

40 dB Fixed Attenuator N Male To N Female Up To 8.5 GHz Rated To 50 Watts With Black Aluminum Heatsink Body

Fairview Microwave carries a broad selection of fixed attenuators with a wide range of attenuation levels, frequency ranges, and power dissipation ranges. Also known as RF pads, RF microwave attenuators lower the amplitude of a signal (or attenuate) a known amount. These attenuator pads can be used in a wide variety of applications including reducing a signal level to protect measurement equipment or other circuitry, extending the range of power meters and amplifiers, and impedance matching circuits by reducing the VSWR seen by adjacent components. RF attenuators can prevent signal overload in amplifiers, receivers and detectors, adjusting the signal level to a range that is optimal.

Few RF components are as commonly used as fixed coaxial attenuators, and Fairview Microwave carries one of the largest in-stock varieties and ships them same day. The FMAT4008-40 is a 40 dB Fixed Attenuator that operates from DC to 8.5 GHz and is rated to 50 Watts. The versatile coaxial package uses type N male to type N female connectors and is also REACH and RoHS compliant. The Black Anodized Aluminum Heatsink body allows for efficient heat dissipation under high power usage conditions.



Electrical Specifications

Description	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Frequency Range	DC		8.5	GHz
Impedance		50		Ohms
Nominal Attenuation		40		dB
Input Power, CW Derated Linearly to 2.5 W @ 125°C			50	Watts
Input Power, Peak 5 µsec PW, 0.5% DC			5	KWatts

Specifications by Frequency

Description	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	Units
Range	DC to 4	4 to 8.5				GHz
VSWR, Max	1.2:1	1.3:1				
Atten Accuracy, Max	±0.6	±1				dB

Mechanical Specifications

Size	
Length	4.38 in [111.25 mm]
Width/Diameter	1.62 in [41.15 mm]
Weight	0.50574 lbs [229.4 g]
Body Material and Plating	Black Anodized Aluminum Heatsink

Configuration

Design	Fixed, Bidirectional
Package Style	Connectorized Module

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Connectors

Description	Connector 1	Connector 2
Type	N Male	N Female
Contact Material & Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold	Beryllium Copper, Gold

Environmental Specifications

Temperature

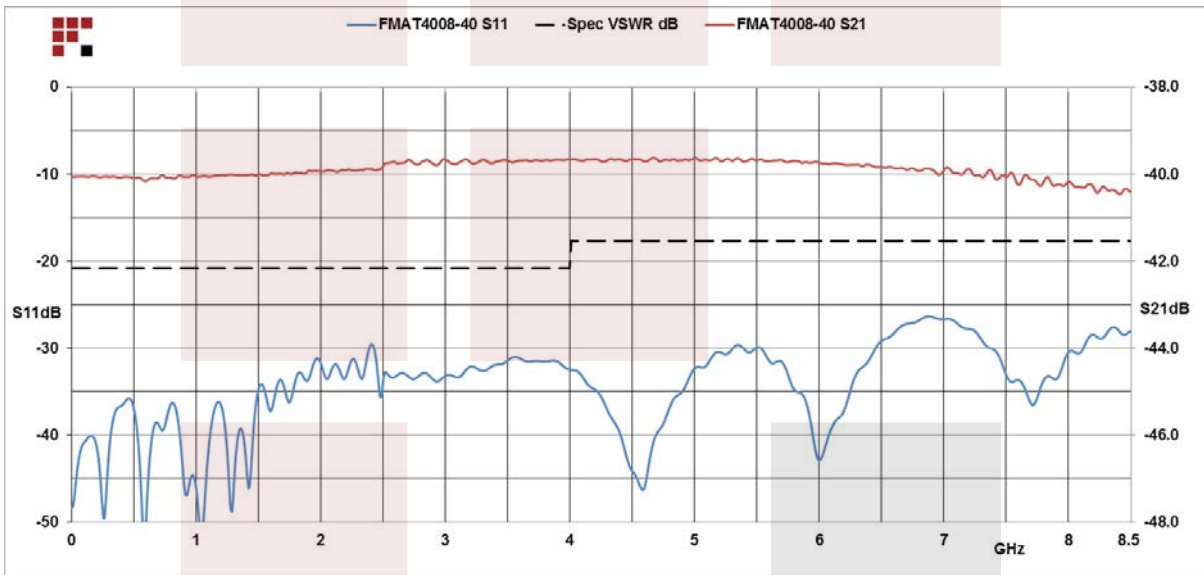
Operating Range -55 to +125 deg C

Compliance Certifications (see [product page](#) for current document)

Plotted and Other Data

Notes:

Typical Performance Data

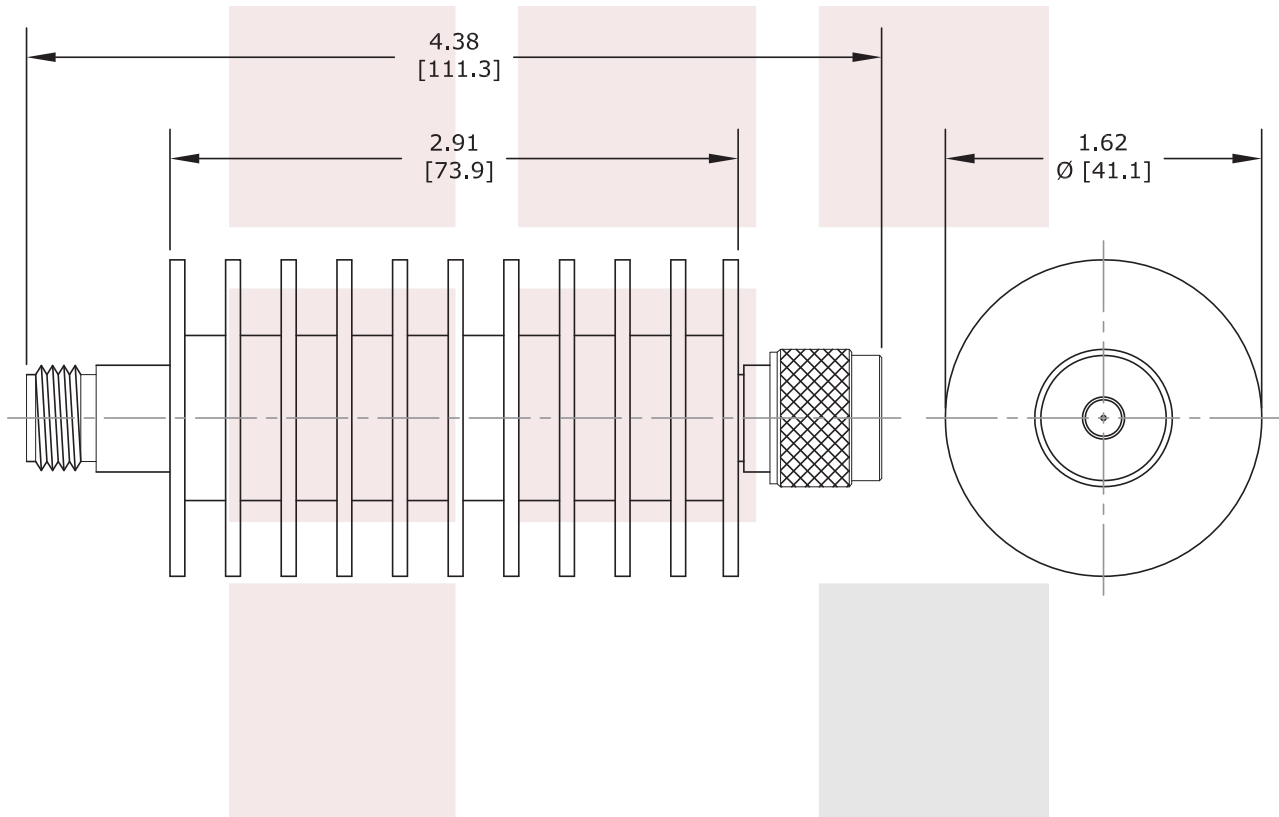


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