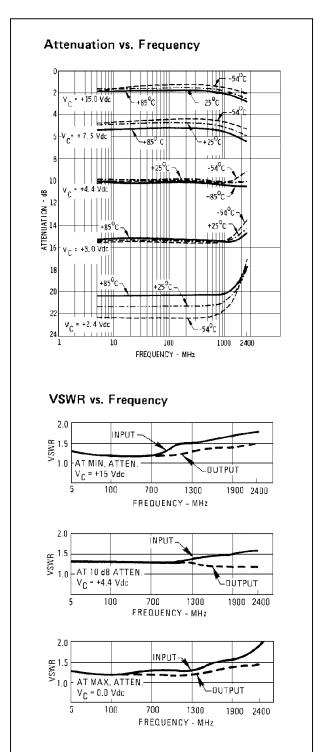
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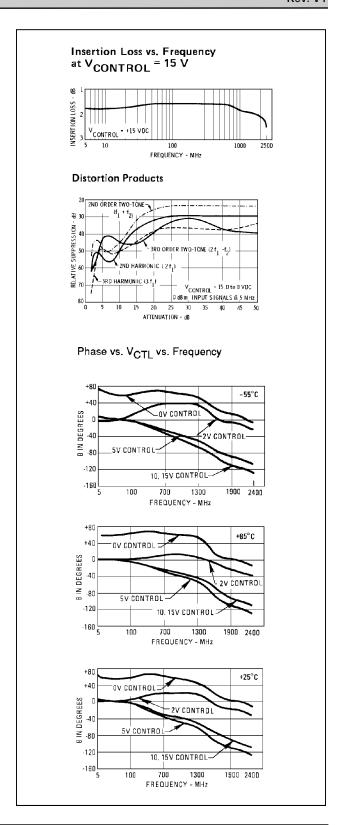


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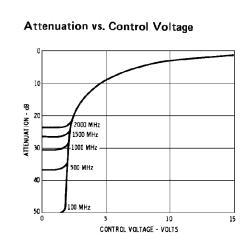
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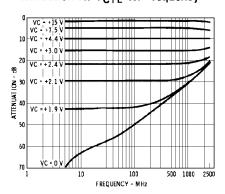
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Attenuation vs. V_{CTL} vs. Frequency



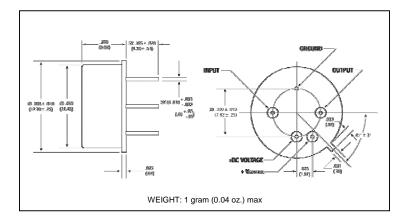
Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Absolute Maxi- mum | | |
|--|-----------------------|--|--|
| Storage Temperature | -62°C to +125°C | | |
| Case Temperature | 125°C | | |
| DC Voltage | +18 V | | |
| Continuous Input Power | +20 dBm | | |
| Short Term Input power (1 minute max.) | 200 mW | | |
| Peak Power (3 µsec max.) | 1 W | | |
| "S" Series Burn-In Temperature (case) | 125°C | | |

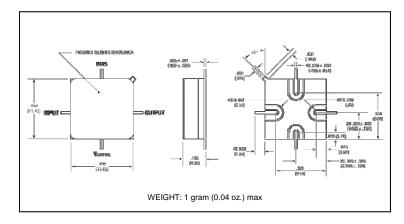
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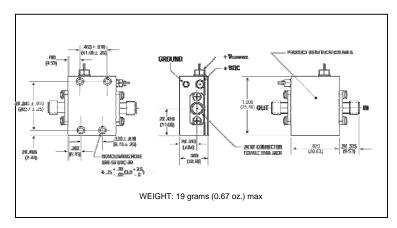
Outline Drawing: TO-8 *



Outline Drawing: Surface Mount



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- * Dimensions are inches (millimeters) ±0.015 (0.38) unless otherwise specified.
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