

PLC Optical Splitter

PLC (Planar Lightwave Circuits) splitters are developed using silica glass waveguide circuits and aligned fiber pigtails, integrated inside a miniature package. PLC splitters provide low-cost solution for optical signal distribution, with small form factor and superb reliability.

The PLCs devices have 1x4, 1x8, 1x16 and 1x32 standard configurations, as well as customized structures of 2x4, 2x32, and 2x64. These products meet or exceed Telcordia GR-1209-CORE and GR-1221-CORE reliability qualification requirement.



Features:

- Low insertion loss
- Various coupling ratio
- high return loss and excellent uniformity.
- Low Polarization dependent loss
- Environmental stable
- Operation wavelength: 1260nm to 1650nm
- Operating Temperature: -40°C to 85°C

Application:

- FTTx systems
- Optical LAN, Metro, WAN networks
- Passive optical networks
- CATV networks

Specification:

Table 1 – 1×N PLC optical splitter

Parameters	1×2	1×4	1×8	1×16	1×32	1×64	1×128	
Operating wavelength (nm)	1260~1650							
Fiber type	G657A or other request							
Insertion Loss (dB) (Max.)	3.9	7.2	10.3	13.5	16.8	20.5	23.5	
Uniformity(dB) (Max.)	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.5	1.8	2.0	
Return Loss(dB) (Min.)	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	
Temperature stability (-40~85 °C)(dB) (Max.)	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	
Polarization dependent loss (dB)(Max.)	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	
Wavelength Dependent Loss (dB)(Max.)	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.2	
Directivity (dB)(Min.)	55							
Operating Temperature (°C)	-40~85							
Storage temperature(°C)	-40~85							
Device package size (mm) (L×W×H) 0.25mm fiber	40×4×4			45×5×4	50×7×4	60×12×4	120x26x10	
Micro Module Size (mm) (L×W×H) 0.9mm fiber	55×7×4			60×12×4	80×20×6	100x40x6	120x50x12	
Module Box Dimensions (mm) (L×W×H) 2.0mm fiber	100×80×10			120×80×18		140×115×18	150x130x25	

Note:

1. Specification without fiber optic connectors;
2. Each connector will add loss 0.2dB.

Table 2 – 2×N PLC Optical Splitter

Parameters	2×2	2×4	2×8	2×16	2×32	2×64	2×128
Operating wavelength (nm)	1260~1650						
Fiber type	G657A or other request						
Insertion Loss (dB) (Max.)	4.2	7.5	10.6	13.9	17.2	20.8	23.8
Uniformity(dB) (Max.)	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.0
Return Loss(dB) (Min.)	55	55	55	55	55	55	55
Temperature stability (-40~85 °C)(dB) (Max.)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0
Polarization dependent loss (dB)(Max.)	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4

Wavelength Dependent Loss (dB)(Max.)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2
Directivity (dB)(Min.)	55						
Operating Temperature (°C)	-40~85						
Storage temperature(°C)	-40~85						
Device package size (mm) (L×W×H) 0.25mm fiber	50×4×4		50×7×4		60×12×4	120×26×10	
Micro Module Size (mm) (L×W×H) 0.9mm fiber	55×7×4	60×7×4		60×12×4	80×20×6	100×40×6	120×50×12
Module Box Dimensions (mm) (L×W×H) 2.0mm fiber	100×80×10		120×80×18		140×115×18	150×130×25	

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