## OSX-100E

## OEM Optical Switch



## Product Overview

The OSX-100E is an off-the-shelf fiber optic switch component that can be easily integrated into virtually any fiber optic routing or switching application. It is readily available in common fiber types (standard single-mode, 50 um or 62.5 um multimode); but can also be ordered with specialty fiber types (step index, large core multimode, small core single-mode).

Switches can be configured for $1 \times 2$ up to $1 \times 80$ channels and are also available in 2B or 2C configurations (see configuration options). For more complex signal routing and switching, the low loss ( $<0.5 \mathrm{~dB}$ ) allows for concatenating switches to enable higher channel counts. For ease of integration, each switch comes with a pre-programmed driver board and uses standard I2C communication protocol for control. The driver board that can be mounted separately or with the optical switch, giving more flexibility.

## Features

- Up to 80 outputs
- Ultra low IL < 0.5 dB
- $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ repeatability
- Crosstalk <-80 dB
- Customization available
- I2C communication
- $<0.2 \mathrm{~dB}$ IL port-to-port variation

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## Applications

- Fiber optic signal routing/ conditioning
- Automation
- Instrumentation
- Fiber optic sensing



## Invisible

Negligible loss ( $\leq 0.5 \mathrm{~dB}$ ) along with the combination of uniform temperature dependence, low PDL ( $\leq 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ ), wide wavelength operation, and low port-to-port loss variation ( $<0.2$ dB typical) make the OSX-100E nearly invisible to the optical signal. This allows the switch to maintain signal integrity across all ports. For multimode applications the optical switching mechanism maintains the modal conditions from input to output. This is important when testing components using optical sources with non-uniform modal distribution (VCSELs, lasers, etc.) that are susceptible to mode filling.

## Small Form Factor

The smallest switch can accommodate up to 27 channels and measures just $26 \mathrm{~mm} \times$ $100 \mathrm{~mm} \times 22 \mathrm{~mm}$, which fits into a 1 U enclosure. This allows for more channels/ports in a smaller space.


## Many Fiber Types Available

Beyond the typical fiber types like SMF, 50 um, and 62.5 um graded-index fiber, the OSX100E offers a wide variety of fiber options. These span from $5 / 125$ um single mode fiber to 100 um graded index multimode fiber, extending to larger core step index hard clad silica fibers such as 200 um, 300 um, and larger.

## Ordering Scheme \& Instructions

Configure OSX Optical Switch


## Configuration Options



1A Configuration
Single input switched to any output


2B Configuration Two inputs switched to synchronized outputs


2C Configuration
Two inputs switched to any output with second input trailing first input

Mechanical / Environmental Specifications

| Parameter | Specifications |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | XS | S | M | L |
| Channel Count | 26 | 36 | 54 | 80 |
| Dimensions Length A (mm) | 100 | 120 | 154 | 175 |
| Dimensions Width C (mm) | 52 | 60 | 84 | 110 |
| Dimensions Height E (mm) | 41 | 54.5 | 78 | 102.5 |
| Dimensions Mounting Holes BxD (mm) | $90 \times 42$ | $110 \times 50$ | $144 \times 74$ | $165 \times 100$ |
| Mounting Hole diameter F (mm) | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.4 |
| PCB Standoffs Included | No | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| Recommended Fiber Area (mm) | $200 \times 125$ | $200 \times 125$ | $200 \times 160$ | $200 \times 200$ |
| Shipping Box Dimensions WxHxD (cm) | $36 \times 33 \times 18$ | $36 \times 33 \times 18$ | $36 \times 33 \times 18$ | $36 \times 33 \times 37$ |
| Unit Weight (kg) | 0.3 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.8 |
| Total Shipment Weight (kg) | 1.1 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 2.6 |
| Operating Temperature ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | 0-55 |  |  |  |
| Humidity (Non-Condensing) ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | Maximum 95\% RH from 0 to $40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |



OSX Optical / Electrical Specifications

| Parameter | Specification |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Single-mode |  | Multimode |  |
| Fiber Type | 9/125 | Panda PM | 50/125 | 62/125 |
| Wavelength Range ( nm ) | 1250-1670 |  | 840-1350 |  |
| Insertion Loss (dB) ${ }^{\text {1, 2,3 }}$ | $\leq 0.5$ | $\leq 1.0$ |  |  |
| Backreflection (dB) ${ }^{1}$ | $\leq-60$ |  | $\leq-40$ |  |
| PDL (dB) ${ }^{2}$ | $\leq 0.05$ | N/A | N/A |  |
| PER (dB) ${ }^{1,2}$ | N/A | $\geq 23$ | N/A |  |
| Repeatability (dB) ${ }^{2,4}$ | $\pm 0.005$ |  |  |  |
| Crosstalk (dB) | <-80 |  |  |  |
| Port-to-port Variation (dB) | 0.2 dB typical |  |  |  |
| Maximum Input Power (dBm) | 23 |  |  |  |
| Switch Life | $10^{8}$ cycles |  |  |  |
| Switching Time (ms) | 300 |  |  |  |
| Remote Interface | 12C |  |  |  |
| Input Voltage | 12 V DC with $<120 \mathrm{mV} \mathrm{pp}^{\text {pr }}$ ripple |  |  |  |
| Power Consumption (VA) | <1.3 A @ 12 V |  |  |  |

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- OSX-100E switch
- Driver board
- Pigtailed power and 12C communication cable



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    Excluaing connectors
    Standard switch size ( 80 ch), $1 A$ and $2 B$ configurations.
    Add 0.2 for 2 a and 0.7 for 2A.
    ${ }^{4}$ Sequential switching. Add +0.02 for random.

