

Product Overview

The **RFSW30** is the general-purpose single-pole, double throw (SPDT) switch. It comes in a compact connectorized housing and provides high isolation and low insertion loss from 10 kHz to 30 GHz. High input linearity 1 dB power compression (P1dB): 28 dBm typical Third-order intercept (IP3): 52 dBm typical



Features

- Ultrawideband frequency range: 9 kHz to 30 GHz
- Nonreflective 50 Ω design
- Low insertion loss: 3.0 dB to 30 GHz
- High isolation: 60 dB to 30 GHz
- High power handling: 24 dBm through path, 24 dBm terminated path
- Single power supply 6-20 V

Applications

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PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions/Comments	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
FREQUENCY RANGE			0.009		30,000	MHz
INSERTION LOSS Between RFC and RF1/RF2		9 kHz to 10 GHz		2		dB
ISOLATION Between RFC and RF1/RF2		10 GHz to 20 GHz		2.5		dB
		20 GHz to 30 GHz		3.0		dB
		9 kHz to 10 GHz		65		dB
		10 GHz to 20 GHz		60		dB
		20 GHz to 30 GHz		60		dB
		9 kHz to 10 GHz		70		dB
Between RF1 and RF2		10 GHz to 20 GHz		65		dB
		20 GHz to 30 GHz		60		dB
		9 kHz to 10 GHz		70		dB
RETURN LOSS RFC and RF1/RF2 (On)		9 kHz to 10 GHz		23		dB
RF1/RF2 (Off)		10 GHz to 20 GHz		17		dB
		20 GHz to 30 GHz		13		dB
		9 kHz to 10 GHz		30		dB
		10 GHz to 20 GHz		18		dB
		20 GHz to 30 GHz		8		dB

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SWITCHING						
Rise and Fall Time	tRISE, tFALL	10% to 90% of RF output	1.0			μs
On and Off Time	tON, tOFF	50% VCTL to 90% of RF output	1.1			μs
RF Settling Time						
0.1 dB		50% VCTL to 0.1 dB of final RF output	6.2			μs
0.05 dB		50% VCTL to 0.05 dB of final RF output	10			μs
INPUT LINEARITY1		1 MHz to 30 GHz				
Power Compression						
0.1 dB	P0.1dB		27			dBm
1 dB	P1dB		28			dBm
Third-Order Intercept	IP3	Two-tone input power = 14 dBm each tone, $\Delta f = 1$ MHz	52			dBm
DIGITAL CONTROL INPUTS						
Voltage	CTRL SMA					
Low	VinL	Vdd = 5 V	0.9			V
High	VinH	Vdd = 5 V	1.7	5.0		V
OPERATING CONDITIONS						
Supply Voltage	Vdd		5			V
Supply Current	Idd		100	600		
RF Input Power						
Through Path	PIN	f = 1 MHz to 30 GHz, TCASE = 85°C RF signal is applied to RFC or through connected RF1/RF2				
Terminated Path		RF signal is applied to terminated RF1/RF2	24			dBm
Hot Switching		RF signal is present at RFC while switching	24			dBm

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

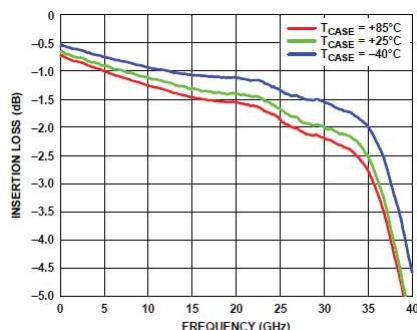


Figure 8. Insertion Loss Between RFC and RF1/RF2 vs. Frequency over

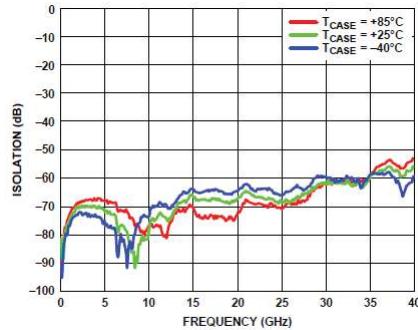


Figure 1. Isolation Between RF1 and RF2 vs. Frequency over

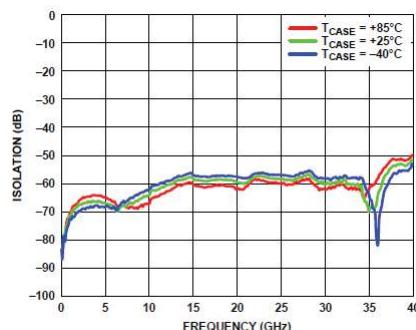


Figure 9. Isolation Between RFC and RF1/RF2 vs. Frequency over

**The switch is bidirectional; the RF input signal can be applied to the RFC port while the RF throw port (RF1 or RF2) is output or vice versa.

Mechanical Enclosure Dimensions

