# Broadband Slope Equalizer ZEQ-11-24K+

 $50\Omega$ DC to 20 GHz

## The Big Deal

- Internally matched to 50 Ohm
- Minimal slope deviation of ±0.4 dB typical
- Small form-factor 0.80 x 0.56 inches
- Power handling of 1W



CASE STYLE: RA2937

## **Product Overview**

Mini-Circuits' ZEQ-11-24K+ is a broadband, connectorized negative slope equalizer, with a slope of 10.8 dB typ. over the range of DC to 20 GHz. The model is bi-directional and offers excellent electrical performance in applications where frequency dependent losses due to skin-depth (positive gain slope) hinders the overall system performance. The small form factor model comes with complementary connectors to avoid use of any additional adapters and operates over a wide temperature range of -55\*C to +105\*C.

# **Key Features**

| Feature                                    | Advantages   |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| Minimal slope deviation of +/- 0.4 dB typ. | Provides low signal distortion over the broadband range from DC – 20 GHz                                     |  |  |
| Good 50 Ohm match over broadband           | Model offers good return loss of 15 dB typ. over entire band, minimizing signal distortion.                  |  |  |
| Small form factor                          | Model is offered in a small case size of 0.80" x 0.56" providing advantages in densely clustered systems.    |  |  |
| Wide operating temperature                 | The device operates over a wide temperature range of -55*C to +105*C with slope deviation of +/- 0.4 dB typ. |  |  |

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# **ZEQ-11-24K+**

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**Maximum Ratings** 

| Operating Temperature | -55°C to 105°C |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Storage Temperature   | -65°C to 150°C |
| Input power*          | +30 dBm        |

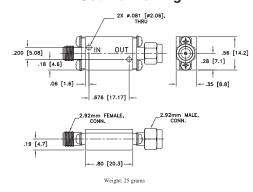
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded. \*Max. RF power rating is the same in either directions.

Derate to 27 dBm at 105°C

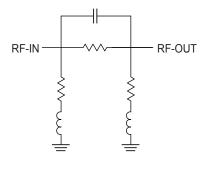
#### **Coaxial Connections**

| Input 2.92 mm Fem |              |  |
|-------------------|--------------|--|
| Output            | 2.92 mm Male |  |

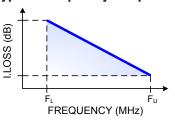
### **Outline Drawing**



### **Simplified Functional Schematic**



#### **Typical Frequency Response**



#### **Features**

- Negative slope of 10.8 dB typ. (other slope values available)
- Wideband operation, DC 20 GHz
- Minimal slope variation, +/- 0.4 dB typ.
- Small form factor 0.80" x 0.56"

#### **Applications**

- Amplifier Gain slope compensation
- Cable loss compensation

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| Connectors      | Model       |  |  |
|-----------------|-------------|--|--|
| 2.92mm (K-type) | ZEQ-11-24K+ |  |  |

#### +RoHS Compliant

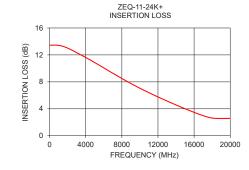
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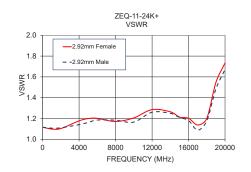
#### Electrical Specifications at 25°C

| Parameter       | Condition | Min. | Тур.  | Max. | Units |
|-----------------|-----------|------|-------|------|-------|
| Frequency Range |           | DC   |       | 20   | GHz   |
| Insertion Loss  | 0.01      |      | 13.45 |      |       |
|                 | 1.00      |      | 13.45 |      |       |
|                 | 5.00      |      | 10.90 |      | dB    |
|                 | 10.00     |      | 7.10  |      |       |
|                 | 18.00     |      | 2.70  |      |       |
|                 | 20.00     |      | 2.60  |      |       |
| VSWR            | DC-18     |      | 1.3   |      | .1    |
|                 | 18-20     |      | 1.6   |      | :1    |

## Typical Performance Data at 25°C

| Frequency<br>(MHz) | Insertion Loss<br>(dB) | VSWR              |                 |  |
|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--|
|                    |                        | Female<br>2.92 mm | Male<br>2.92 mm |  |
| 10                 | 13.44                  | 1.12              | 1.12            |  |
| 1000               | 13.42                  | 1.10              | 1.11            |  |
| 2000               | 13.01                  | 1.10              | 1.11            |  |
| 4000               | 11.62                  | 1.18              | 1.14            |  |
| 5000               | 10.86                  | 1.20              | 1.16            |  |
| 6000               | 10.08                  | 1.20              | 1.19            |  |
| 8000               | 8.50                   | 1.17              | 1.18            |  |
| 10000              | 7.05                   | 1.21              | 1.17            |  |
| 12000              | 5.76                   | 1.29              | 1.26            |  |
| 14000              | 4.57                   | 1.26              | 1.25            |  |
| 15000              | 4.00                   | 1.21              | 1.21            |  |
| 16000              | 3.47                   | 1.20              | 1.18            |  |
| 17000              | 2.98                   | 1.14              | 1.09            |  |
| 18000              | 2.62                   | 1.20              | 1.18            |  |
| 19000              | 2.56                   | 1.55              | 1.48            |  |
| 20000              | 2.58                   | 1.73              | 1.67            |  |





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