

12 dB Fixed Attenuator, N Male to N Female Black Anodized Aluminum Heatsink Body Rated to 5 Watts Up to 6 GHz



PE7AP006-12

Features

- DC to 6 GHz Frequency Range
- Attenuation 12 ±1 dB
- Max Power 5 Watts (CW)
- VSWR < 1.25:1

Applications

- Instrumentation
- Precision measurements
- Prototyping and characterization
- Production systems

Description

Pasternack carries a wide range of fixed attenuators with a broad selection of attenuation levels, frequency ranges, and power dissipation ranges. RF microwave attenuators (also known as RF pads) lower the amplitude of a signal (attenuate) a known amount and can be used in a wide variety of applications. These attenuator pads are used when a signal needs to be reduced to protect measurement equipment or other circuitry, to extend the range of power meters and amplifiers, and to impedance match 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 Pasternack carries one of the largest in-stock varieties and ships them same day. The 12 dB Fixed Attenuator PE7AP006-12 is rated to 5 Watts and operates from DC to 6 GHz. 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	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Frequency Range	DC		6	GHz
Impedance		50		Ohms
Nominal Attenuation		12		dB
Attenuation Accuracy		1		dB
VSWR			1.25:1	
Input Power, CW			5	Watts
derated linearly to 0.5W at +125°C				
Input Power, Peak			500	Watts
5µs pulse, 0.25% duty cycle				

Mechanical Specifications

Size

Length	2.15 in [54.61 mm]
Width/Diameter	0.86 in [21.84 mm]
Height	0 in [0 mm]
Weight	0.138 lbs [62.6 g]
Body Material and Plating	Black Anodized Aluminum Heatsink

Configuration

Design	Fixed
Package Style	Connectorized Module

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Connectors

Description	Connector 1	Connector 2
Type	N Male	N Female
Contact Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold	Beryllium Copper, Gold
Contact Plating Specification	MIL-PRF-39012	MIL-PRF-39012
Dielectric Type	Teflon	Teflon
Body Material and Plating	Passivated Stainless Steel	Passivated Stainless Steel

Mechanical Specification Notes:
Materials and finishes comply with MIL-DTL-3933 and MIL-PRF-39012.

Environmental Specifications

Temperature
Operating Range -65 to +125 deg C

Environmental Specification Notes:
Designed to meet environmental requirements of MIL-DTL-3933.

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

Plotted and Other Data

Notes:

Typical Performance Data

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PE7AP006-12 CAD Drawing

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