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0.26mm Motion *et*MEMSTM Free Space Attenuator Chip

(Protected by US patents pending)

Product Description

The *etMEMS*TM series of free space variable optic attenuator (FS-VOA) is based on a proprietary patent pending micro-electromechanical mechanism featuring exceptionally compact size with large shutter movement, simple construction, and direct drive. The *etMEMS*TM series of FS-VOA is designed to completely block a collimated light beam <= 260 μ m in diameter and be operated in air without the need for hermetic seal and is fully compliant with the Telcordia 1209 and 1221 reliability standards. The device is ideally suited to be integrated into laser and coherent detection systems.

The different movement FS-VOA chip up to 700um is available, please contact us.

FS Series VOA/Shutter	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	
Attenuation Resolution		Continuous		-	
Shutter Movement		260		μm	
Response Time		20	60	ms	
Optical Power Handling		400		mW	
Driving Voltage ^[1]		3.5	4	٧	
Device Resistance		60 ^[2]	95	Ohm	
Power Consumption		190	210	mW	
Resonant Frequency	1000			Hz	
Operating Temperature	-5		75	°C	
Storage Temperature	-40		85	°C	
Reliability	Telcordia 1209 and 1221				
Package Dimension	See drawing				

Performance Specifications

Notes:

[1]. For full dynamic range.

[2]. At voltage 3.5V.

Features

- Compact
- High Reliability
- Low IL, PDL, WDL & TDL
- Intrinsic tolerance to ESD

Applications

- Power Control
- Power Regulate
- Channel Balance
- Instrumentation

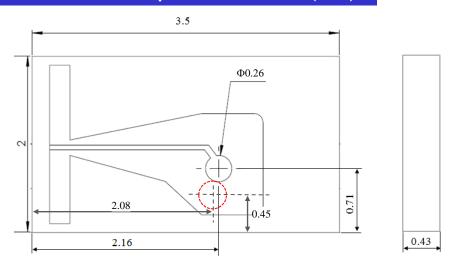


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Mechanical Footprint Dimensions (mm)

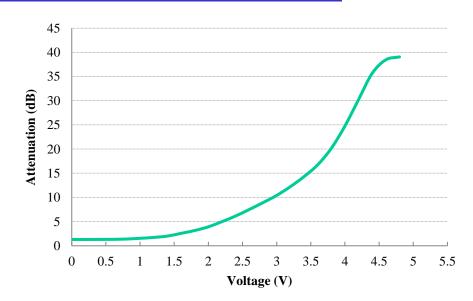


NOTES

The red dash-line represents the shutter position under ~3.5V.

*Product dimensions may change without notice. This is sometimes required for non-standard specifications.

VOA Performance





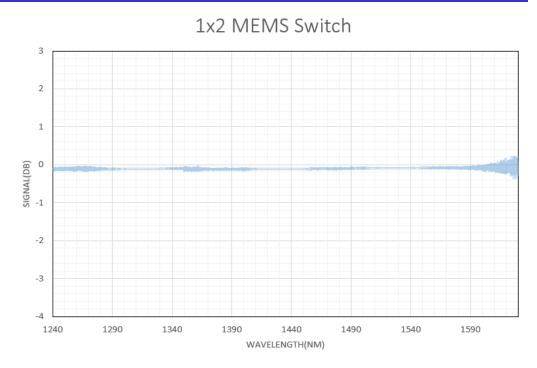
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Typical Insertion Loss vs Wavelength (1240-1630nm)





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Electronic Driving Instruction

NOTES

- Electrode pads on front surface are for control voltage without polarity.
- Do not apply more than 5V.

Ordering Information

P/N: FSVOA-26111010C (New standard) FSVOA-261110101-C (Old)

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Prefix	Shutter size	Wavelength	VOA Type	Shutter Surface	Chip Package	Chip Design	Electric connection	
FSVOA-	Ø260um = 26 ^[1]	Broadband = 1	Standard = 1 Special = 0	Gold = 1	Bare = 2 Surmount = 1 ^[2] Special = 0	Standard = 1 Special = 0	No PIN = 0	



[1]. Different shutter size is available, please check another size FS-VOA chip datasheet.

[2]. Flying wires type; two leads are provided

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