

WS444NKU is an absorptive SP4T RF switch module that supports a frequency range from 10 MHz to 44 GHz. It delivers high isolation, low insertion loss and fast switching time, making this device ideal for RF signal routing in wireless infrastructure and wireless applications up to 44 GHz. External connectors include 2.92mm-vertical launch connector for all RF port.

WS444NKU is powered and controlled through USB type-C connector.



■ Features

- CMOS SOI technology enhanced
 - Broadband 10 MHz~44 GHz
 - Fast settling time
- High power handling of 24 dBm THRU path
- Insertion loss
 - 5.6 dB @ 44 GHz
- High isolation
 - 35 dB up to 44 GHz

■ Applications

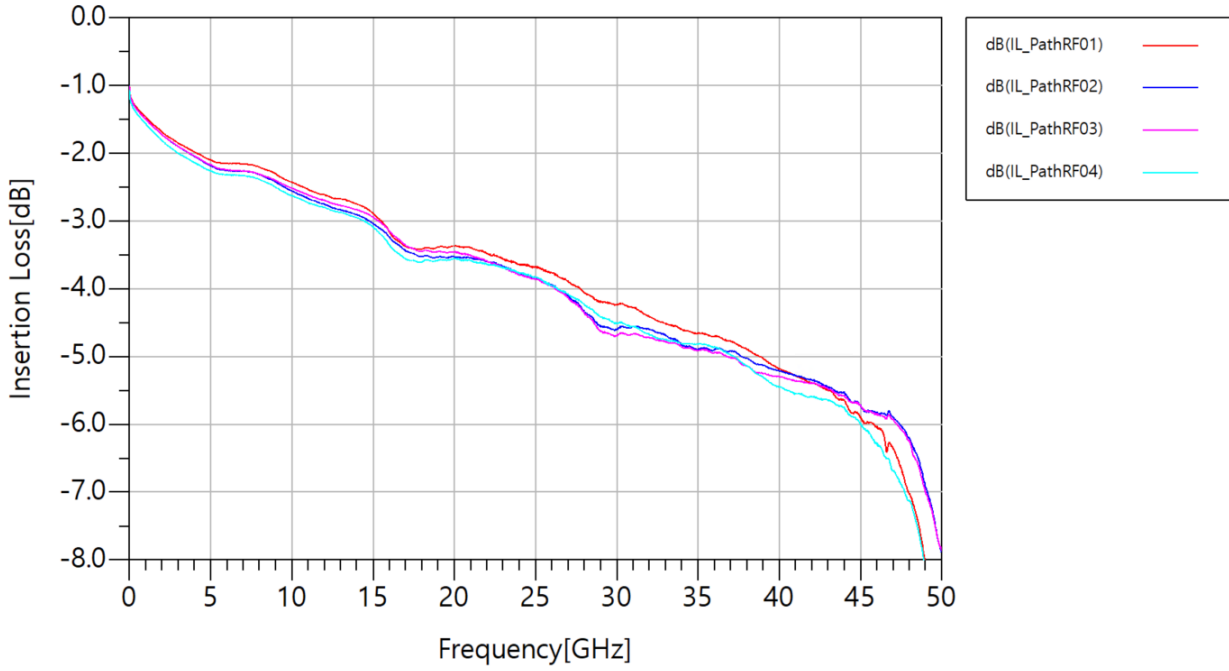
- Test & Measurement
- 5G Wireless Communication
- Commercial Communication
- RF signal routing

Electrical Specifications

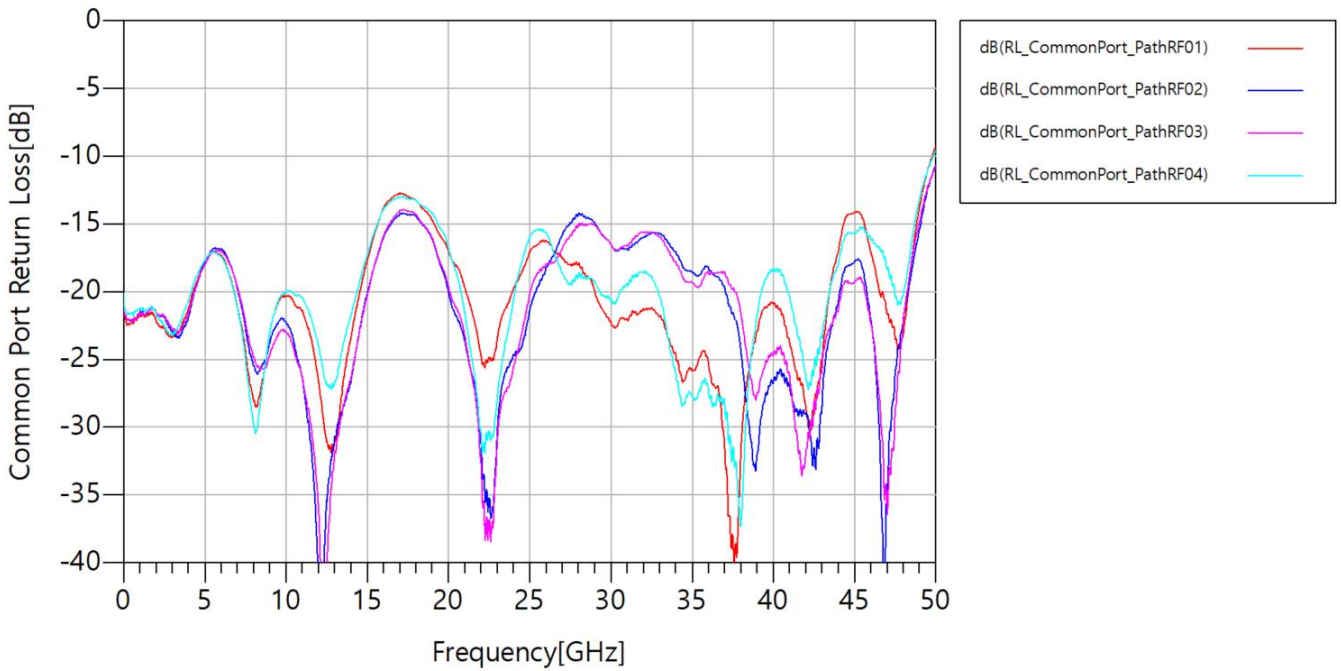
Parameter	Path	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Operation Frequency			10 MHz		44 GHz	
Insertion loss	All path	10 MHz ~ 44 GHz		5.6		dB
Return loss (common port)	All path	10 MHz ~ 44 GHz	12.0	13.0		dB
Return loss (active port)	All path	10 MHz ~ 44 GHz	12.0	13.0		dB
Return loss (isolated port)	All path	10 MHz ~ 44 GHz	12.0	14.0		dB
Isolation	All path	10 MHz ~ 26 GHz 26 GHz ~ 44 GHz	43.0 33.0	45.0 35.0		dB
RF Input Power	All path			24.0		dBm
0.1 dB Power Compression	All path	f = 500 MHz to 40 GHz		26.0		dBm
Input IP3	All path	Two-tone input power = 15 dBm f = 500 MHz to 40 GHz, Δf = 1 MHz		47.0		dBm
Switching Time		COM port control time @Window10		200		us
Current consumption		USB type-C		14.0		mA
Power Supply		USB type-C		5.0		V
Baud Rate		USB COM port		115200		bps
RF Connectors		2.92mm-female				
ESD HBM		RF port USB port		375 16k		V
Operating Temperature			-40		105	°C

■ Typical Performance Data

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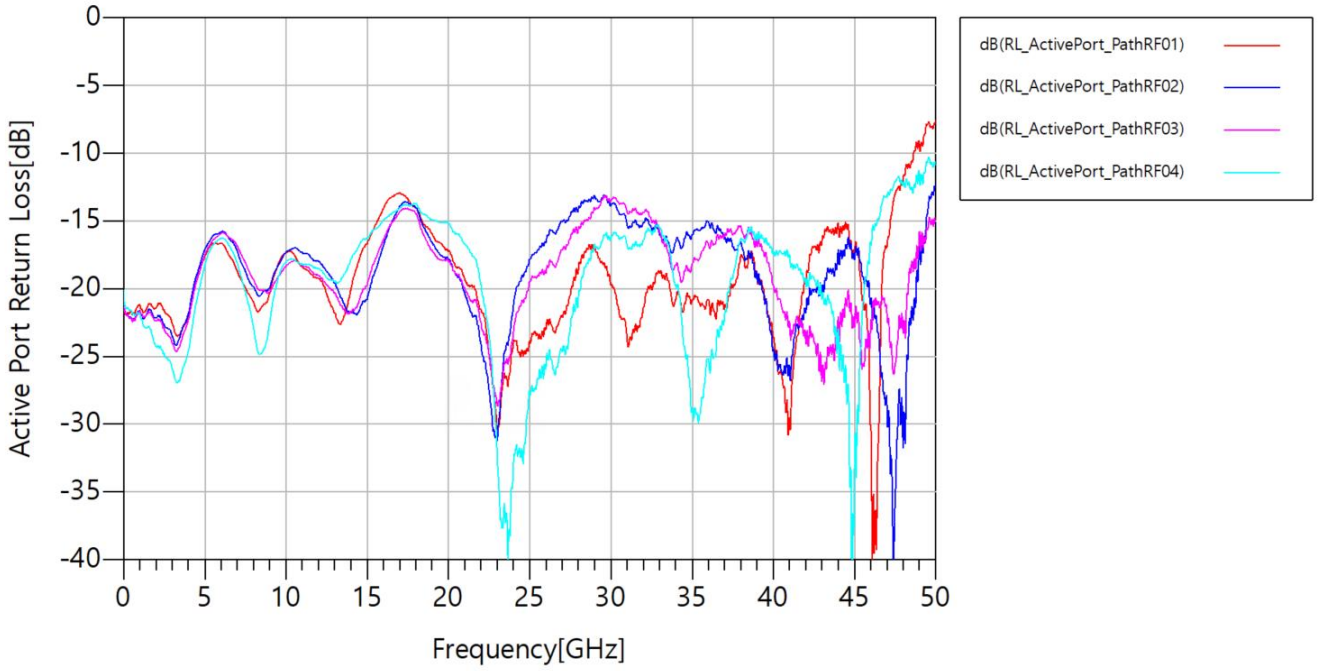


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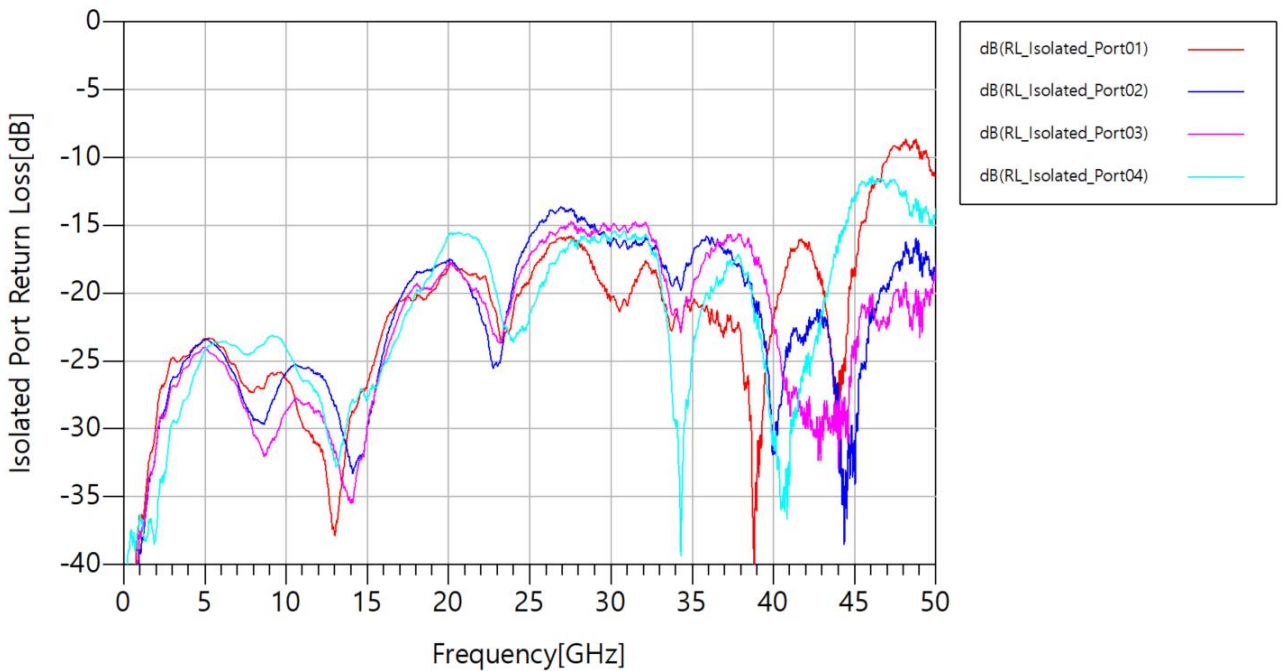


Typical Performance Data

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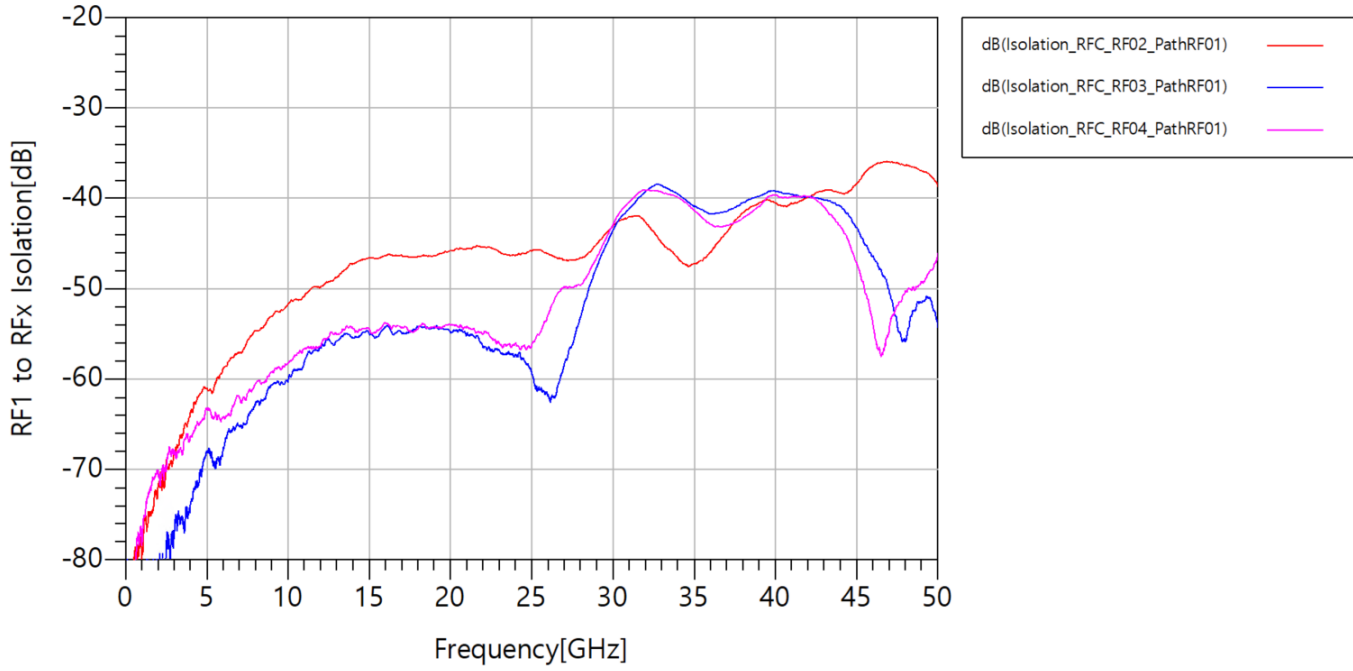


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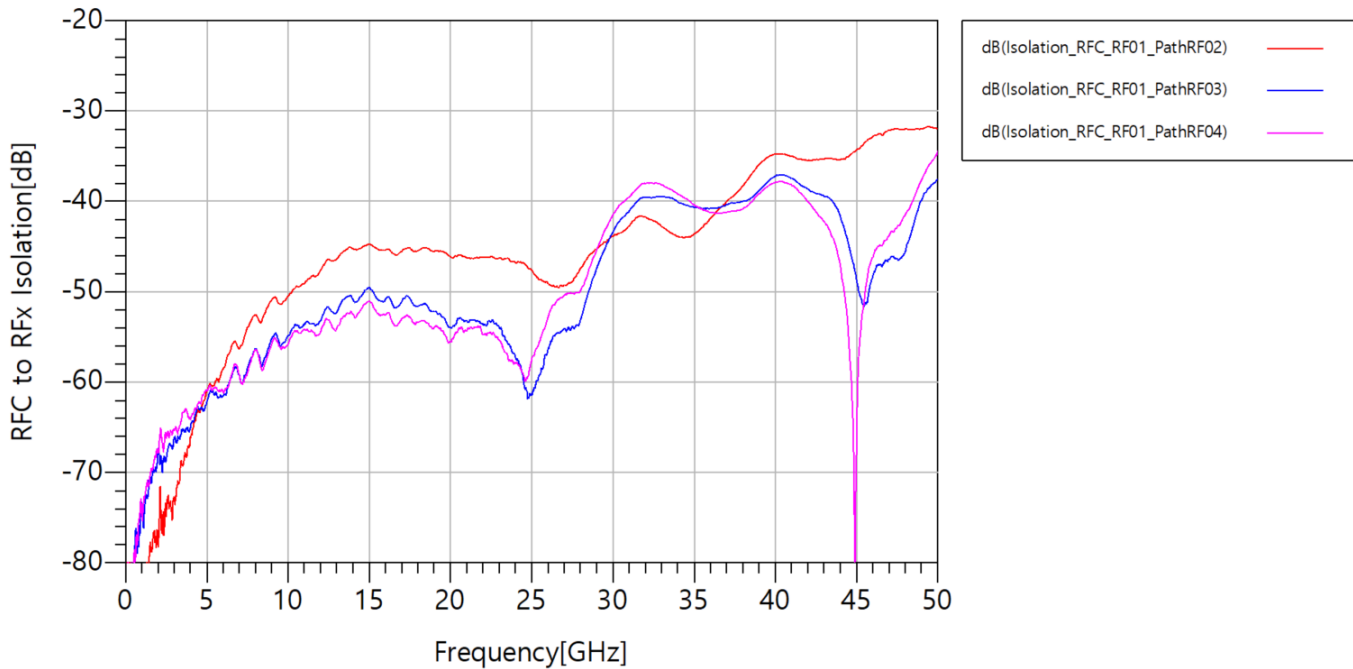


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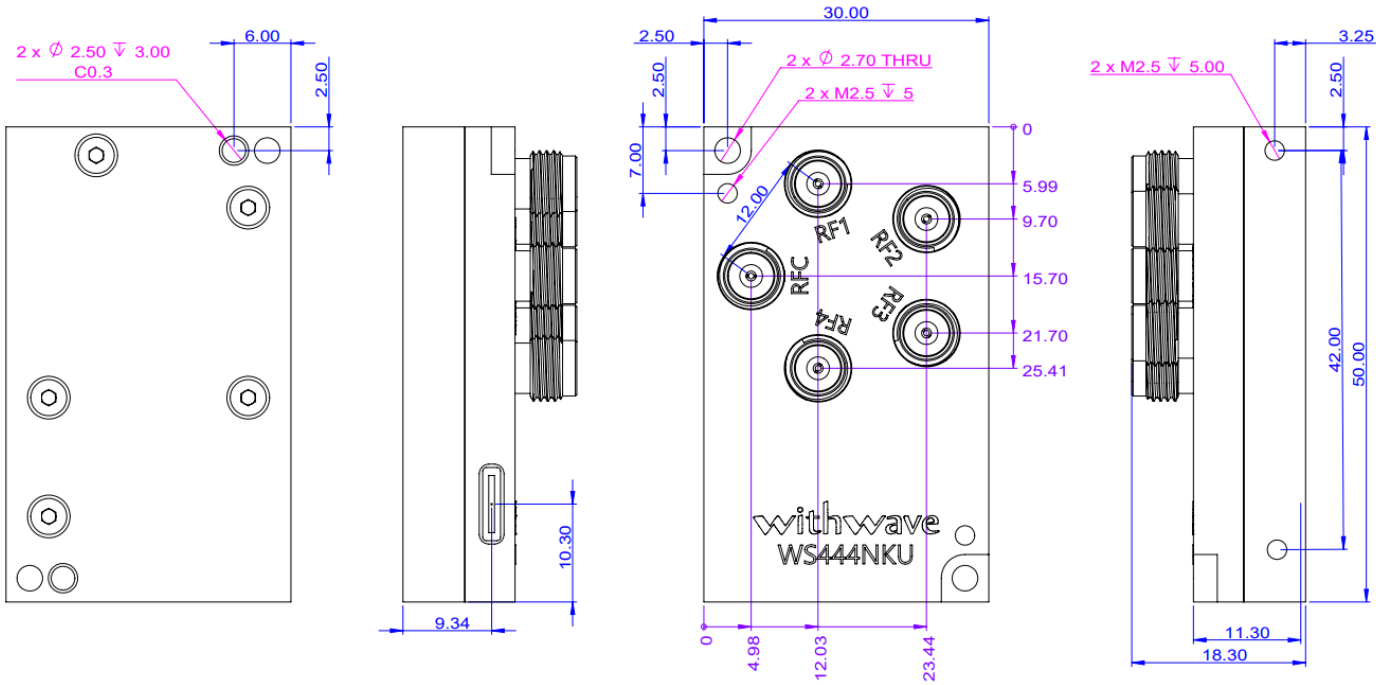
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Dimension



■ **Control Description**

Command Format	COM port configuration
All commands must end with a semicolon. All commands are capitalized only. Port number should be 2-digit decimal.	Baud Rate :115200 Data bits : 8 Parity : None Stop bits : 1 Flow Type :None

■ **Command Specification**

Index	Command	Description	Return	Example
1	*IDN?;	Query product information	Product PN, Manufacturer , WS444NKU, Withwave SW version, Serial number co, Ltd., V1.0, SN0001	
2	RESET;	Reset the product	RESET;	RESET;
3	Pxx;	Switching to RFC to RFxx Port number should be 2-digit decimal	Pxx;	P02;
4	OFF;	All off state	OFF;	OFF;

■ **Error Code**

Index	Return	Description
1	E1;	Semicolon missing
2	E2;	Incorrect commands

■ **Revision History**

Revision	Date	Changes
Ver 1.0	2022-06-02	Initial work
Ver 1.1	2023-05-31	Add switching time