

## 0 to 31.5 dB 6 Bit Programmable CMOS Controlled Step Attenuator with a 0.5 dB Step SMA Female to SMA Female Rated to 0.32 Watts Up to 13 GHz

The FMAT5003 is a 6 Bit Programmable 31.5 dB Pin Diode Attenuator with Step Resolution as Low as 0.5 dB over the Operating Frequency Range from 0 GHz to 13 GHz. The RF Input/Output Connectors are SMA Female. The control is thru a six bit CMOS compatible serial control word that is used to select attenuation state and a single -5 VDC bias that allows the operation at frequencies down to DC. The drop-in package is hermetically sealed with field replaceable SMA connectors and has an operating temperature range of -40°C to +85°C. And for added confidence, this rugged package assembly is designed to meet MIL-STD-883 test conditions for Hermeticity and Temperature Cycle.



### Electrical Specifications (Values at 25°C, sea level)

Description	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Frequency Range	DC		13	GHz
Mean Attenuation Range	0		31.5	dB
Insertion Loss		5		dB
Power Rating			+25.1	dBm
Step Size	0.5			dB
DC Power Supply			-5 ±10%	Volts

### Mechanical Specifications

<b>Size</b>	
Length	1.035 in [26.29 mm]
Width	0.68 in [17.27 mm]
Height	0.34 in [8.64 mm]
Weight	3.25 lbs [1.47 kg]
Connector 1	SMA Female
Connector 2	SMA Female

### Environmental Specifications

<b>Temperature</b>	
Operating Range	-50 to +85 deg C
Storage Range	-65 to +150 deg C
Temperature Cycling	MIL-STD-883, Method 101C, Cond B
Hermetic Seal	Gross Leak MIL-STD-883 Method 1014C1/Fine Leak MIL-STD-883, Method 1014A2, 5 x 10 <sup>-8</sup> atm cc
ESD Sensitivity	ESD Sensitive Material, Transport material in Approved ESD bags. Handle only in ESD Workstation.

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

### Plotted and Other Data

Notes:

### Features:

- 6 Bit Programmable 31.5 dB Attenuator
- 0 GHz to 6 GHz Frequency Range
- 31.5 dB Attenuation Range
- Step Resolution of 0.5 dB
- Insertion Loss 3.6 dB Typ
- SMA Female Field Replaceable Connectors
- 3 Pin Serial CMOS control

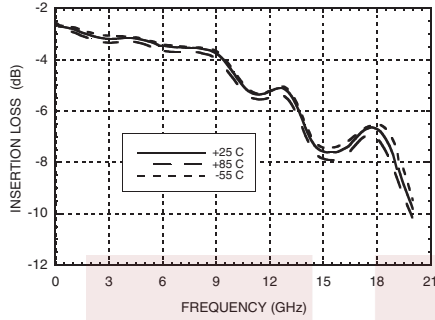
### Applications:

- Electronic Warfare
- Electronic Countermeasures
- Microwave Radio
- VSAT
- Radar
- Fiber Optic
- Space Systems
- Test Instrumentation
- Telecom Infrastructure

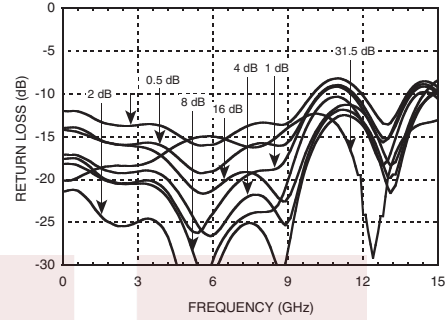
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**Typical Performance Data**

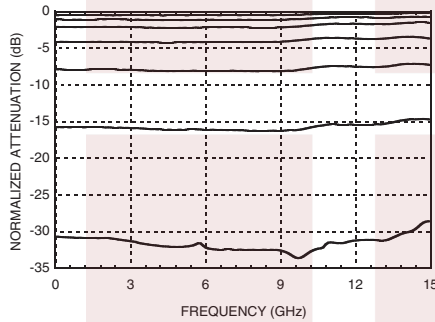
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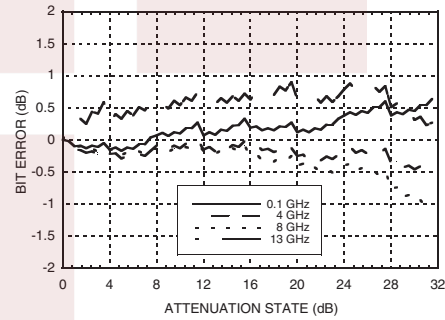
**Return Loss RF1, RF2**  
(Only Major States are Shown)



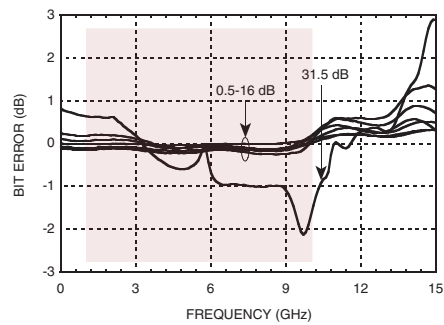
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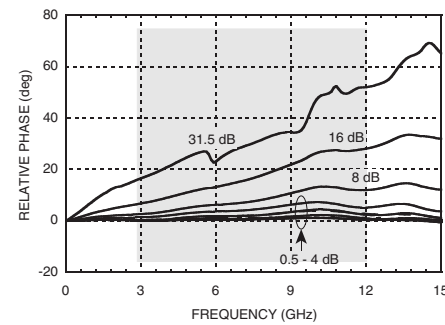
**Bit Error vs. Attenuation State**



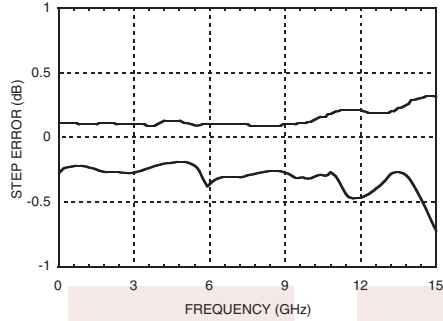
**Bit Error vs. Frequency**  
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**Relative Phase vs. Frequency**  
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**Worst Case Step Error  
Between Successive Attenuation States**

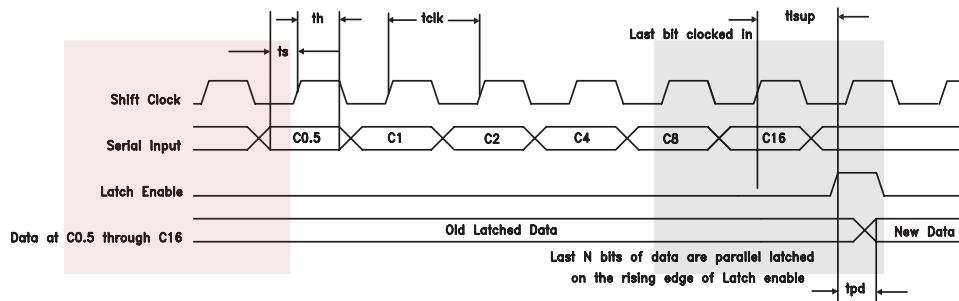


**Timing**

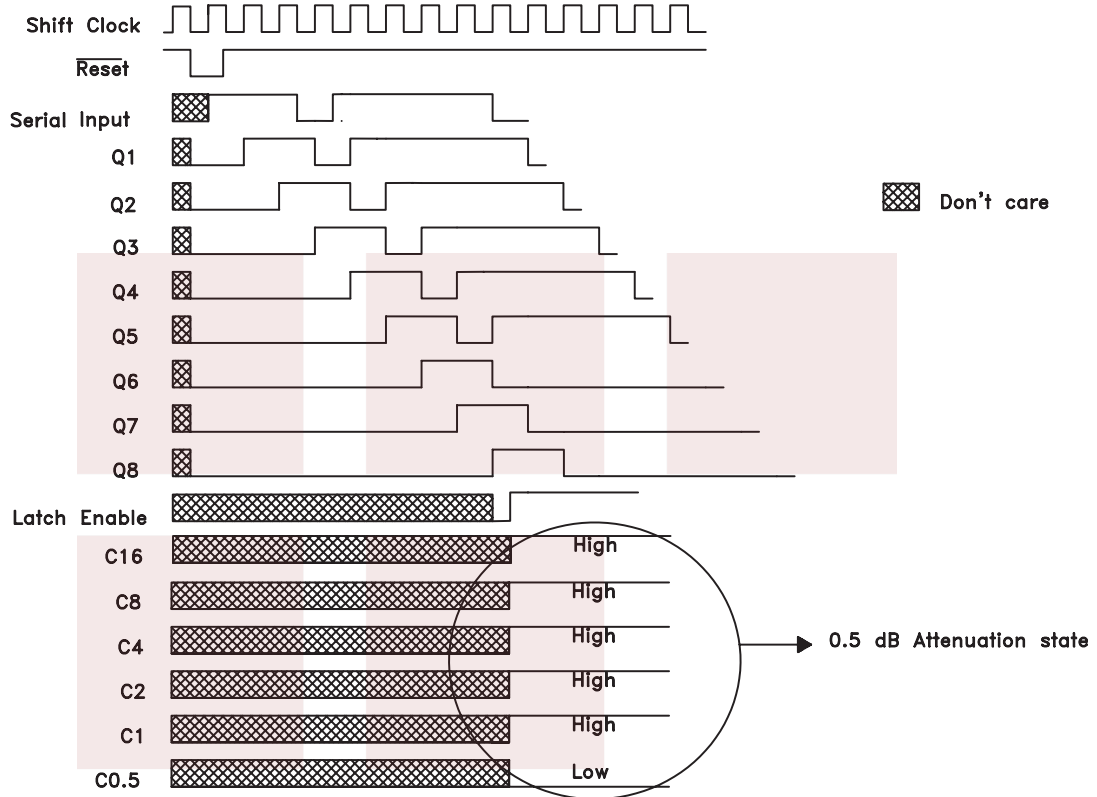
Description	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Units
Serial Input Setup Time	ts	20	-	ns
Hold Time from Serial Input to Shift Clock	th	0	-	ns
Setup Time from Shift Clock to Latch Enable	tlsup	40	-	ns
Propagation Delay, Latch Enable to C0.5 to C8	tpd	-	30	ns
Setup Time from Reset to Shift Clock	-	20	-	ns
Clock Frequency (1/tclk)	fclk	-	30	MHz

**Timing Diagram**

Serial data is shifted in on the rising edge of the Shift Clock, LSB first, and is latched on the rising edge of Latch Enable.



**Programming Example to Select 0.5 dB Attenuation State**

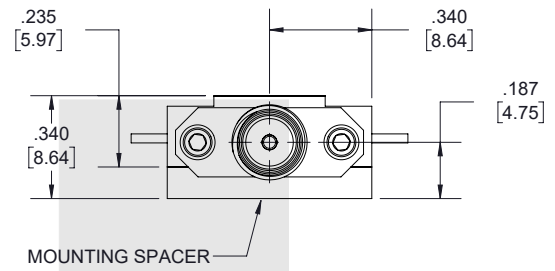
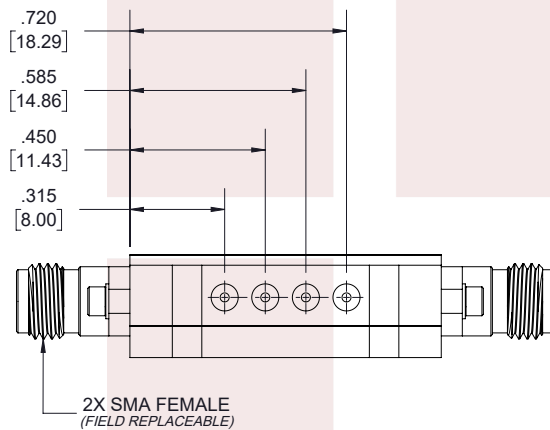
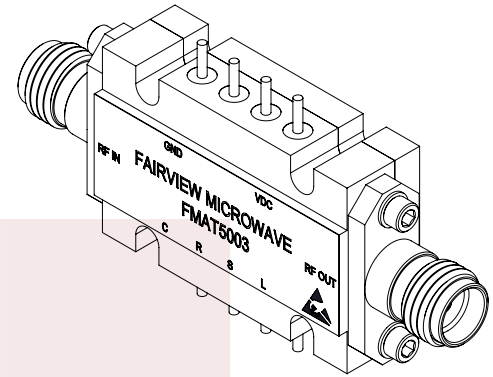
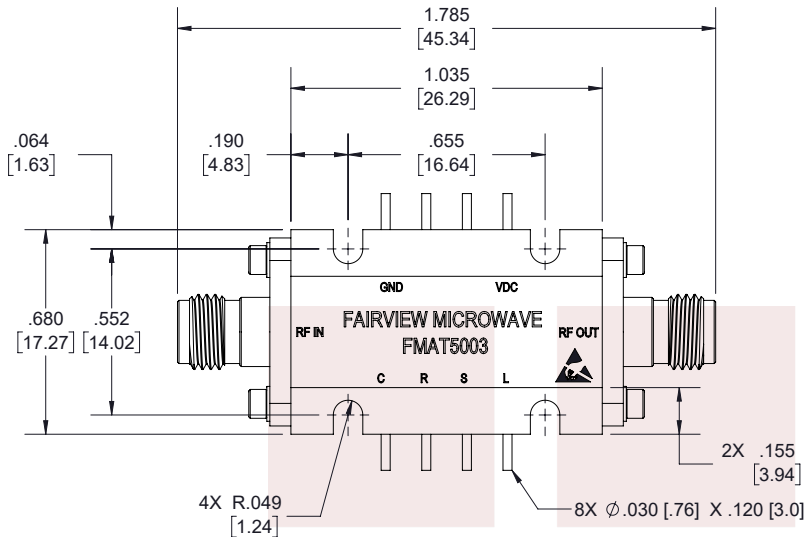


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**STANDARD TOLERANCES**

- .X ±0.2
- .XX ±0.01
- .XXX ±0.005

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**Pin Description**

Pin Number	Function	Description	Interface Schematic
1	RF1	This pin is DC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms. Blocking capacitors are required if RF line potential is not equal to 0 Vdc.	
2	C	Shift Clock	
3	R	Reset	
4	S	Serial Input	
5	L	Latch Enable	
6	RF2	This pin is DC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms. Blocking capacitors are required if RF line potential is not equal to 0 Vdc.	
7	Vdc	Supply voltage: -5 Vdc ±10%. (Internal diode for reverse bias protection)	
8	GND	Power Supply Ground	

**Serial Input Truth Table**

Latch Enable	Shift Clock	Reset	Function
X	X	L	Shift register cleared
X	↑	H	Shift register clocked
↑	X	H	Contents of shift register transferred to Digital Attenuator

**Truth Table**

Serial Control Input						Attenuation Settings RF1 - RF2
C0.5	C1	C2	C4	C8	C16	
H	H	H	H	H	H	Reference I.L.
L	H	H	H	H	H	0.5 dB
H	L	H	H	H	H	1 dB
H	H	L	H	H	H	2 dB
H	H	H	L	H	H	4 dB
H	H	H	H	L	H	8 dB
H	H	H	H	H	L	16 dB
L	L	L	L	L	L	31.5 dB

Any combination of the above states will provide an attenuation approximately equal to the sum of the bits selected.

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