

Absorptive Voltage Control Attenuator 4GHz-8GHz



Product Description

RFVAT0408A30 is an absorptive voltage controlled attenuator with a frequency range of 4 to 8GHz.

The power input rating of this attenuation is 30dBm. The Insertion Loss is 1.0dB with a typical attenuation range of 30dB.

The working temperature of this product is between - 40°C and + 85°C.

Features

- Absorptive Voltage Control Attenuator
- Wide Attenuation Range 30dB
- Insertion Loss 1.0dB Typical
- RF input power 30dBm Typical
- Absorptive Topology

Typical Applications

- · Wireless Infrastructure
- · Military and Aerospace Applications
- Test Instrumentation
- · Radar Systems
- 5G Wireless Communications
- · Microwave Radio Systems
- TR Modules
- · Research and Development
- · Cellular Base Stations

Electrical Specifications (T_A=+25°C)

Parameter	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Frequency Range	4		8	GHz
Attenuation Range	30			dB
Insertion Loss		1.0	1.5	dB
Insertion Loss Temperature Coefficient		0.003		dB/ °C
Input VSWR		1.4	1.6	: 1
Output VSWR		1.4	1.6	: 1
Input 1dB Compression Point			30	dBm
IP3 Input		45		dBm
Switching Speed		10		us
Control Voltage	0	8		V
Current	15 Max.		mA	
Weight	0.02 Max.		lbs.	
Impedance	50		Ohms	
Input / Output Connectors	SMA-Female (Input) – SMA-Female (Output)			
	Epoxy Sealed (Standard)			
Package	Hermetically Sealed (Optional)			

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Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Rating
Control Voltage	0 ~ +13V
RF Input Power	+30dBm

Environmental Specifications and Test Standards

Parameter	Description		
Operational Temperature	-40°C to +85°C (Case Temperature)		
Storage Temperature	-50°C to +105°C		
Thermal Shock	-40°C → +85°C (5 Cycles / 10 hours)		
**Random Vibration	MIL-STD-202G Table 214-I, Test Condition Letter C 1.5 Hours Per Axis		
High Temperature Burn In	Temperature +85°C for 72 Hours		
Shock	Weight >20g, 50g half sine wave for 11ms, Speed variation 3.44m/s Weight <=20g, 100g Half sine wave for 6ms, Speed variation 3.75m/s Total 18 times (6 directions, 3 repetitions per direction).		
Altitude	Standard: 30,000 Ft (Epoxy Sealed Controlled Environment) Optional: Hermetically Sealed (60,000 ft. 1.0 PSI min)		
Hermetically Sealed (Optional)	MIL-STD-883 (For Hermetically Sealed Units)		

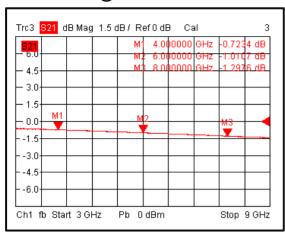
^{**}For vibration testing details please see additional information section.

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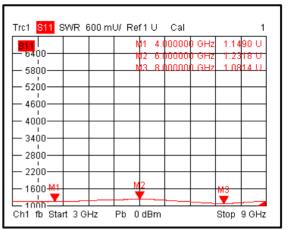


Typical Performance Plots

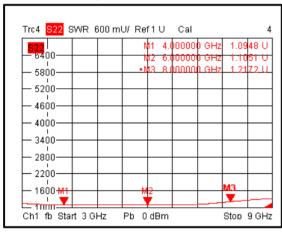
Insertion Loss @+25°C



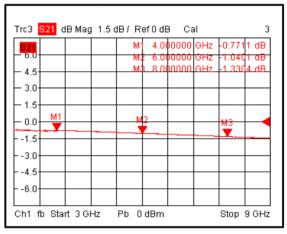
Input VSWR @+25°C



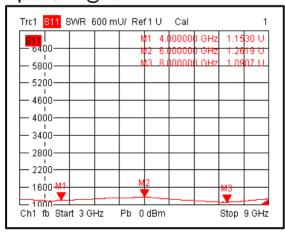
Output VSWR @+25°C



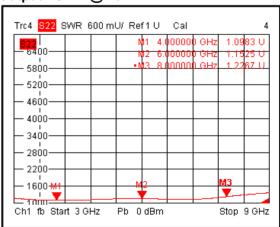
Insertion Loss @-40°C



Input VSWR @-40°C



Output VSWR @-40°C

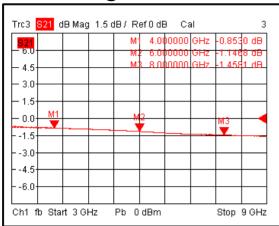


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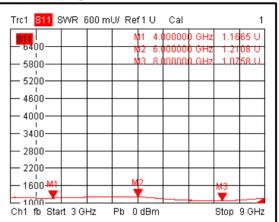


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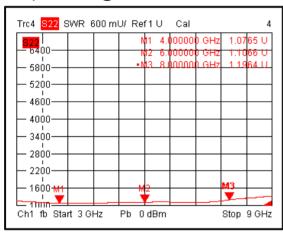
Insertion Loss @+85°C



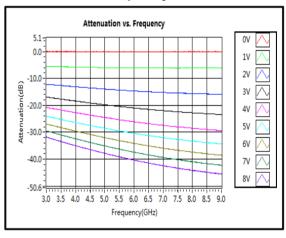
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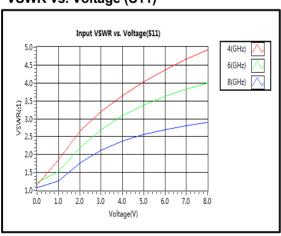
Output VSWR @+85°C



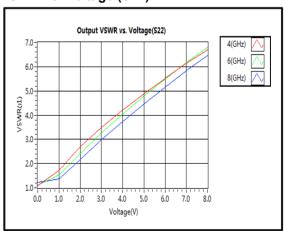
Attenuation vs. Frequency



VSWR vs. Voltage (S11)



VSWR vs. Voltage (S22)

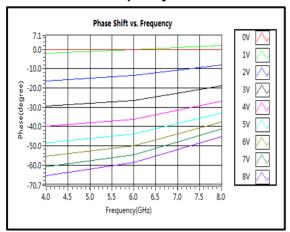


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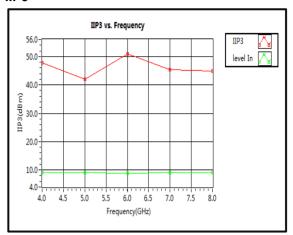


Typical Performance Plots

Phase Shift vs. Frequency



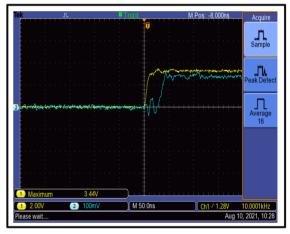
IIP3



Speed

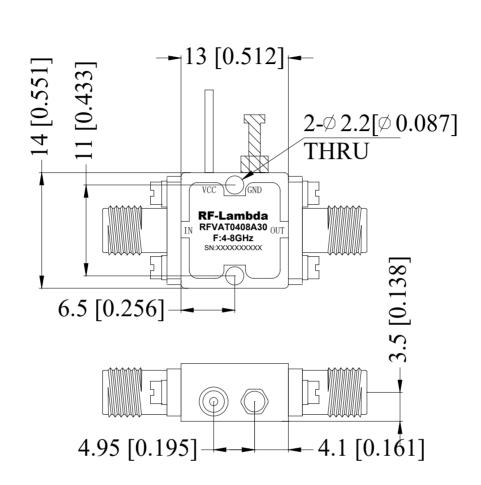


Speed





Outline Drawing



Notes:

- 1. Package Material: Aluminum
- 2. Plating: Gold
- 3. All dimensions are in millimeters [inches].
- 4. Housing Tolerances ±0.1 [0.004] unless otherwise specified.
- 5. Standard torque wrench must be used to secure RF connectors.



Additional Information

Documentation	Webpage	
ESD Policy	https://rflambda.com/pdf/rflambda_esd_control.pdf	
Connector Torque Specifications	https://www.rflambda.com/pdf/Torque_Specifications.pdf	
Random Vibration Test Standard	https://www.rflambda.com/pdf/rflambda_random_vibration_MIL-STD-202G.pdf	

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Ordering Information

Part Number	Modification	Description
RFVAT0408A30	Standard	4-8GHz Voltage Control Attenuator

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