

Elite 0.6 - 20 GHz Directional Coupler

CE20-OR620T

1 Device Overview

1.1 General Description

The CE20-OR620T is a next generation broadband 600 MHz to 20GHz, 20dB directional coupler from the Marki Elite Series. Conductive paint is applied to all Elite Series products to reduce EMI/RFI leakage and susceptibility. The CE20-OR620T offers the best directivity, return loss, and coupling accuracy available on the market. Available as a three port directional coupler with included 50 Ω termination on the isolated port, the CE20-OR620T is an exceptional choice for broadband return loss measurements, power leveling, and signal monitoring applications. Sophisticated neural network design techniques combined with deep circuit knowledge and triplate stripline construction allow the Marki Elite Series of Couplers to provide superior performance to all other directional couplers available.

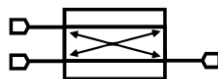


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1.2 Features

- Broadband Performance
- Excellent Coupling Flatness
- High Directivity
- Low VSWR
- Conductive paint minimizes RF leakage
- [CE20-OR620T.S3P](#)
- [Microwave Power Dividers & Couplers App Note](#)

1.3 Functional Block Diagram



1.4 Part Ordering Options¹

| Part Number | Description | Green Status | Product Lifecycle | Export Classification |
|-------------|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| CE20-OR620T | Connectorized module; 50 Ω termination included ² | RoHS | Active | EAR99 |

¹ Refer to our [website](#) for a list of definitions for terminology presented in this table.

² Default configurations has 2.92mm female connectors on all ports. Consult factory for other connector options.

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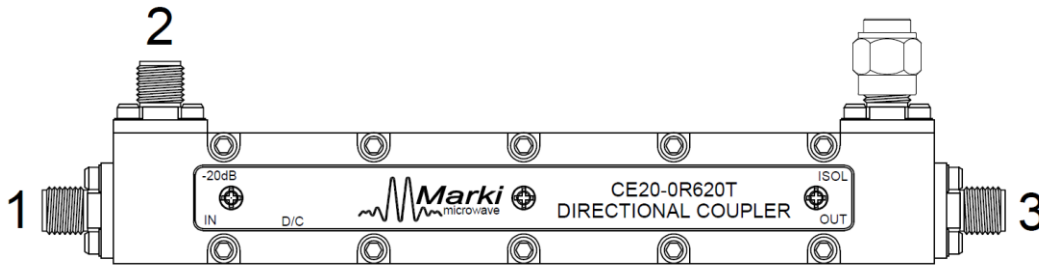
Revision History

| Revision Code | Revision Date | Comment |
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| - | April 2022 | Datasheet Initial Release |

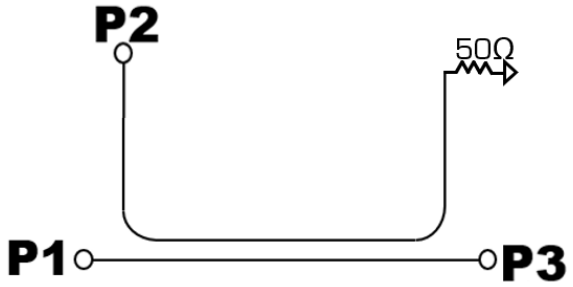
2 Port Configurations and Functions

2.1 Port Diagram

A side view of the CE20-OR620T package outline drawing is shown below. The CE20-OR620T has input and output ports given in Port Functions. The CE20-OR620T can be used in the forward direction by configuring the coupler with the input signal into port 1, using port 2 for coupled port, and port 3 for output port.



2.2 Port Functions

| Port | Function | Description | Equivalent Circuit |
|--------|--|--|--|
| Port 1 | Forward Power Input And Reflected Power Output | The input port is DC short to the output port and open coupled port. |  |
| Port 2 | Coupled | The coupled port is DC open to the input and output ports. | |
| Port 3 | Forward Power Output And Reflected Power Input | The output port is DC short to the input port and open coupled port. | |

3 Specifications

3.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

The Absolute Maximum Ratings indicate limits beyond which damage may occur to the device. If these limits are exceeded, the device may be inoperable or have a reduced lifetime.

| Parameter | Maximum Rating | Units |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-------|
| Power Handling, at any Port | 20 | W |
| Operating Temperature | TBD | °C |
| Storage Temperature | TBD | °C |

3.2 Package Information

| Parameter | Details | Rating |
|-----------|--|--------|
| ESD | Human Body Model (HBM), per MIL-STD-750, Method 1020 | N/A |

3.3 Electrical Specifications

The electrical specifications apply for configuration A at $T_A=+25^{\circ}\text{C}$ in a 50Ω system.

Min and Max limits are guaranteed at $T_A=+25^{\circ}\text{C}$.

| Parameter | Frequency (GHz) | Min | Typ. | Max |
|--|-----------------|------|------------|------------|
| Average Coupling Factor (dB) | 0.6-20 | 19.5 | 20.0 | 20.5 |
| Coupling Loss (dB) ³ | 0.6-20 | .039 | .044 | .049 |
| Direct Line Insertion Loss (dB) | DC-20 | | .55 | 1.1 |
| Excess Insertion Loss (dB) ⁴ | DC-20 | | .50 | 1.0 |
| Amplitude Flatness (dB) ⁵ | 0.6-20 | | ± 15 | ± 40 |
| Maximum Coupling Deviation (dB) | 0.6-20 | | ± 1.00 | ± 2.00 |
| Standard Directivity (dB) | 0.6-20 | 16 | 25 | |
| IL Corrected Directivity (dB) ⁶ | 0.6-20 | 17 | 26 | |
| Pass Band Return Loss (dB) | DC-20 | 20 | 30 | |
| Pass Band VSWR | DC-20 | | 1.07 | 1.22 |
| Impedance (Ω) | | | 50 | |

³ Coupling loss based on average coupling factor – visit our [website](#) to learn more.

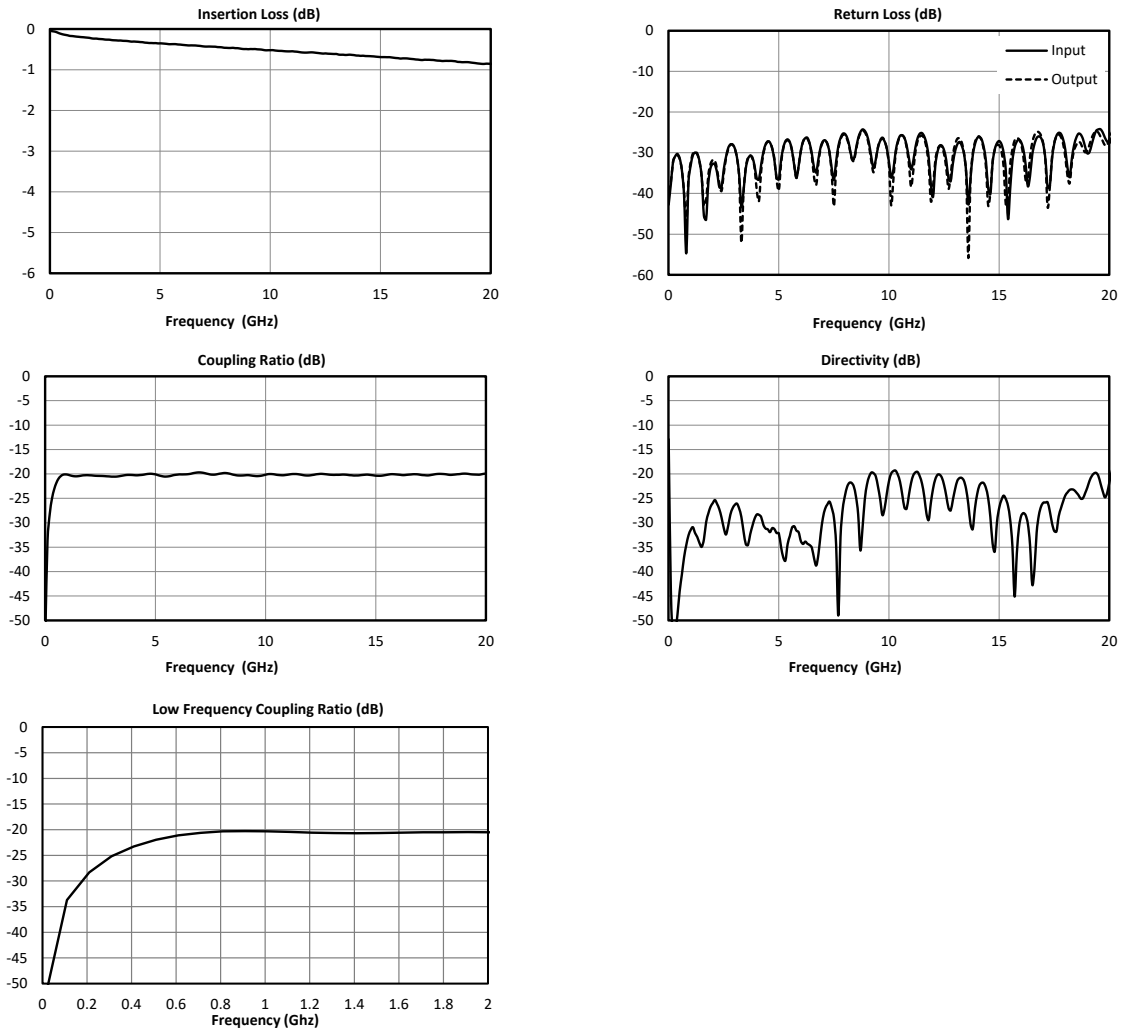
⁴ Excess Insertion Loss = (Input Port to Output Port Insertion Loss) – Coupling Loss.

⁵ Amplitude Flatness = Median value of ABS(Measured Coupling Power – Average Coupling Factor).

⁶ IL Corrected Directivity = Directivity + Insertion Loss.

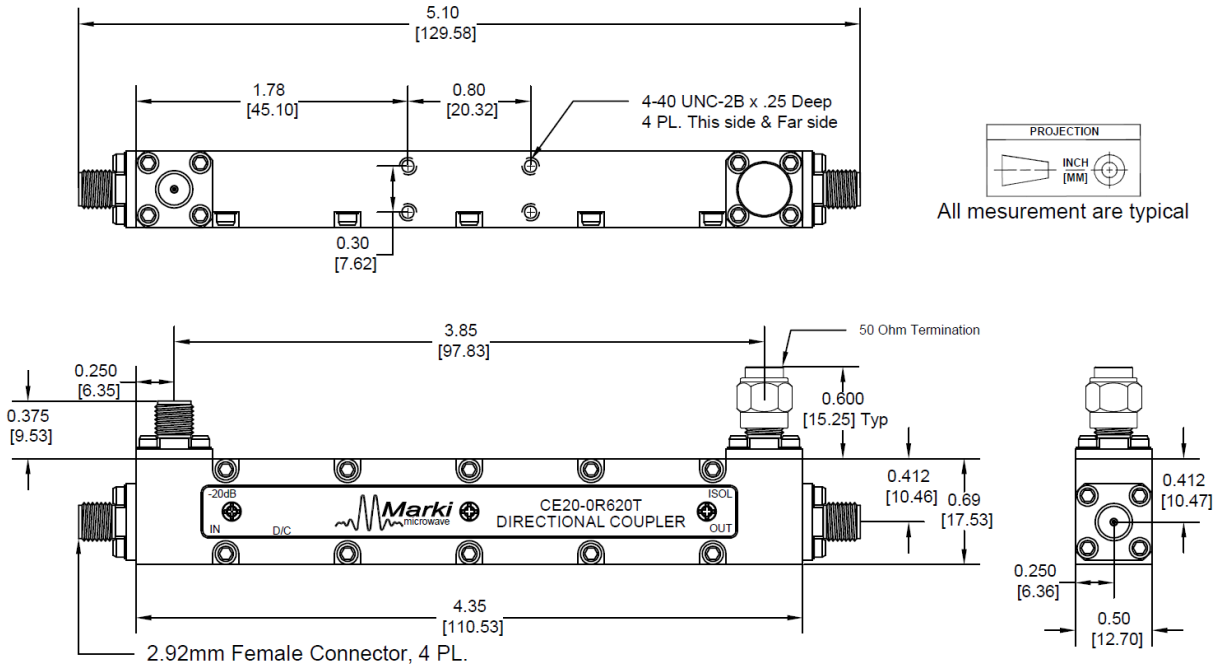
3.4 Typical Performance Plots

3.4.1 Insertion Loss, Return Loss, Coupled Port Power, and Directivity



4 Mechanical Data

4.1 Connectorized Module Outline Drawing CE20-OR620T



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