

# Precision Fixed Attenuator

BW-N8W5+

50Ω 5W 8 dB

DC to 18000 MHz

**Maximum Ratings**

Operating Temperature -55°C to 100°C

Storage Temperature -55°C to 100°C\*\*

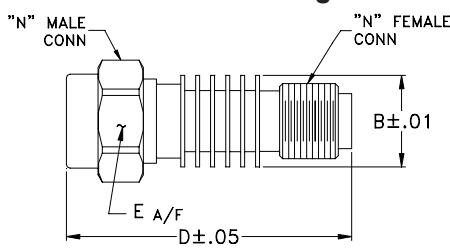
\*\*With mated connectors. Unmated, 85°C max.

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.



CASE STYLE: DC736

Connectors	Model	Price	Qty.
N-Female N-Male	BW-N8W5+	\$54.95 ea.	(1-49)

**Outline Drawing****Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)**

B	D	E	wt
.61	1.90	.812	grams
15.49	48.26	20.62	49.7

**Features**

- DC to 18000 MHz
- precise attenuation
- excellent VSWR, 1.20 typ
- stainless steel N male and female connectors

**Applications**

- matching
- instrumentation
- test set-ups

**+RoHS Compliant**

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

**Electrical Specifications**

FREQ. RANGE (MHz)	ATTENUATION <sup>1</sup> (dB)		VSWR <sup>2</sup> (:1)		MAX. INPUT POWER <sup>3</sup> (W)		
	f <sub>L</sub> -f <sub>U</sub>	Nom.	DC-4 GHz	4-8 GHz			
DC-18000		8	±0.60	1.20	1.25	1.30	5

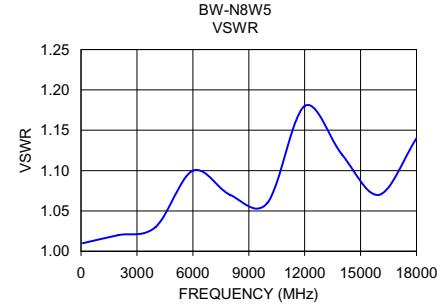
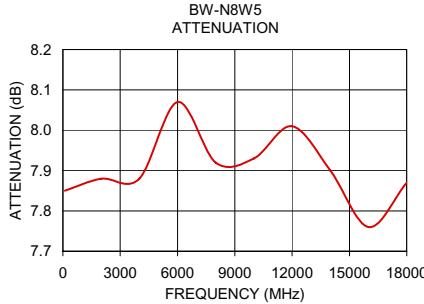
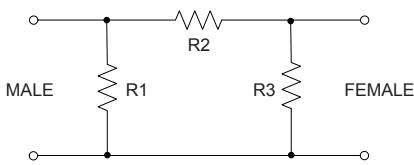
1. At 25°C, accuracy includes frequency and power variations. Temperature coefficient for attenuation: .0004dB/dB/°C typ.

2. VSWR from 12.4 to 18 GHz, 1.6:1 typ.

3. Average power at 25°C ambient, derate linearly to 2W at 100°C. Peak Power 125W max. 5μsec. pulse width, 100 Hz PRF.

**Typical Performance Data**

Frequency (MHz)	Attenuation (dB)	VSWR (:1)
100	7.85	1.01
2000	7.88	1.02
4000	7.88	1.03
6000	8.07	1.10
8000	7.92	1.07
10000	7.93	1.06
12000	8.01	1.18
14000	7.90	1.12
16000	7.76	1.07
18000	7.87	1.14

**Electrical Schematic****Notes**

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