

PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
CCS-18	Commercial Normally Open Multi-throw, DC-12GHz
CS-18	Elite Normally Open Multi-throw, DC-12GHz

The CCS-18/CS-18 is a broadband multi-position coaxial switch designed to switch RF signals from one input port to any one of 3, 4, 6 or 8 output ports. It is readily adapted to any 50 Ohms transmission line system. The standard actuator gives individual solenoid control of each position and when de-energized, all positions are open. Standard N and TNC connectors available. For high power connectors, please contact factory



ENVIRONMENTAL AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS	
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 90°C
Operating Temperature	
Commercial Model, CCS-18	-25°C to 65°C
Elite Model, CS-18	-55°C to 85°C
CS-18 w/ indicator contacts	-45°C to 85°C
Vibration <sup>1</sup> , 10 ~ 2000 Hz, 300 s MIL-STD-202 Method 204, Condition C	10 G peak
Shock, Half-Sine Pulse MIL-STD-202 Method 213, Condition D	500 G peak
Moisture Resistance <sup>2</sup>	95% RH Non-condensing
Mechanical Life	3,000,000 cycles (min)
RF Contacts Life	1,000,000 cycles (min)
Connector Type	Type N or TNC
Weight	9 oz. (255.2g) (max.)

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS	
Form Factor	Break before make
Frequency Range	DC-12 GHz
Characteristic Impedance	50 Ω
Switching Time	20 ms (max.)
Actuation Voltage (Vdc) 20°C	12 15 24 28 V
Actuation Current, max. @ ambient	600 700 230 270 mA
TTL/Decoders Voltage/Current <sup>1</sup>	
Low Level (Logic 0)	0.0 ~ 0.7 V / 3.2 mA (max.) @ 0.7 V
High Level (Logic 1)	2.4 ~ 5.5 V / 80 μA (max.) @ 2.4 V
Indicator Contact Rating <sup>2</sup>	30 Vdc, 50 mA max
Magnetic Sensitivity	5 Gauss, 0.5 inch max

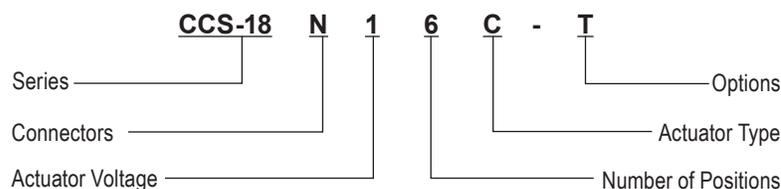
1. Non-operating
2. When moisture seal option is selected

1. For switches with TTL driver or decoder
2. For switches with indicator

RF SPECIFICATIONS*			
Frequency	DC-3 GHz	3-6 GHz	6-12 GHz
Insertion Loss (max)	0.30	0.40	0.60
Isolation (min)	70	60	60
VSWR (max)	1.25:1	1.50:1	1.70:1

Please see charts on page

### PART NUMBERING SYSTEM

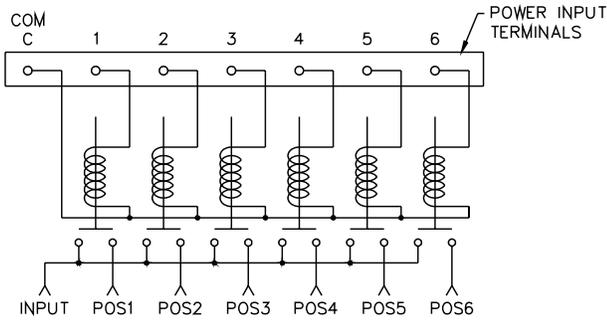


Connector*	Actuator Voltage	Number of Positions	Actuator Type	Options
N: Type N Female	1: 28 Vdc Normally Open	3: SP3T	0: No Indicator Contacts	T: TTL Drivers with Diodes
T: TNC Female	2: 15 Vdc Normally Open	4: SP4T	C: Indicator Contacts	D: Coil Transient Suppression Diodes
	3: 12 Vdc Normally Open	6: SP6T		S: D-Sub Connector
	4: 24 Vdc Normally Open	8: SP8T		TD: Decoders and TTL Drivers with Diodes
				M: Moisture Seal

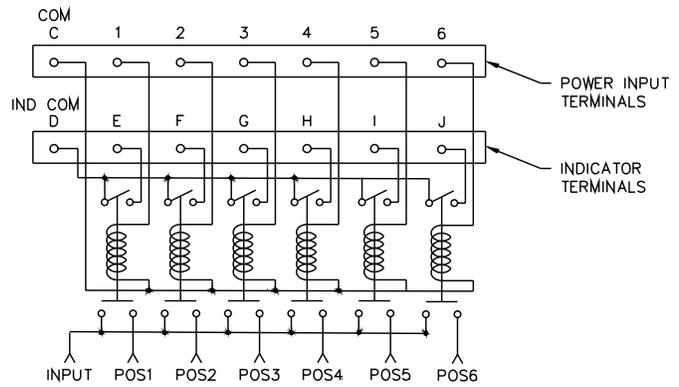
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**SCHEMATICS AND MECHANICAL OUTLINE (SP3T-SP6T)**

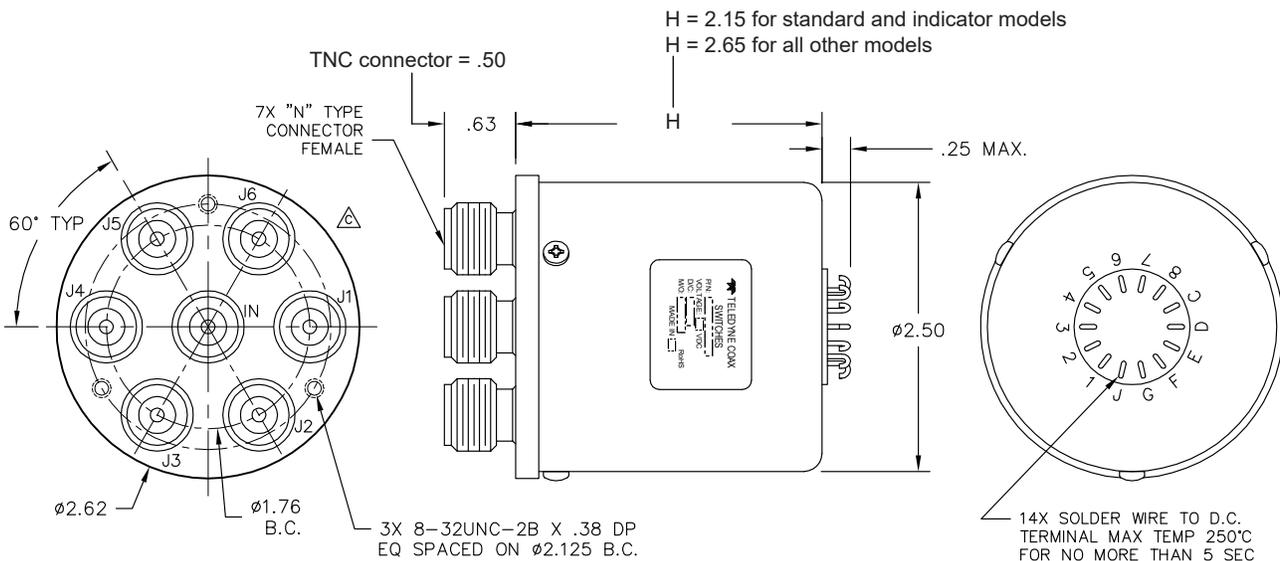
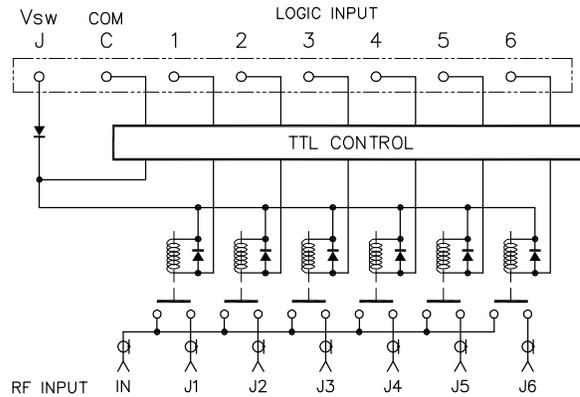
**Analog**



**Indicators**



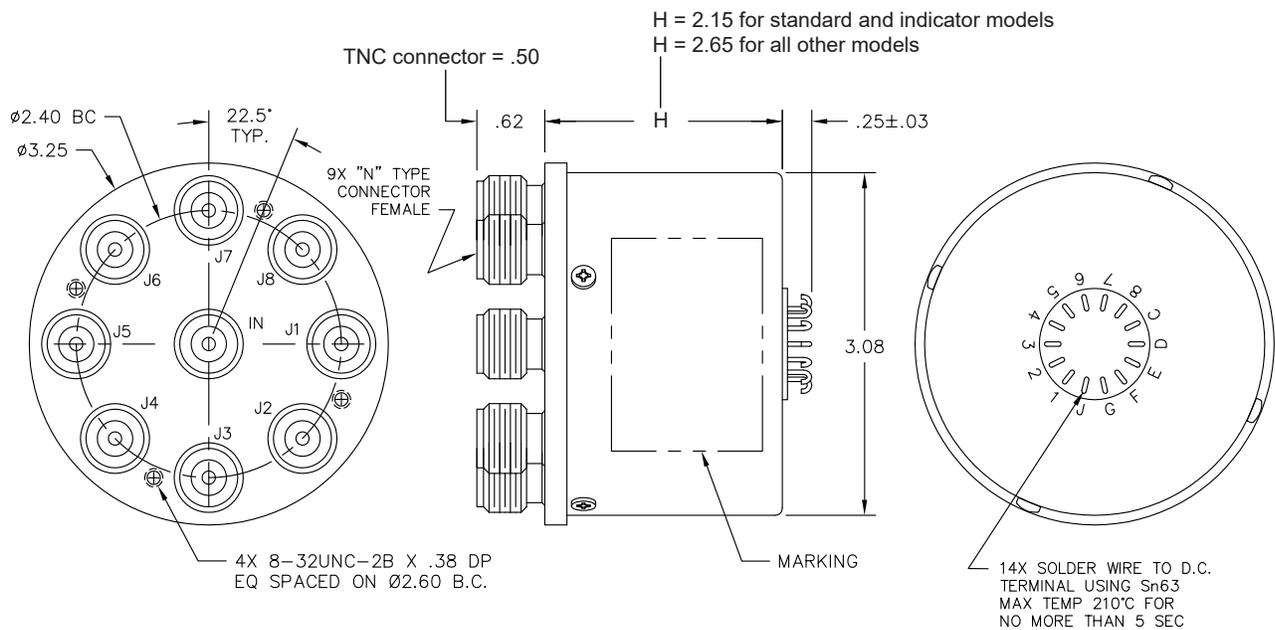
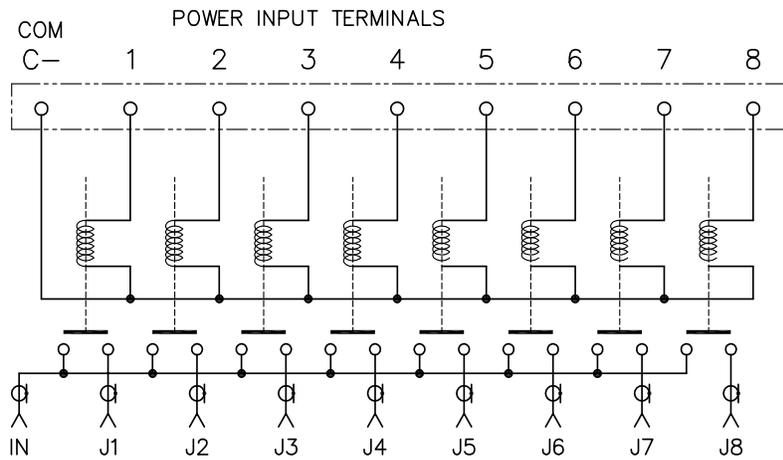
**TTL**



\*Outline above is for SP6T, TTL model with N connectors.  
 Contact factory for your specific outline

**SCHEMATICS AND MECHANICAL OUTLINE (SP8T)**

**Analog**



\*Outline above is for standard SP8T model with N connectors.  
 Contact factory for your specific outline

# Series CCS-18/CS-18

DC-12 GHz, SPnT

Normally Open Coaxial Switch



**TRUTH TABLE & PINOUT SP3T-SP6T**

TTL DECODER TRUTH TABLE								
LOGIC INPUT			RF POSITIONS					
Logic 1	Logic 2	Logic 3	J1	J2	J3	J4	J5	J6
0	0	0	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
1	0	0	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
0	1	0	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
1	1	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
0	0	1	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
1	0	1	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
1	1	1	ALL COILS OFF					

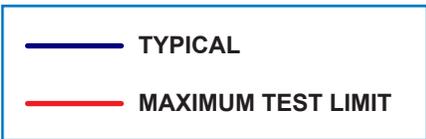
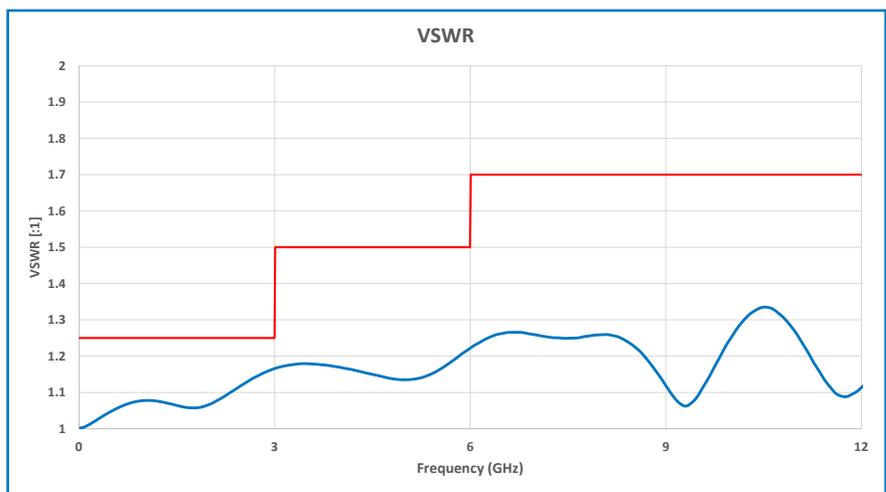
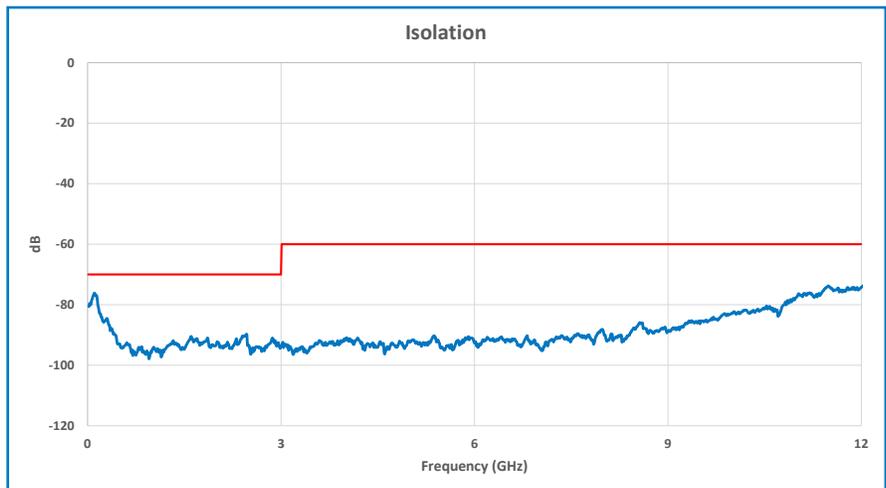
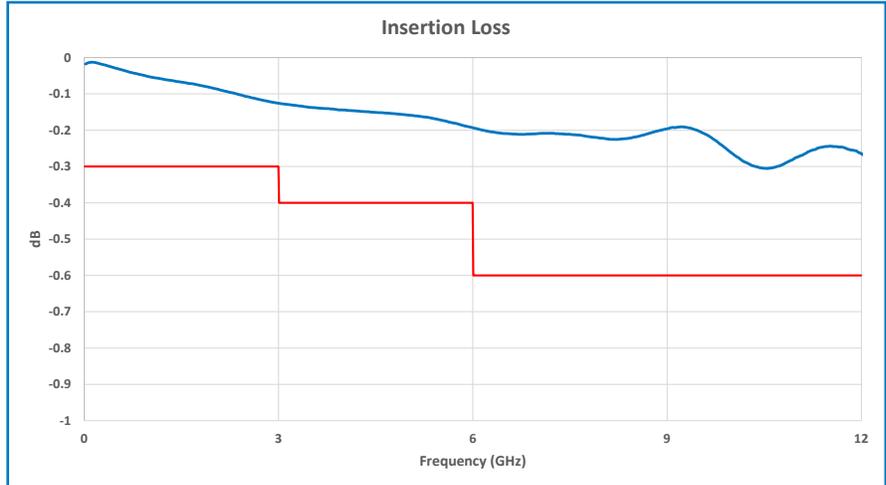
9 PIN & 15 PIN D-SUB PINOUT						
OPTIONS						
Pin No.	Standard	Indicator	TTL	TTL + IND	TTL + Decoder	TTL + DEC+ IND
1	POS 1	POS 1	TTL 1	TTL 1	LOGIC 1	LOGIC 1
2	POS 2	POS 2	TTL 2	TTL 2	LOGIC 2	LOGIC 2
3	POS 3	POS 3	TTL 3	TTL 3	LOGIC 3	LOGIC 3
4	POS 4	POS 4	TTL 4	TTL 4		
5	POS 5	POS 5	TTL 5	TTL 5		
6	POS 6	POS 6	TTL 6	TTL 6		
7	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)
8			Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)
9		IND COM (D)		IND COM (D)		IND COM (D)
10		IND 1 (E)		IND 1 (E)		IND 1 (E)
11		IND 2 (F)		IND 2 (F)		IND 2 (F)
12		IND 3 (G)		IND 3 (G)		IND 3 (G)
13		IND 4 (H)		IND 4 (H)		IND 4 (H)
14		IND 5 (K)		IND 5 (K)		IND 5 (K)
15		IND 6 (L)		IND 6 (L)		IND 6 (L)

**TRUTH TABLE & PINOUT SP8T**

TTL DECODER TRUTH TABLE											
LOGIC INPUT				RF POSITIONS							
Logic 1	Logic 2	Logic 3	Logic 4	J1	J2	J3	J4	J5	J6	J7	J8
0	0	0	0	ON	OFF						
1	0	0	0	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
0	1	0	0	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
1	1	0	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
0	0	1	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
1	0	1	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
0	1	1	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
1	1	1	0	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
1	1	1	1	ALL COILS OFF							

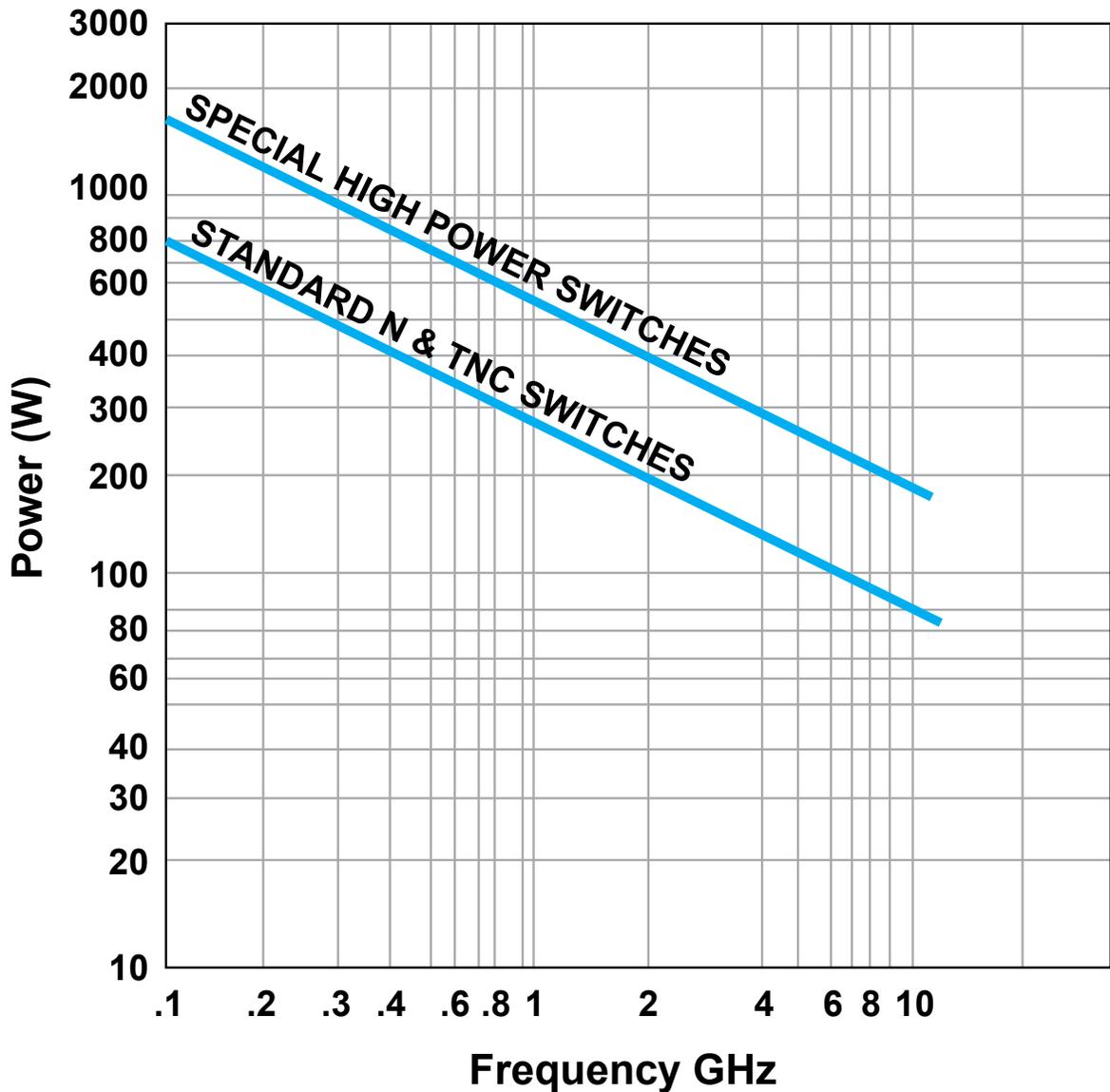
25 PIN D-SUB PINOUT						
OPTIONS						
Pin No.	Standard	Indicator	TTL	TTL + IND	TTL + Decoder	TTL + DEC+ IND
1	POS 1	POS 1	TTL 1	TTL 1	LOGIC 1	LOGIC 1
2	POS 2	POS 2	TTL 2	TTL 2	LOGIC 2	LOGIC 2
3	POS 3	POS 3	TTL 3	TTL 3	LOGIC 3	LOGIC 3
4	POS 4	POS 4	TTL 4	TTL 4	LOGIC 4	LOGIC 4
5	POS 5	POS 5	TTL 5	TTL 5		
6	POS 6	POS 6	TTL 6	TTL 6		
7	POS 7	POS 7	TTL 7	TTL 7		
8	POS 8	POS 8	TTL 8	TTL 8		
9						
10						
11			Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)	Vsw (J)
12						
13	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)	COM (C)
14						
15		IND COM (D)		IND COM (D)		IND COM (D)
16		IND 1 (E)		IND 1 (E)		IND 1 (E)
17		IND 2 (F)		IND 2 (F)		IND 2 (F)
18		IND 3 (G)		IND 3 (G)		IND 3 (G)
19		IND 4 (H)		IND 4 (H)		IND 4 (H)
20		IND 5 (K)		IND 5 (K)		IND 5 (K)
21		IND 6 (L)		IND 6 (L)		IND 6 (L)
22		IND 7 (M)		IND 7 (M)		IND 7 (M)
23		IND 8 (N)		IND 8 (N)		IND 8 (N)
24						
25						

**RF PERFORMANCE CURVES**



**TYPICAL POWER PERFORMANCE CURVE**

# Power Handling vs. Frequency



Estimates based on the following reference conditions:

- Ambient temperature of 40°C or less
- Sea level operation
- Load VSWR of 1.20:1 maximum
- No high-power (hot) switching

Please contact Teledyne Coax Switches for derating factors when applications do not meet the foregoing reference conditions.

**GLOSSARY**

**Actuator**

An actuator is the electromechanical mechanism that transfers the RF contacts from one position to another upon DC command.

**Arc Suppression Diode**

A diode is connected in parallel with the coil. This diode limits the “reverse EMF spike” generated when the coil de-energizes to 0.7 volts. The diode cathode is connected to the positive side of the coil and the anode is connected to the negative side.

**Date Code**

All switches are marked with either a unique serial number or a date code. Date codes are in accordance with MIL-STD-1285 Paragraph 5.2.5 and consist of four digits. The first two digits define the year and the last two digits define the week of the year (YYWW). Thus, 1032 identifies switches that passed through final inspection during the 32nd week of 2010.

**Failsafe**

A fail-safe switch reverts to the default or fail-safe position when actuating voltage is removed. This is realized by a return spring within the drive mechanism. This type of switch requires the continuous application of operating voltage to select and hold any position. (Multi-position switches are normally open with no voltage applied).

**Latching**

A latching switch remains in the selected position whether or not voltage is maintained. This can be accomplished with either a magnetic or mechanical latching mechanism.

**Indicator**

Indicators tell the system which position the switch is in. Other names for indicators are telemetry contacts or tell back circuit. Indicators are usually a set of internally mounted DC contacts linked to the actuator. They can be wired to digital input lines, status lights, or interlocks. Unless otherwise specified, the maximum indicator contact rating is 30 Vdc, 50 mA, or 1.5 Watts into a resistive load.

**Internal Termination**

Unselected ports are internally terminated to a matched load. The load is 50Ω resistive device. The max RF power rating is 2 Watts CW. Without the internal termination option, the unselected ports are open circuits.

**Isolation**

Isolation is the measure of the power level at the output connector of an unconnected RF channel as referenced to the power at the input connector. It is specified in dB below the input power level.

**Self-Cutoff**

The self-cutoff option disables the actuator current on completion of actuation. Either a series contact (linked to the actuator) or an IC driver circuit provides the current cutoff. This option results in minimum power consumption by the RF switch. Cutthroat is another name used in the industry for this option. Pulse latching is a term used to describe a switch without this feature.

**SPDT Switch**

A single-pole-double-throw, has one input and two output ports.

**Switching Time**

Switching time is the total interval beginning with the arrival of the leading edge of the command pulse at the switch DC input and ending with the completion of the switch transfer, including contact bounce. It consists of three parts: (1) inductive delay in the coil, (2) transfer time of the physical movement of the contacts, and (3) the bounce time of the RF contacts.

**TTL Switch Driver Option**

As a special option, switch drivers can be provided for both fail-safe and latching switches, which are compatible with industry-standard low-power Schottky TTL circuits.

**Performance Parameters vs Frequency**

Generally speaking, the RF performance of coaxial switches is frequency dependent. With increasing frequency, VSWR and insertion loss increase while isolation decreases. All data sheets specify these three parameters as “worst case” at the highest operating frequency. If the switch is to be used over a narrow frequency band, better performance can be achieved.

**Actuator Current vs Temperature**

The resistance of the actuator coil varies as a function of temperature. There is an inverse relationship between the operating temperature of the switch and the actuator drive current. For switches operating at 28 VDC, the approximate actuator drive current at temperature, T, can be calculated using the equation:

$$I_T = \frac{I_A}{[1 + .00385 (T-20)]}$$

Where:

$I_T$  = Actuator current at temperature, T

$I_A$  = Room temperature actuator current – see data sheet

T = Temperature of interest in °C

**Magnetic Sensitivity**

An electromechanical switch can be sensitive to ferrous materials and external magnetic fields. Neighboring ferrous materials should be permitted no closer than 0.5 inches and adjacent external magnetic fields should be limited to a flux density of less than 5 Gauss.