

20 dB Fixed Attenuator, 4.3-10 Male to 4.3-10 Female Aluminum Body Rated to 15 Watts Up to 6 GHz

# **RF Fixed Attenuators Technical Data Sheet**

# Features

- Bidirectional
- DC to 6 GHz Frequency Range
- Attenuation 20 dB ± 0.3 dB

# Applications

- Instrumentation
- Precision measurements

- Max Power 15 Watts (CW)
- VSWR < 1.15:1</li>
- 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 20 dB Fixed Attenuator PE7AP1001-20 is rated to 15 Watts and operates from DC to 6 GHz. The versatile coaxial package uses 4.3-10 male to 4.3-10 female connectors and is also REACH and RoHS compliant.

## **Electrical Specifications**

Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Frequency Range	DC		6	GHz
Impedance		50		Ohms
Nominal Attenuation		20		dB
Attenuation Accuracy			±0.5	dB
VSWR			1.15:1	
Input Power, CW			15	Watts
Input Power, Peak 1 μs, 1%			250	Watts

## **Mechanical Specifications**

Size	
Body Material and	Plating
Finish	

Aluminum Anodized

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#### **Configuration** Design Package Style

Fixed

Connectorized

#### Connectors

Description	Connector 1	Connector 2
Туре	4.3-10 Male	4.3-10 Female
Contact Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold over Nickel	Beryllium Copper, Gold over Nickel
Dielectric Type	PTFE	PTFE
Outer Conductor Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Silver	Beryllium Copper, Silver
Body Material and Plating	Brass, Nickel	Brass, Nickel

# **Environmental Specifications**

Temperature	
Operating Range	-40 to +85 deg C
Storage Range	-40 to +85 deg C
Ingress Protection (IP) Rating	IP67

# Compliance Certifications (see product page for current document)

## **Plotted and Other Data**

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Power derating Vs. temperature 100 90 80 Power (%) 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 -7.5 25 -40 55 85 **Temperature (°C)** 

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PE7AP1001-20 CAD Drawing

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