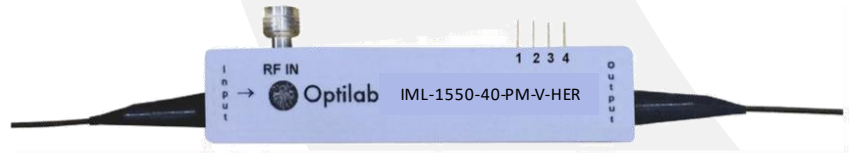


IML-1550-40-PM-V-HER



DEVICE

1550 nm, 40 GHz Intensity Modulator, PM Output, V Connectors, High Extinction Ratio

The Optilab IML-1550-40-PM-V-HER Intensity Modulator is designed for analog modulation of up to 40 GHz for microwave links, antenna remoting, and RF over Fiber. It is a high linearity, low driving voltage Lithium Niobate Mach Zehnder interferometer (MZI) design. It is a bias-stabilized lithium modulator that proves to be extremely stable for long periods of time, and features excellent stability in a biased circuit, operating from 1525 nm to 1610 nm. It has an excellent operating temperature tolerance ranging from -30 °C to +60 °C, and its low insertion loss provides for its maximum transmission power. The IML-1550-40-PM-V-HER uses a Polarization Maintaining (PM) input and output fiber and features separate RF and bias ports. Contact Optilab for more information.

OVERVIEW

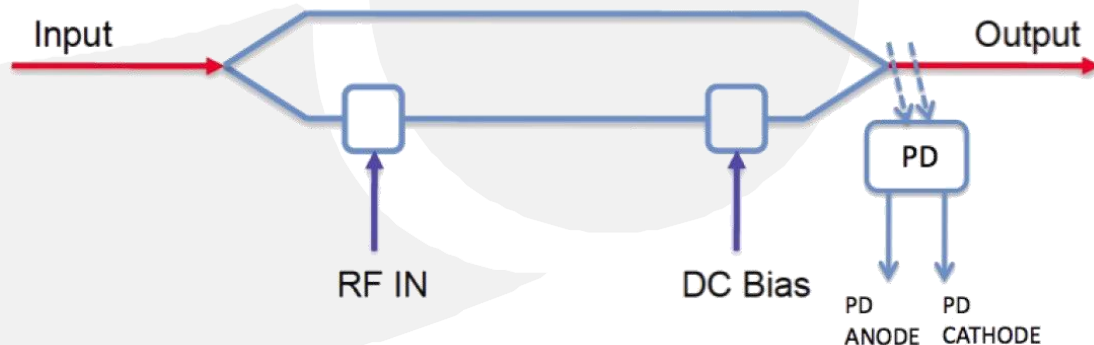
FEATURES

- Excellent stability in a biased circuit
- 1525nm to 1610nm range wavelength
- Ultra low drive voltage 2.0 V
- Low insertion loss < 4.5 dB
- Zero chirp design
- Built in monitor photodiode
- Customizable Options:
- High Extinction Ratio (>30 dB)
- Temperature Qualified (-55 °C to +75 °C)

USE IN

- 40 GHz RF over Fiber (RToF)
- Antenna remoting
- High frequency fiber optic links
- Delay Lines Telemetry Systems
- Instrumentation
- 43 Gb/s digital link
- Active mode-locked laser

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM





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SPECIFICATIONS

Input Optical Power	50 mW typ.; 100 mW max upon request
Operating Wavelength	1525 to 1610 nm
Chirp Value	$< \pm 0.2$ (zero chirp design)
Insertion Loss	4.5 dB typ., 5 dB max.
Extinction Ratio	≥ 30 dB
Optical Return Loss	≤ -45 dB
S21 Bandwidth (RF Port)	30 GHz typ. @ -3 dB
S11 Return Loss (RF Port)	≤ -8 dB @ 30 GHz
V π (RF Port)	3.0 V typ. @ low frequency, 3.0 V typ. @ 10 GHz, 4.5 V typ. @ 30 GHz
RF Input Power	27 dBm max.
Impedance (RF Port)	50 Ω typ.
S21 Bandwidth (Bias Port)	500 MHz typ.
V π (Bias Port)	≤ 2 V @ 1 KHz
PD Responsivity	40-100 mA/W typ.

GENERAL

Operating Temperature (Standard)	-30 °C to +60 °C
Operating Temperature (TQ Version)	-55 °C to +75 °C
Storage Temperature	-60 °C to +90 °C
Operating Humidity	0% to 90% Relative Humidity
Input/Output Fiber Type	PANDA - PM1550
Input/Output Connector	PM FC/APC, Customized is available
Bias Port Connector	2 PINS (Pin 1, 2)
TAP PD Connector	2 PINS (Pin 3, 4)
RF Port Connector	V Connector
Cabling	900 μ m
Dimensions	71mm x 16mm x 7mm

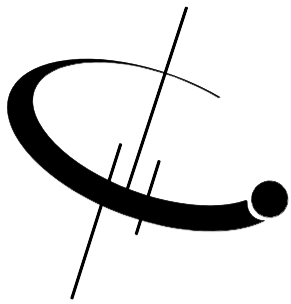
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OPTIONS

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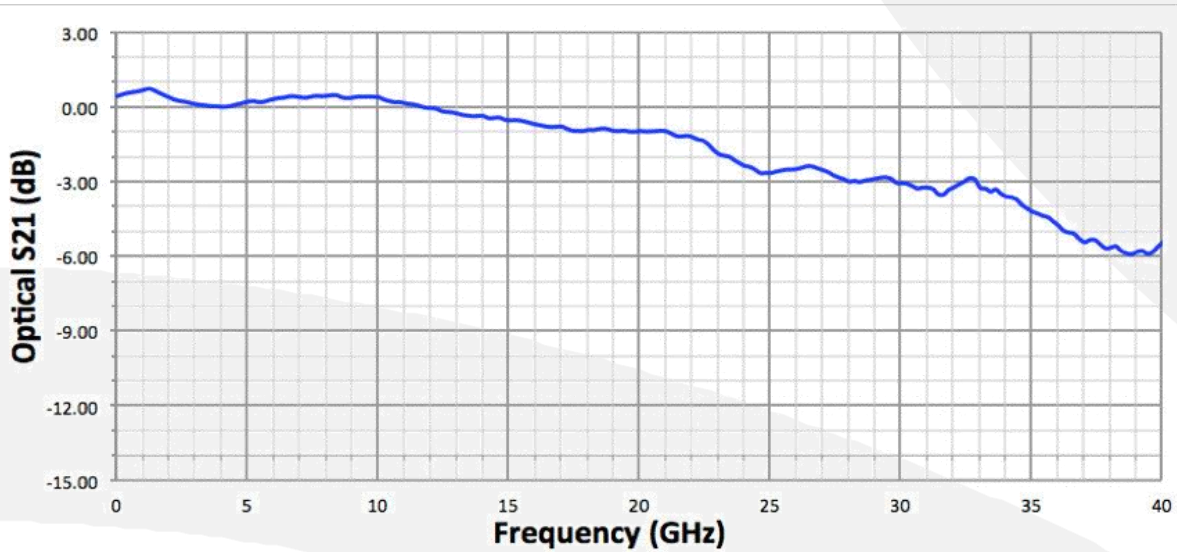
HER: High Extinction Ratio
xx **TQ:** Temperature Qualified



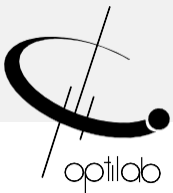
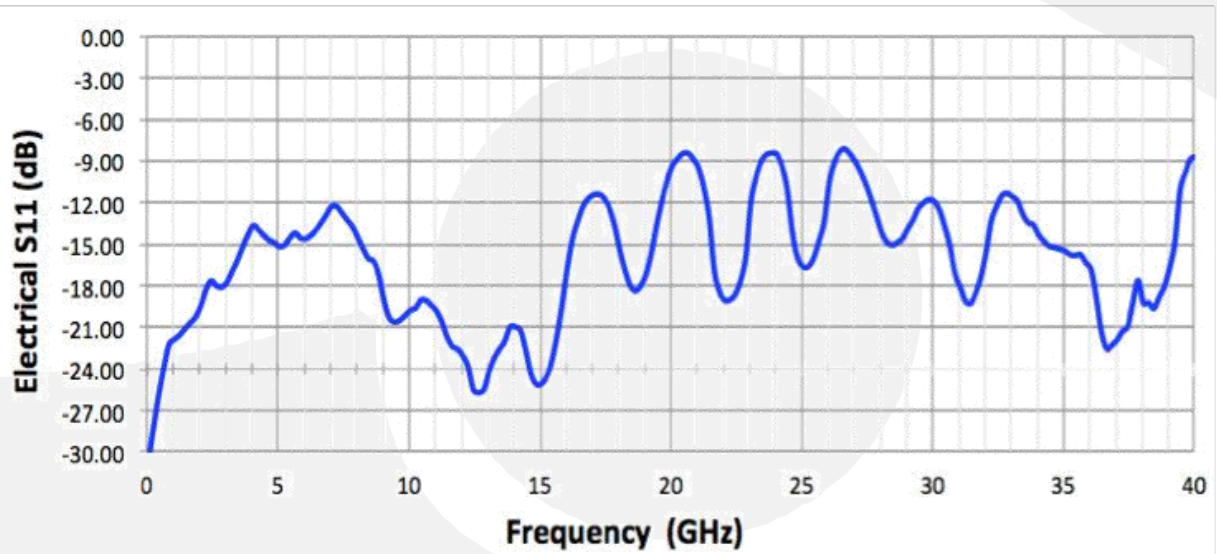


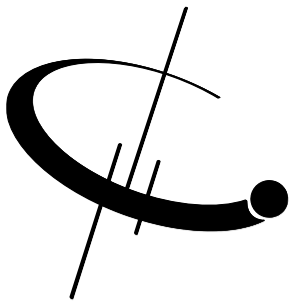
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TYPICAL S21 BANDWIDTH



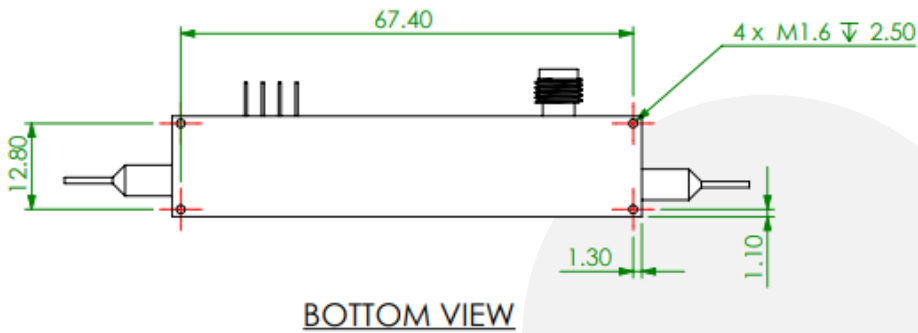
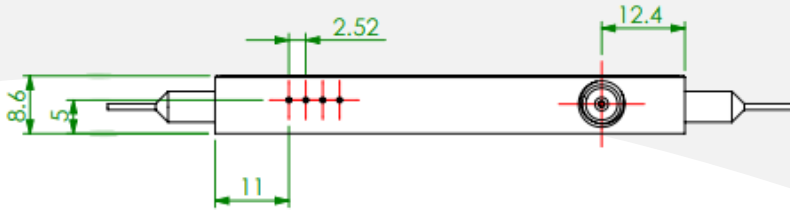
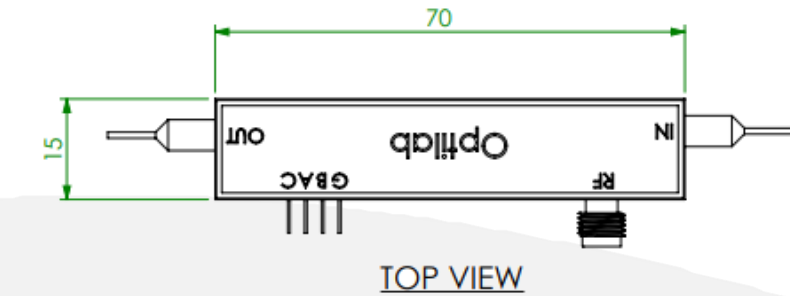
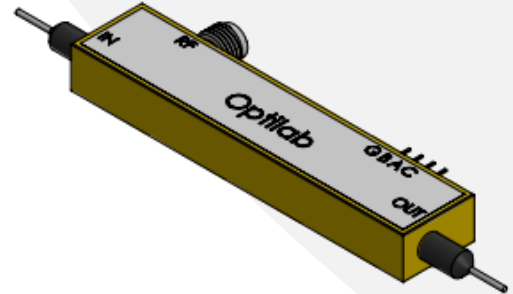
TYPICAL S11 BANDWIDTH





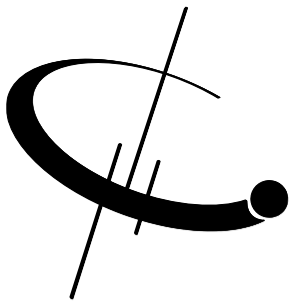
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MECHANICAL DRAWING



PINOUT	
PIN	DESCRIPTION
G	GROUND
B	DC BIAS
A	PD ANODE
C	PD CATHODE

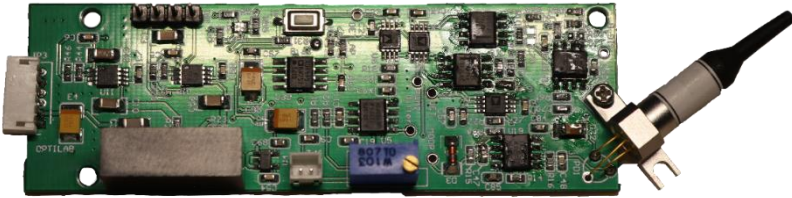




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Available Accessories

- **BCB-4**



The Optilab BCB-4 is a compact bias control board designed to maintain the linear operating point of optical intensity modulators.

