FTTB-1218-2W Series Blonder

Two-Way Indoor Optical Node with DOCSIS 3.1 Support

The FTTB-1218-2W Series (Two-Way Indoor Optical Node) converts the optical signal received from the headend into a +36 dBmV RF output. The compact housing includes an optical receiver, RF AGC, RF amplifier, and return path optical transmitter. Three (3) frequency splits are available to satisfy standard 5-42 MHz, 5-85 MHz, or 5-204 MHz returns for increased return bandwidths required in DOCSIS 3.1 applications.

The FTTB-1218-2W Series has one tri-color LED indicating the optical input status, one bi-color LED indicating return transmitter status as well as calibrated DC test points for receive and transmit optical power.



Features

- 1218 MHz Forward RF Bandwidth for DOCSIS 3.1 Compatibility
- Three (3) Frequency Splits Available for All DOCSIS 3.1 Applications
- RF AGC Maintaining +36 dBmV Output with Optical Input Range from -4 to +3 dBm
- High Performance and Low Power Consumption GaAs Technology
- 1310 nm 3.0 dBm DFB Return Path Transmitter
- Die-cast Aluminum Housing for Indoor Installation
- Tri-color LED Indicating Optical Input Status
- Bi-color LED Indicating Return Laser Transmitter Output Status
- Forward and Return -20 dB RF Test Ports (One Each)
- Local/Remote 18 VDC Powering from F Connector

Ordering Information

Model	Stock #	Description
FTTB-1218-2W-42	7630 42	Two-Way Indoor Optical Node; 1218 MHz; 36 dBmV Output w/AGC; 42/54 MHz Split
FTTB-1218-2W-85	7630 85	Two-Way Indoor Optical Node; 1218 MHz; 36 dBmV Output w/AGC; 85/105 MHz Split
FTTB-1218-2W-204	7630 204	Two-Way Indoor Optical Node; 1218 MHz; 36 dBmV Output w/AGC; 204/258 MHz Split

Accessories

Model	Stock #	Description
FC/APC Adapter	7607	SC/APC Male to FC/APC Female Connector Adapter

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Specifications

Optical and RF Performance

Optical Input Optical Wavelength: Optical Input Connector: Optical Return Loss: Optical Input Power: AGC Effective Optical Input Range: Forward Optical Power Test Point:	1210 ~ 1650 nm SC/APC; Single Mode 50 dB -6 ~ +3 dBm -4 ~ +3 dBm 1V/mW
RF AGC RF Output Level: AGC RF Output Stability Range: RF Slope (54~1218 MHz): RF Slope (105~1218 MHz): RF Slope (258~1218 MHz): RF Slope (258~1218 MHz): RF Flatness: RF Return Loss: RF Return Loss: RF Output Impedance: RF Test Port: 	54 ~ 1218 MHz (42/54 MHz Diplexer) 105 ~ 1218 MHz (85/105 MHz Diplexer) 258 ~ 1218 MHz (204/258 MHz Diplexer) +36 dBmV ± 1.5 dB 6 dB 6 dB ± 0.75 dB (Relative to Slope) >16 dB 75 Ω -20 dB ≥ 51 dB at -1.0 dBm
CSO: CTB:	<-62 dBc at 77 CW carriers <-65 dBc at 77 CW carriers

Optical vs RF Levels

Optical Input Received Power	
Power (dBm) DC Test Point (V)	
-4 0.40 -2 0.63 -1 0.79 0 1.00 +1 1.26 +2 1.58 +3 2.00	

Note: DC voltage Test point vs Optical input power (calibrated at 1310 nm optical input)

Alarms and Monitoring

Optical Input Tri-Color LED		
Green:	Normal: > -4 dBm to < +3 dBm	
Orange:	Low: < -4 dBm	
Red:	High: > +3 dBm	
Return Path Laser Bi-Color LED		
Green: Red:	< +3 dBm > +3 dBm	





Optical and RF Performance

Optical Optical Wavelength: Optical Output Connector: Optical Output Power: Optical Return Loss:	1310 nm DFB Laser (Uncooled) SC/APC 3 dBm ± 1 dB 50 dB
RF RF Bandwidth: RF Input Level: RF Flatness: RF Return Loss: RF Test Port: NPR:	5 ~ 42 MHz / 85 MHz / 204 MHz 17 dBmV ± 1 dB > 16 dB -20 dB > 25 dB

Test Conditions

FORWARD PATH: 77 CW carriers (54~550 MHz) and digital channels (550~1218 MHz, RF level 10 dB lower) at -1 dBm optical input (10 km fiber + optical attenuator).

RETURN PATH: return path specs are measured in transmitter and receiver composed link.

General

Connectors Fiber Ports: RF Port: -20 dB RF Test Ports: 18 VDC Port:	2x SC/APC Female (Optical Input/Output) 1x F-Female 1x F-Female Forward; 1x F-Female Return 1x F-Female for DC power input
Chassis Dimensions: (L x W x H)	6.85" x 4.9" x 1.22" (174 mm x 124 mm x 31 mm)
Weight:	1.0 lbs (0.50 kg)
Power Power Supply: Power Consumption:	18V 1.3A DC Adaptor, UL Certified ≤ 7 W
Working Temperature: Storage Temperature: Humidity:	-4 to 140 °F (-20 to +60 °C) -40 to 185 °F (-40 to +85 °C) 5%~95% Non-condensing

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