

Agilent 87300B,C,D and 87301B,C,D,E Directional Couplers 87310B Hybrid Coupler

Product Overview



Features and Description

- Compact size
- Broadband up to 50 GHz
- Excellent performance

The Agilent Technologies 87300 series of compact, broadband directional/ sampling and hybrid couplers are well suited for signal monitoring or, when combined with a coaxial detector, signal leveling. See page 2 for the wide range of product offerings.

Product Applications

These compact, broadband directional couplers are important components for many microwave measurement systems. Although most modern signal generators and sweepers supply signals whose power levels are stable with respect to frequency, variations in signal level are introduced due to the cable losses (which increase with frequency) and the frequency response of other components in the signal path. Inserting a directional coupler into the system with a suitable microwave detector to supply feedback to the ALC circuit of a signal generator or sweeper provides a leveled signal at a particular point in the system (Figure 1).

Agilent 8474B,C,E detectors offer excellent broad-band frequency response and low SWR for this application. Other applications include power monitoring with an 848X series power sensor connected to the sampling port. Connect the sampled signal port to a microwave counter to monitor frequency or to a signal analyzer for frequency spectrum monitoring (Figure 2).

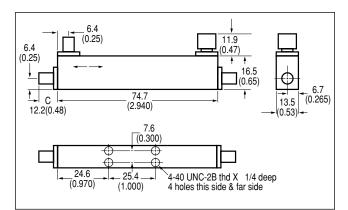


Product Specifications

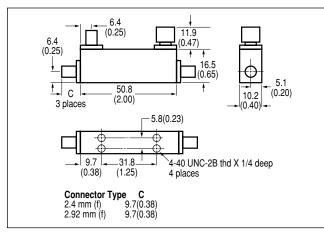
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Frequency range (GHz)	1 to 20 GHz	1 to 26.5 GHz	6 to 26.5 GHz	
Nominal coupling and variation (with respect to output)	10 ±0.5 dB	10 ±1 dB	10 ±0.5 dB	
Frequency sensitivity	±0.35 dB, 1 to 20 GHz	±0.5 dB, 1 to 26.5 GHz	±0.3 dB	
Directivity	>16 dB	>14 dB, 1 to 12.4 GHz >12 dB, 12.4 to 26.5 GHz	>13 dB	
Maximum SWR	1.35	1.35, 1 to 12.4 GHz 1.50, 12.4 to 26.5 GHz	1.40	
Insertion loss	<1.5 dB	<1.2 dB, 1 to 12.4 GHz <1.7 dB, 12.4 to 26.5 GHz	< 1.3 dB	
Typical insertion loss (dB, f = freq. in GHz)	0.6+0.04f	0.6+0.04f	.6 + 0.025f	
Power rating Average Peak	20 W 3 kW	20 W 3 kW	20 W 3 kW	
Connectors	SMA (f)	3.5 mm (f)	3.5 mm (f)	
Weight in grams (oz)	74 (2.6)	60 (2.1)	31.2 (1.1)	
Model	87301B	87301C	87301D	87301E
Frequency range (GHz)	10 to 46 GHz	10 to 50 GHz	1 to 40 GHz	2 to 50 GHz
Nominal coupling and variation (with respect to output)	10 ±0.7 dB	10 ±0.7 dB	13 ±1 dB	10 ±1 dB
Frequency sensitivity	±0.3 dB	±0.5 dB	±1.2 dB, 1 to 40 GHz	±0.6 dB, 2 to 26.5 GHz ±0.8 dB, 2 to 50 GHz
Directivity	>10 dB	>10 dB	>14 dB, 1 to 20 GHz >10 dB, 20 to 40 GHz	>13 dB, 2 to 26.5 GHz >10 dB, 26.5 to 50 GHz
Maximum SWR	1.80	1.80	1.5, 1 to 20 GHz 1.7, 20 to 40 GHz	1.5, 2 to 26.5 GHz 1.8, 26.5 to 50 GHz
Insertion loss	<1.9 dB	<1.9 dB	<1.2 dB, 1 to 20 GHz <1.9 dB, 20 to 40 GHz	<2 dB
Typical insertion loss	.8+0.022f	.8+0.022f	0.4 + 0.035f	0.55 + 0.025f
Power rating Average Peak	20 W 3 kW	20 W 3 kW	20 W 3 kW	20 W 3 kW
Connectors	2.92 mm (f)	2.4 mm (f)	2.4 mm (f) or 2.92 mm (f) for Option 292	2.4 mm (f)
Weight in grams (oz)	28.4 (1)	28.4 (1)	37 (1.3)	34 (1.2)

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Frequency range	1 to 18 GHz
Coupling	3 dB
Amplitude imbalance	$\pm 0.5~\text{dB}$ at each port, centered at –3 dB
Phase imbalance	±10 Degrees
Isolation	>17 dB
Maximum SWR	1.35
Insertion loss	<2 dB
Power rating Average Peak	20 W 3 kW
Connectors	SMA (f)
Weight in grams (oz)	148 (5.2)

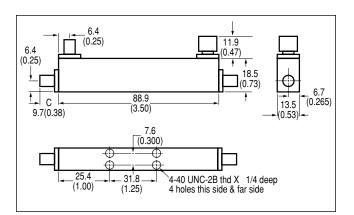




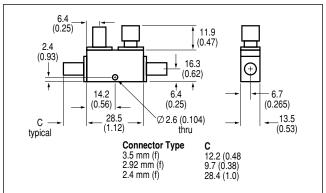


87301 D,E

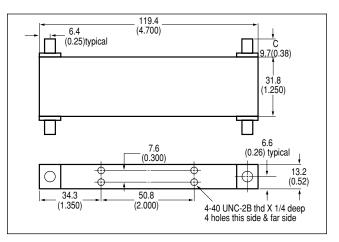
Dimensions are in millimeters (inches) nominal unless otherwise specified







87300D, 87301B, 87301C





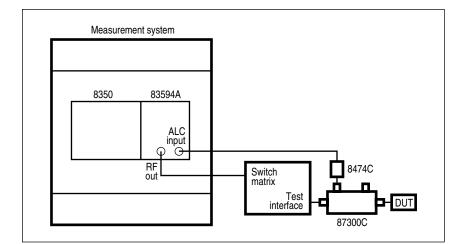


Figure 1

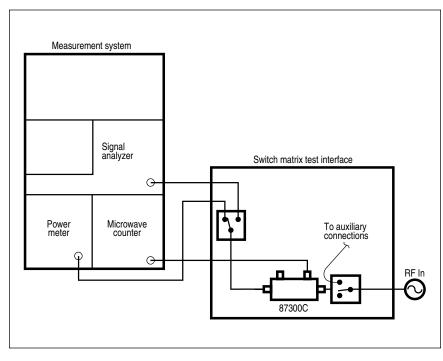


Figure 2

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