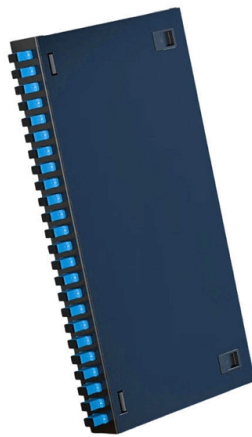


Internal Structure Description of Optical Module



Article Overview

An optical module consists of transmitting and receiving optical sections, driver and control circuits, optical coupling elements, and protective mechanical housing to enable efficient electro-optical conversion.

Transmitting Section

The transmitting section, often called TOSA (Transmit Optical Sub-Assembly), converts electrical signals into optical signals. Its core components include:

- **Light Source:** Typically a laser diode (LD) for high-speed, long-distance transmission or a light-emitting diode (LED) for short-distance, low-speed applications (). LDs offer higher output power, lower consumption, and better coupling efficiency.
- **Modulator:** In high-speed modules, a modulator encodes electrical data onto the light signal.
- **Monitoring Photodiode:** Monitors the output optical power to maintain stable transmission.
- **Temperature Control Elements:** Thermistors or thermoelectric coolers (TEC) regulate the light source temperature to ensure consistent performance ().

Receiving Section

The receiving section, often called ROSA (Receive Optical Sub-Assembly), converts incoming optical signals back into electrical signals...

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