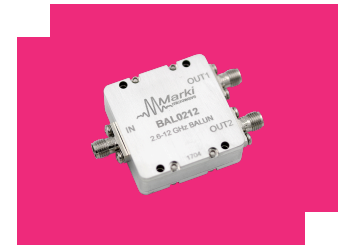


# BAL-0212 BALUN

## DEVICE OVERVIEW

### General Description

The BAL-0212 is a broadband balun, hand-tuned for optimal phase and amplitude balance over a 2.6 GHz to 12 GHz bandwidth. It serves as an excellent choice for analog to digital converters, balanced receivers, baseband digital modulations, and signal integrity enhancement.



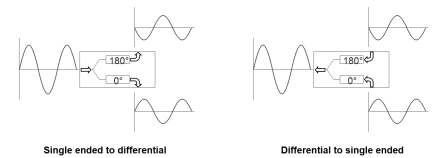
### Features

- 2:2 Impedance Ratio
- 2.6 to 12 GHz Balun (Balanced to Unbalanced Transformer)
- Tuned for Optimal Phase/Amplitude Balance
- Provides 50 Ω to 100 Ω Differential Transformation

### Applications

- Antenna Feeds
- Device Testing
- General Lab Use

### Functional Block Diagram



### Part Ordering Options

| Part Number | Description | Connectors      | Green Status  | Product Lifecycle | Export Classification |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| BAL-0212    | BALUN       | <u>Standard</u> | REACH<br>RoHS | Released          | EAR99                 |

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


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## Revision History

| Revision Code | Revision Date | Comment                                |
|---------------|---------------|--|
| -             | 2013-01-01    | Datasheet initial Release              |
| A             | 2014-01-01    | DC Interface Added                     |
| B             | 2019-10-01    | Mixed Mode Scattering Parameters added |
| C             | 2020-07-01    | Specs table update                     |
| D             | 2020-10-01    | Specs table update                     |

## Port Configuration and Functions

### Port Functions

| Port                          | Function  | Connector Type | Description   | DC Equivalent Circuit   |
|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------|---|---|
| Common Port / In (Unbalanced) | RF Input  | SMAF           | The common port is DC open.                                       |  <p>Common Port / In (Unbalanced)</p>                              |
| Out 1 / 0° Port (Balanced)    | 0° Port   | SMAF           | The 0° port is DC shorted to the 180° port and DC open to ground. |  <p>0° Port / Out1 (Balanced)<br/>180° Port / Out 2 (Balanced)</p> |
| Out 2 / 180° Port (Balanced)  | 180° Port | SMAF           | The 180° port is DC shorted to the 0° port and DC open to ground. |  <p>0° Port / Out1 (Balanced)<br/>180° Port / Out 2 (Balanced)</p> |

## Specifications

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter         | Maximum Rating | Unit |
|-------------------|----------------|------|
| RF Power Handling | 5              | W    |

### Package Information

| Parameter  | Details | Rating           |
|------------|---------|------------------|
| Weight     | -       | 38g              |
| Dimensions | -       | 36.32 x 36.32 mm |

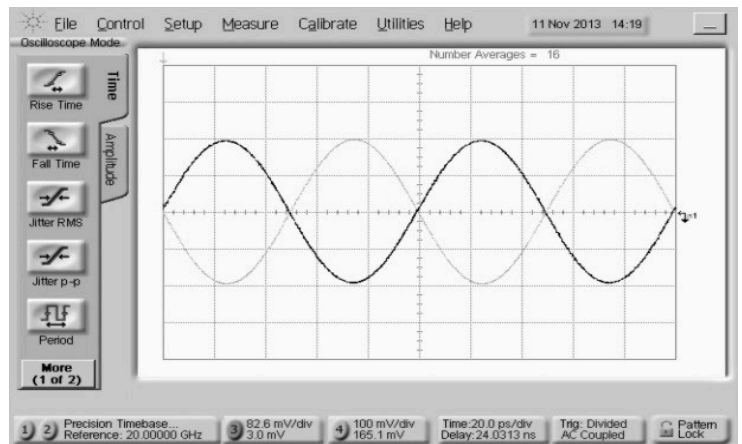
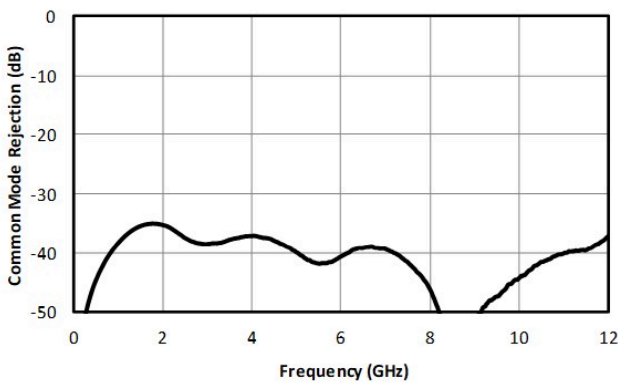
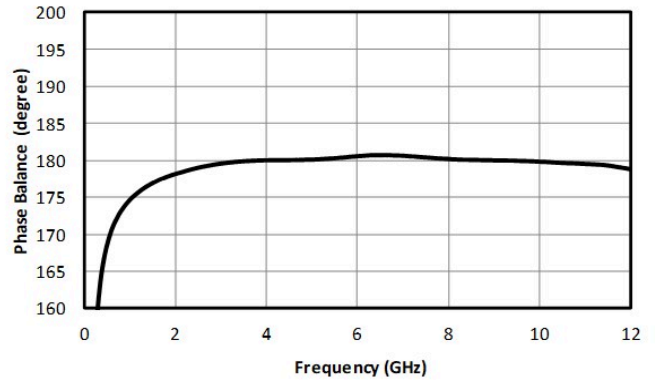
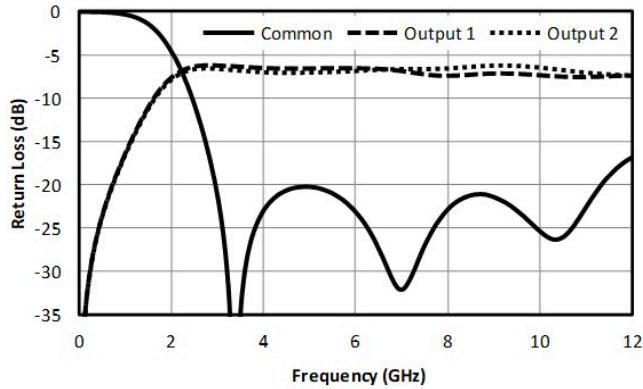
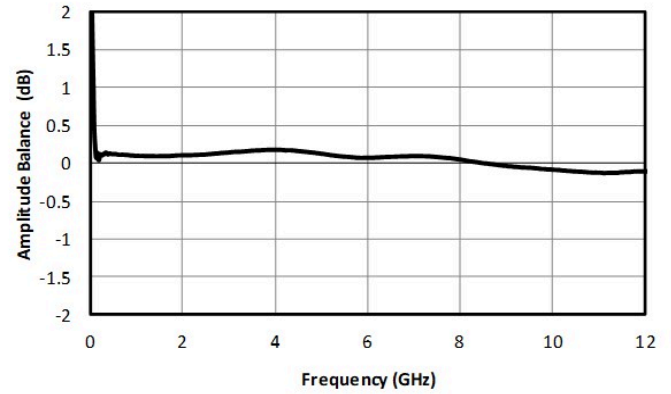
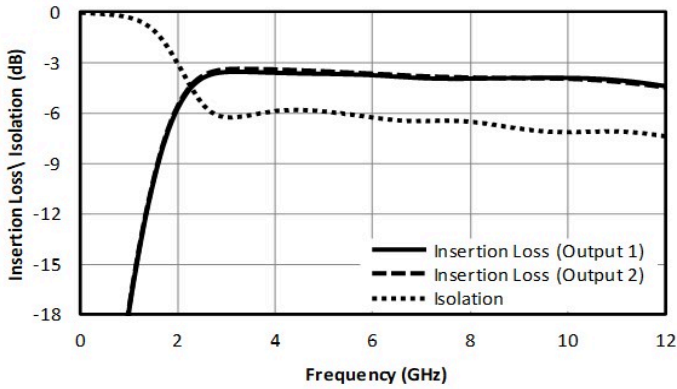
## Electrical Specifications

Specifications guaranteed from -55 to +100°C, measured in a 50Ω system.

| Parameter                          | Test Conditions | Minimum Frequency (GHz) | Maximum Frequency (GHz) | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Amplitude Balance                  | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 0.1 | 0.5 | dB   |
| Common Mode Rejection              | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | 25  | 35  | -   | dB   |
| Insertion Loss as a Mode Converter | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 1   | 2.5 | dB   |
| Isolation                          | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 6   | -   | dB   |
| Nominal Phase Shift                | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 180 | -   | °    |
| Phase Balance                      | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 2   | 5   | °    |
| VSWR (Input)                       | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 1.3 | -   |      |
| VSWR (Output)                      | -               | 2.6                     | 12                      | -   | 2.6 | -   |      |
| Impedance Ratio                    | -               | -                       | -                       | -   | 2:1 | -   |      |

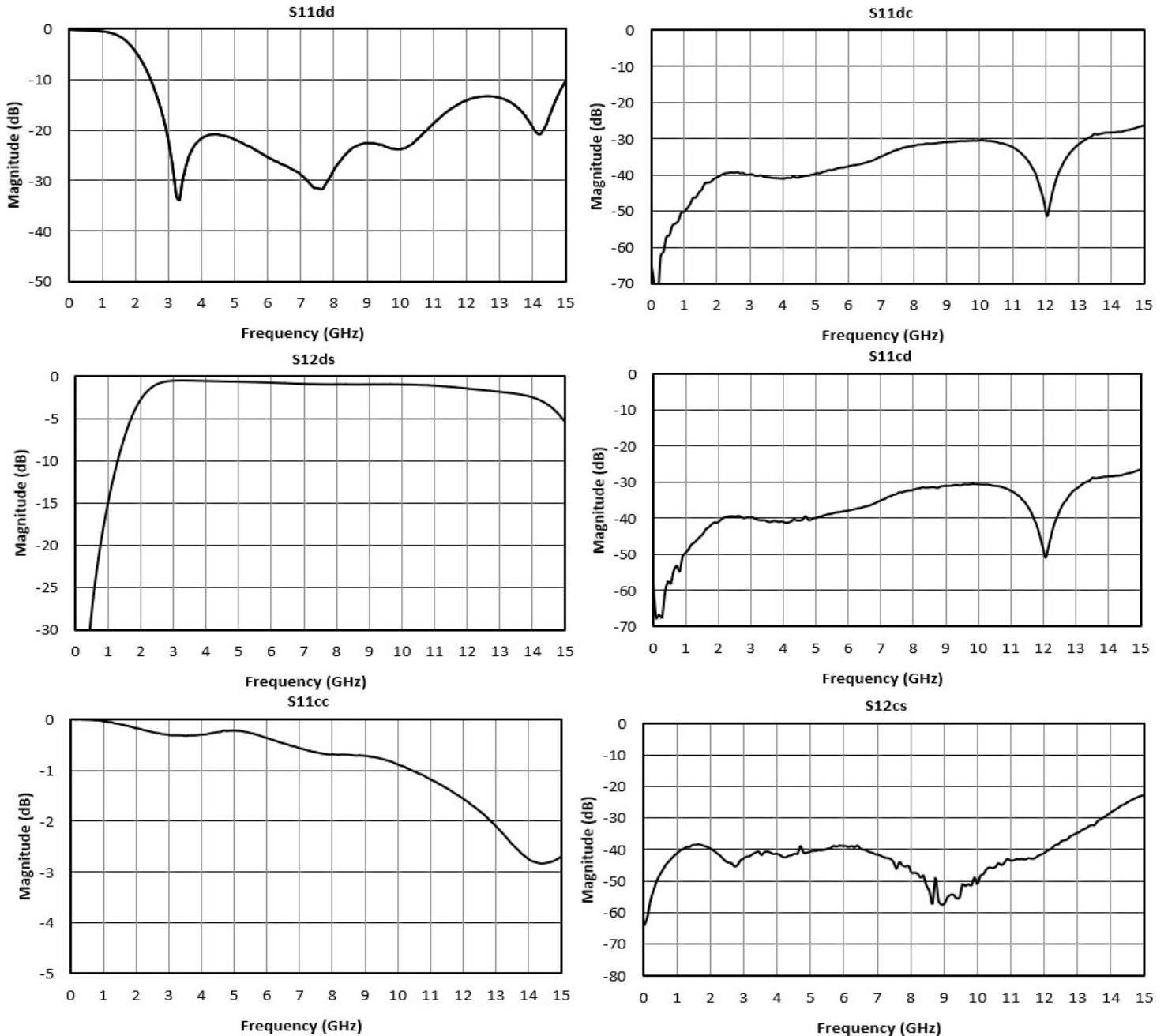
### Typical Performance Scattering Parameters

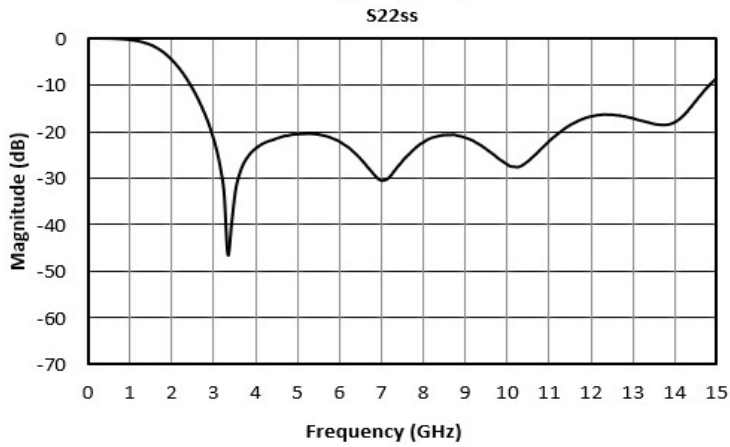
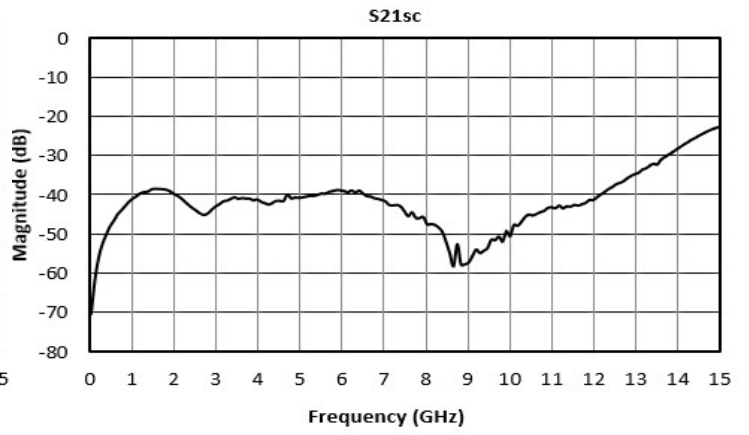
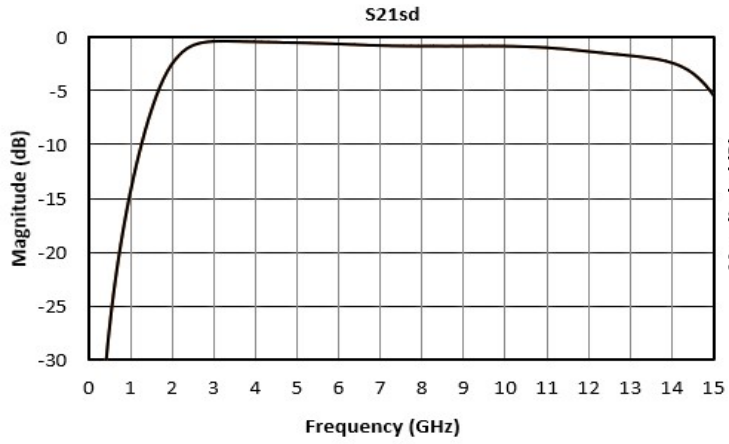
Three port scattering parameters measured as three single-ended 50Ω ports showing relationship between any two ports. For example: S21 and S31, often referred to as insertion loss of a balun, is the output response on ports 2 and 3 with an input stimulus on port 1.



### Mixed Mode Scattering Parameters

Mixed mode scattering parameters are used to characterize differential circuits. For baluns, this means that the 0° and 180° ports become a single 100Ω differential port and the common port remains the same 50Ω common port. The two-port s-parameters of the balun are then characterized based on differential (d), common mode (c), or single-ended (s) signals. For example: S12ds is the differential output response given a single ended input.

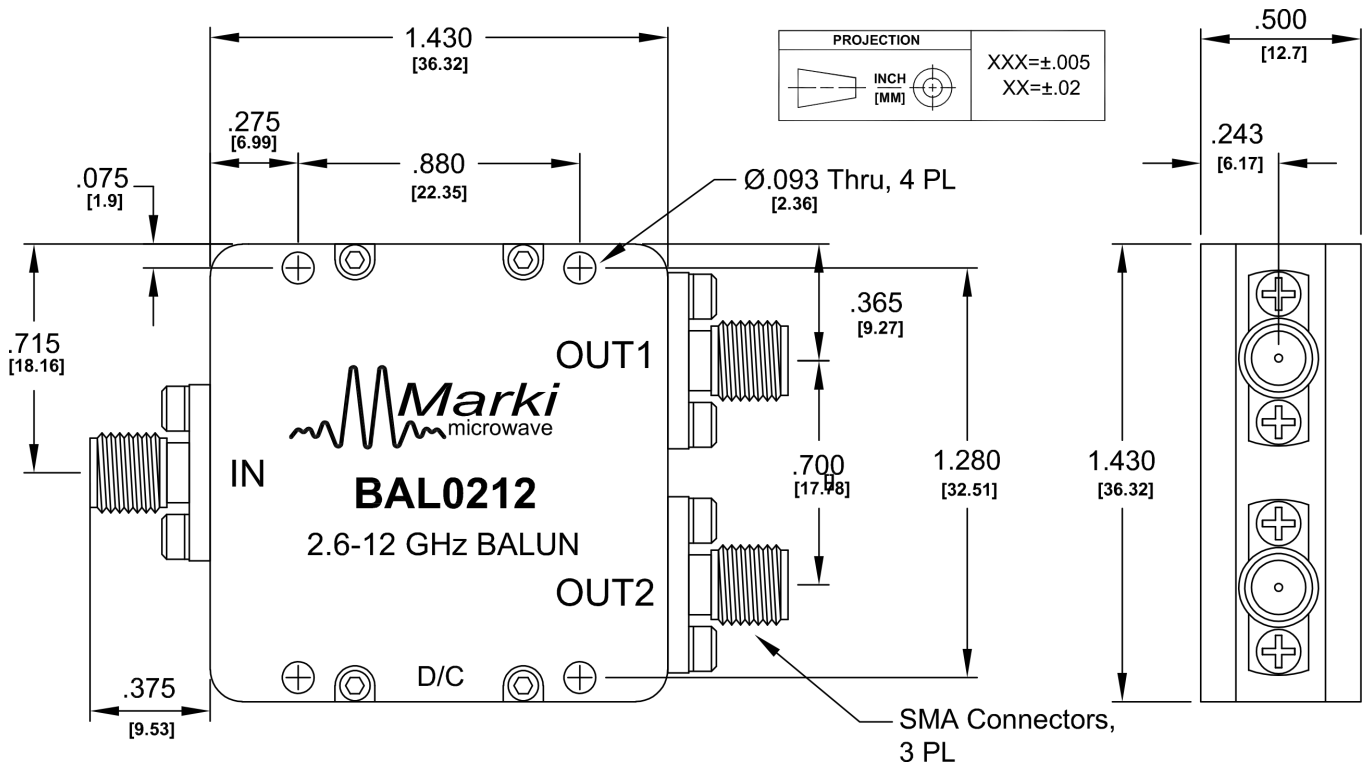




**Mechanical Data**

**Outline Drawing**

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