

**SP8T Latching DC to 18 GHz Terminated Electro-Mechanical Relay Switch, Indicators, Reset, up to 240W, 28V, SMA**

The SEMS-4078-SP8T-SMA is an SP8T Terminated Electromechanical Relay Switch that operates over a wide frequency band from DC to 18GHz with up to 240 Watts of input power (CW) handling capability. Rated for 2M life cycles for high reliability operation, this design uses a Latching Actuator with a break before make configuration, terminations, position indicator, and reset circuitry. The switch exhibits exceptional electrical performance specified from 0.2 dB max for insertion loss and from 80 dB min for isolation, and guaranteed over -40°C to +85°C. The assembly requires an operating voltage of +28Vdc and is certified as RoHS and REACH compliant. External connectors include solder terminals and SMA female connectors.

**Electrical Specifications**

Switch Type	SP8T, Terminated
Actuator Type	Latching
Switching Sequence	Break before Make
Actuator Options	Indicators, Reset
Polarity	Positive Common
Indicator Rating	1 Watts / 30 Volts / 100 mA
Reset Current	1,000 mA

Description	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Frequency Range	DC		18	GHz
Impedance		50		Ohms
Operating Voltage	24	28	30	Volts
Actuating Current @ 28 Volts		125		mA
VSWR			1.6:1	
Insertion Loss			0.6	dB
Isolation	60			dB
Input Power (CW)			100	Watts
Termination Input Power (CW)			1	Watts
Switching Time			15	ms

**Performance by Frequency**

Description	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	Units
Frequency Range	DC - 3	3 - 8	8 - 12.4	12.4 - 16	16 - 18	GHz
VSWR, Max	1.2:1	1.3:1	1.4:1	1.5:1	1.6:1	
Insertion Loss, Max	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.55	0.6	dB
Isolation, Min	80	70	60	60	60	dB
Power In, Max (CW)	240	150	120	110	100	Watts

**Electrical Specification Notes:**

Average Power and Actuating Current values at 25°C.  
Termination Average Power: 1W per termination / 3W total power.  
Reset: supply voltage time 1 sec max/10% duty cycle.



**Features:**

- Single Pole Eight Throw Terminated Relay Switch
- DC to 18 GHz Frequency Range
- 2M Cycle Operating Life Min
- 100 Watt Avg Power Max
- -40 to +85 Deg C Operating Temperature
- Insertion Loss 0.6 dB Max
- VSWR 1.6:1 Max

**Applications:**

- General Purpose High Performance Relay Switch
- Military Communications
- Communications Systems
- Test & Measurement

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**Mechanical Specifications**

**Size**

Length	1.97 in [50.04 mm]
Width/Diameter	2.25 in [57.15 mm]
Height	2.25 in [57.15 mm]
Weight	0.5275 lbs [239.27 g]
Package Type	Connectorized
Operating Life	2,000,000 Cycles

**Connectors**

RF Connector Type	SMA Female
RF Connector Specification	MIL C 39012
Control Connector	Solder Pin

Mechanical Specification Notes:  
 Solder Pins: 250°C max/30sec.

**Environmental Specifications**

**Temperature**

Operating Range	-40 to +85 deg C
Storage Range	-55 to +85 deg C

Construction	Splashproof
Humidity	MIL-DTE-3928E, Cond.B
Shock	MIL-STD-202, Method 213B, Cond.C
Vibration	MIL-STD-202, Method 204D, Cond.D

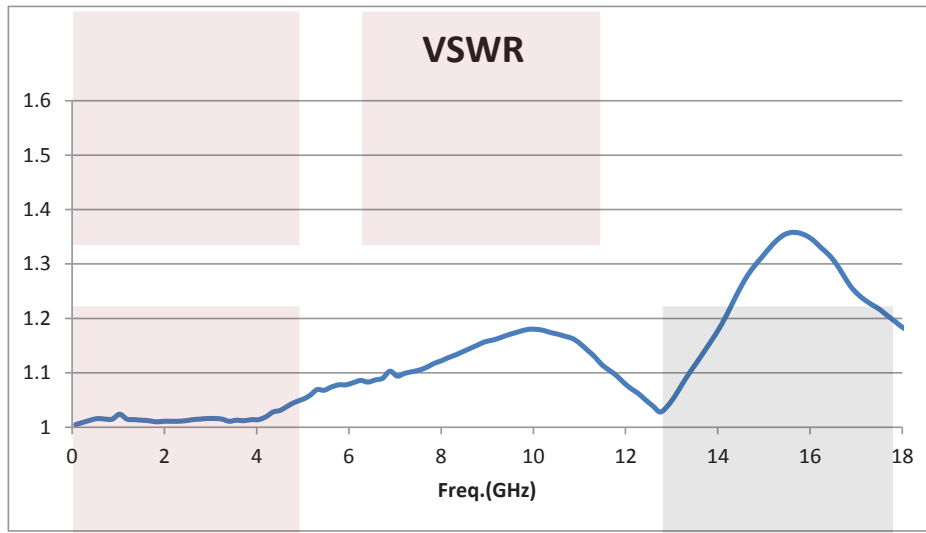
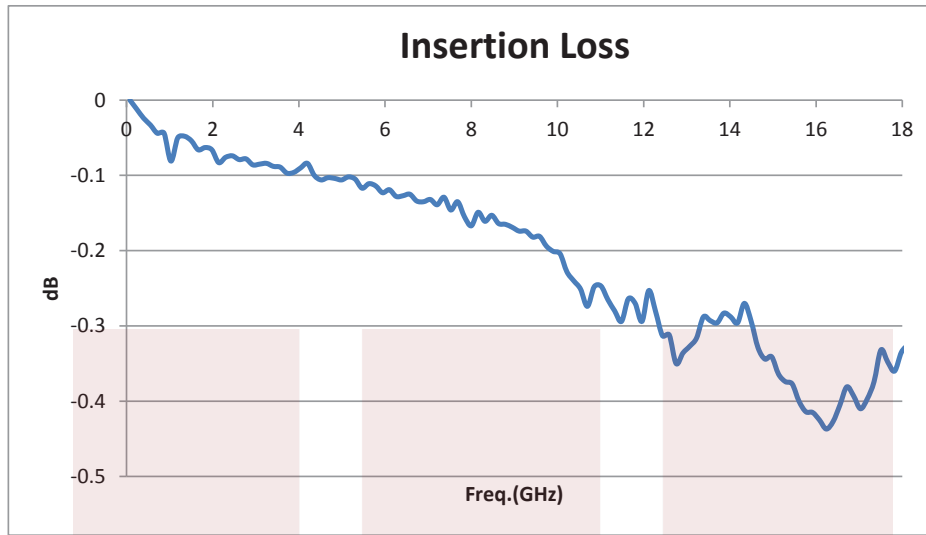
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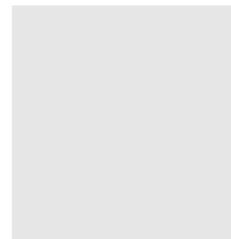
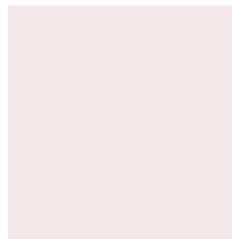
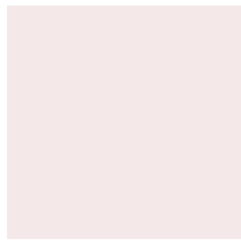
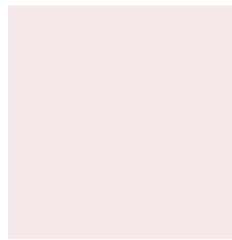
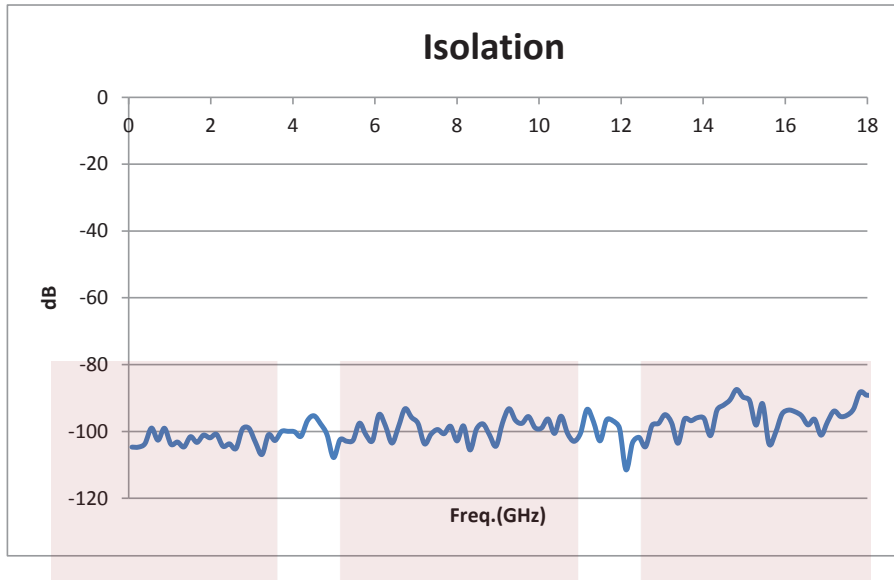
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**Plotted and Other Data**

- Notes:
- Values shown are typical at 25°C.

**Typical Performance Data**





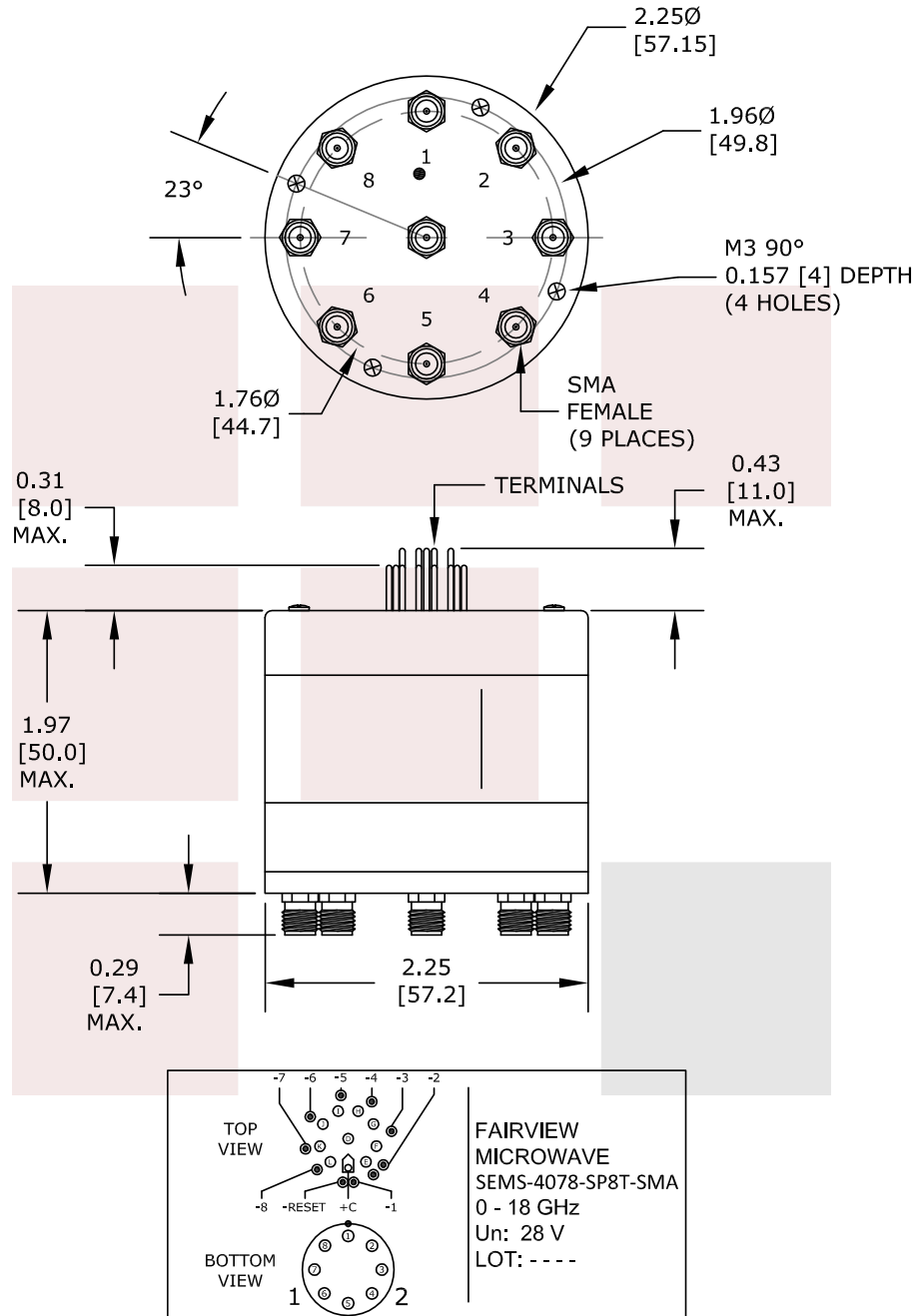
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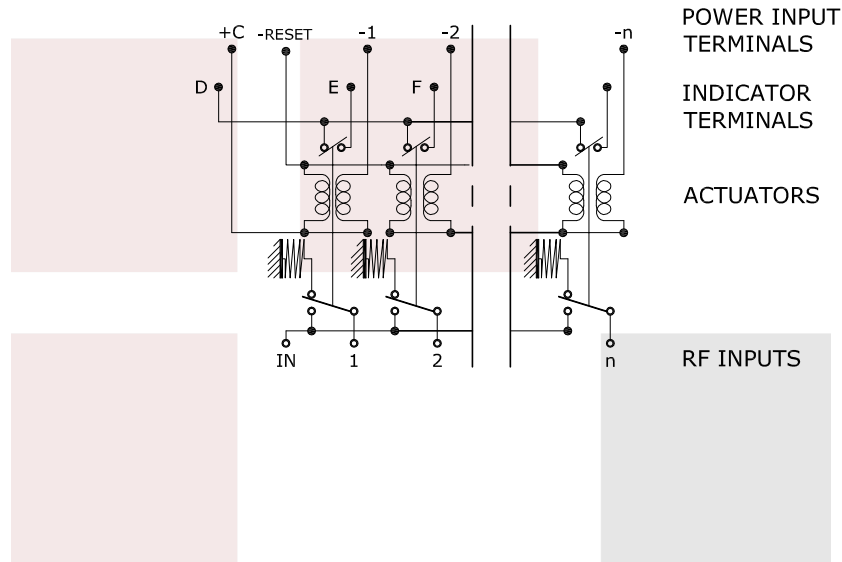




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			SIZE	A
				150

Voltage	RF Continuity	Ind.
+ C - RESET	ALL PORTS OPEN	- -
+ C - 1	IN ↔ 1	D.E
+ C - 2	IN ↔ 2	D.F
+ C - 3	IN ↔ 3	D.G
+ C - 4	IN ↔ 4	D.H
+ C - 5	IN ↔ 5	D.I
+ C - 6	IN ↔ 6	D.J
+ C - 7	IN ↔ 7	D.K
+ C - 8	IN ↔ 8	D.L

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



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