

SMA Directional Coupler 30 dB 2 GHz to 18 GHz Rated to 50 Watts

Directional couplers are indispensable components for isolating, separating and combining signals. For example, they provide a simple way of sampling microwave signals. They also can make accurate attenuator measurements since reflections are eliminated. The MC0218-30 is a 30 dB directional coupler that operates from 2 to 18 GHz with 10 dB directivity minimum and 1.5:1 VSWR maximum. The package interface uses SMA female connectors, and is also RoHS compliant.

The MC0218-30 is part of Fairview Microwave's family of directional/dual-directional couplers that offer coupling ratio up to 50 dB with excellent performance featuring high directivity, low insertion loss and VSWR. They are available in both narrow and broad bandwidths and can be used in a wide variety of applications including signal sampling, VSWR measurements, power combining and distribution.

Electrical Specifications

Description	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Frequency Range	2		18	GHz
Impedance		50		Ohms
Coupling		30 ±1		dB
Freq. Sensitivity			±1	dB
Insertion Loss		0.9		dB
Directivity	10			dB
Main Line VSWR			1.5:1	
Input Power (CW)			50	Watts

Electrical Specification Notes:
Values at 25°C, sea level.

Mechanical Specifications

Size

Length	1.69 in [42.93 mm]
Width/Dia.	0.59 in [14.99 mm]
Height	0.43 in [10.92 mm]
Weight	0.0975 lbs [44.23 g]

Configuration

Package Type	Connectorized
Input Connector	SMA Female
Output Connector	SMA Female
Coupled Connectors	SMA Female

Environmental Specifications

Temperature

Operating Range	-55 to +85 deg C
Storage Range	-55 to +100 deg C

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

Plotted and Other Data

Notes:



Features:

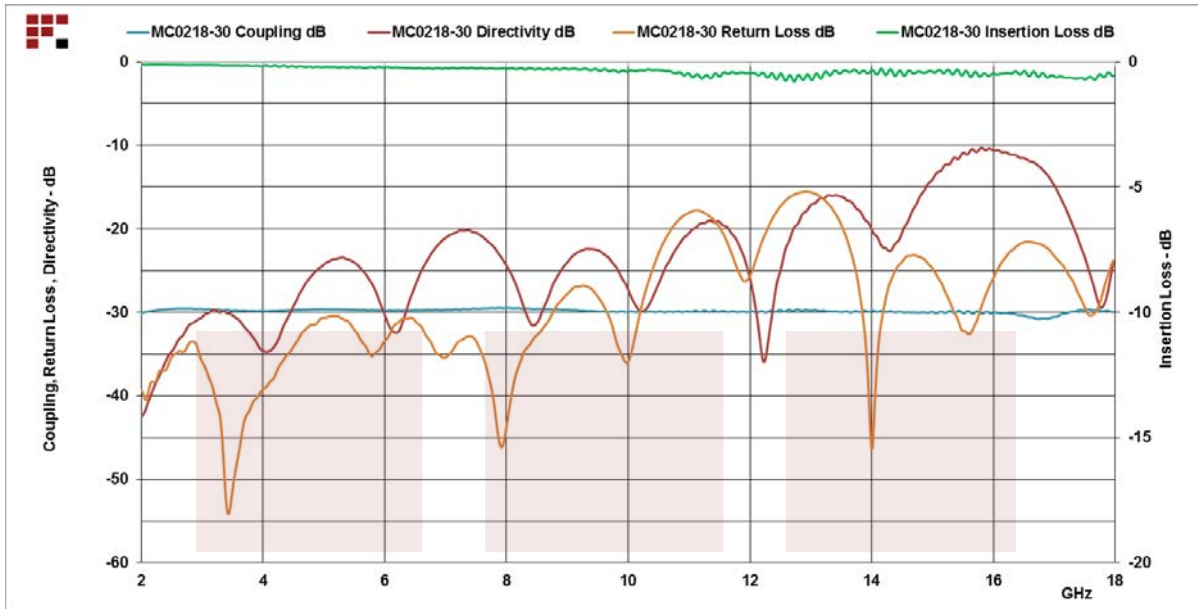
- Directional Coupler
- 2 to 18 GHz Frequency Range
- Coupling 30±1 dB
- Directivity > 10 dB
- VSWR < 1.5:1
- Max Power 50 Watts (CW)

Applications:

- Test and Measurement
- Military Communications
- Commercial Communications
- Wireless Communications
- SATCOM

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Typical Performance Data



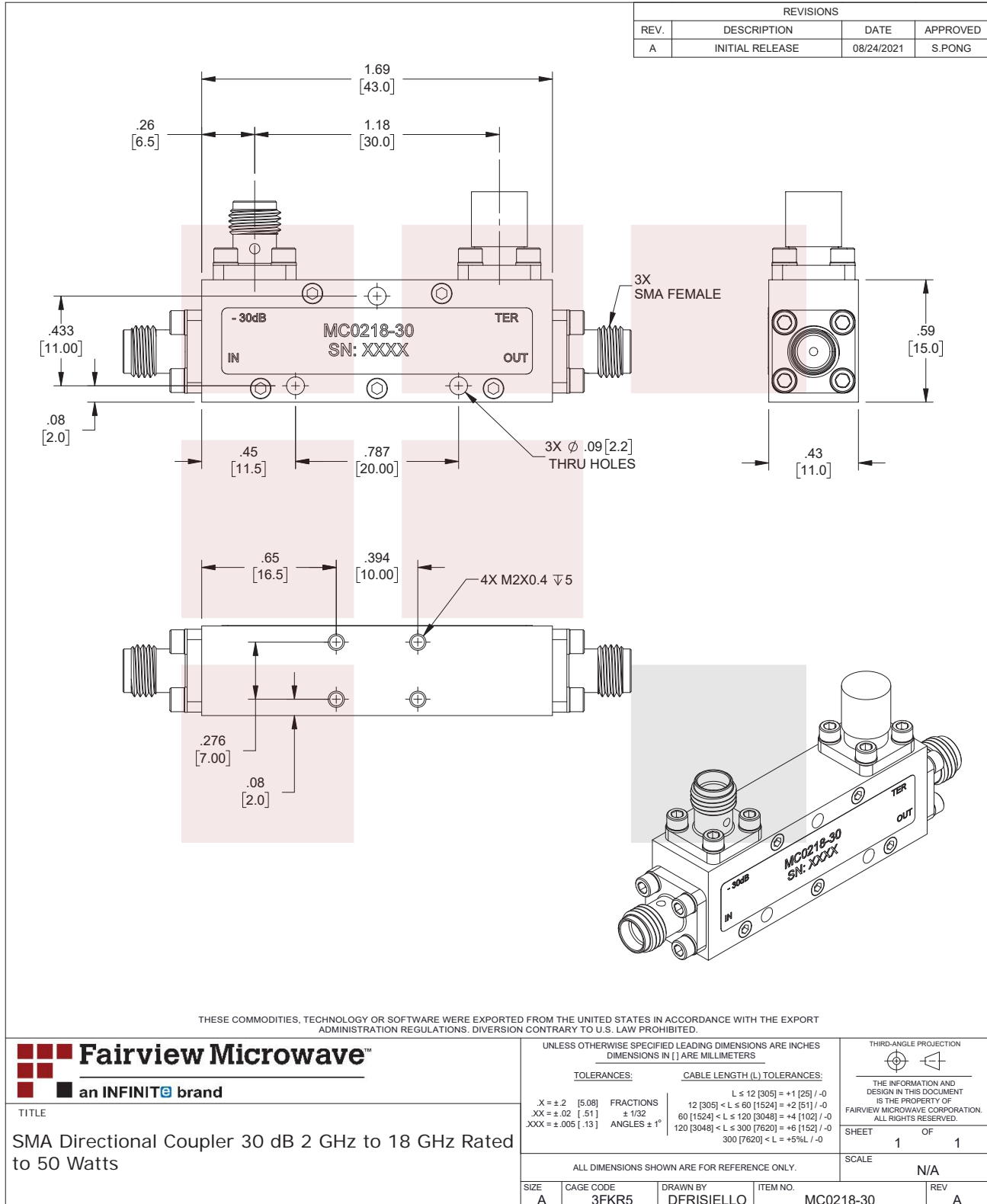
Insertion loss includes coupled power

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