

LTB-40



DEVICE

40 GHz Lightwave Transmitter Board for OEM

OVERVIEW

The Optilab LTB-40 is a high performance Lightwave Transmitter Board designed for analog photonics applications from DC to 40 GHz. This unit includes a 32 GHz optical intensity modulator and an Automatic Bias Control (ABC) board with four different operating modes. The integrated internal DFB laser makes it a versatile solution for RFoF system integration. The LTB-40 requires a single ± 5 Volt DC power supply for operation. Contact Optilab for more information.

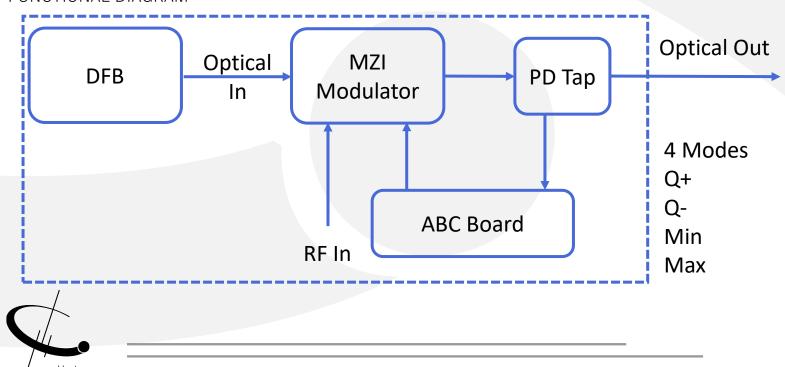
FEATURES

- 1520 nm to 1610 nm wavelength range
- Automatic Bias Control w/ 4 mode operation
- Internal DFB Laser up to 50 mW
- Customizable Options:
 - Low Drive Voltage
 - PM Output
 - High Extinction Ratio (>30 dB)

USE IN

- Satellite communication
- Optical Communications to 43 Gb/s
- Sub-nanosecond pulse generation
- Analog photonics
- 40 GHz RFoF transmission
- RF/IF signal distribution

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM





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SPECIFICATIONS

1520 nm to 1610 nm Operating Wavelength Internal DFB laser, 1550 ± 10 nm; other wavelength and Laser Source narrow linewidth < 1 MHz are available Laser Power Level 20 mW, 30 mW, 40 mW, 50 mW > 15 dB @ 10 GHz; > 10 dB @ 30 GHz RF Return Loss 511 O Impedance Operating Frequency Range DC to 40 GHz 27 dBm max. Input RF Voltage 6.5 dBm typ. With 20 mW DFB Optical Output Level 3 dB, 28 GHz typ. S21 Bandwidth Modulator Bias Mode 4 Automatic bias control modes, selectable by software $25 \, dB \, typ., > 30 \, dB \, (HE \, version)$ **Extinction Ratio** 6.4 V typ. @ 10 GHz, 8.3 V typ. @ 30 kHz, Modulator Voltage VPI 2.5 V typ. @ 10 GHz, 4.3 V typ. @ 30 GHz (LD version)

GENERAL

MECHANICAL

Operating Temperature (standard)	-30°C to +60°C
Storage Temperature	-60°C to +90°C
Power Supply Requirements	± 5 V, 1 A typ.
Optical Connectors	FC/APC
Fiber Type	SMF-28 output, PANDA output (PM version)
RF Input Connector	GPPO or V connector (LD version)
Power Connector	4 Pin Molex
Remote Control	USB 2.0 software included
Dimensions	206mm x 102.4mm x 31.5mm

ANALOG LINK PERFORMANCE

IIP3 @ 7 GHz	29 dB typ., 25 dBm typ. (LD version)
1 dB Compression Point @ 10 GHz	16 dBm typ., 8 dBm typ. (LD version)

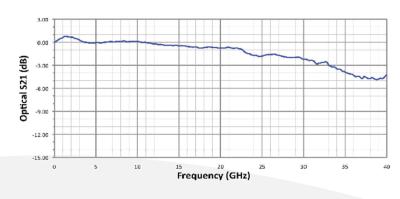
BIAS CONTROL MODE

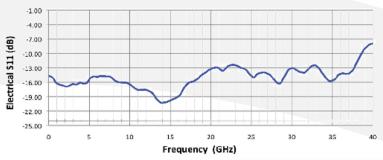
Q+	Set to quadrature point of positive slope for linear analog modulation	
Q-	Set to quadrature point of negative slope for linear analog modulation	
Min	Set to min. point of operation for pulse generator or digital modulation	
Max	Set to max. point of operation for pulse generator or digital modulation	





TYPICAL S21 AND S22 BANDWIDTH





OPTIONS

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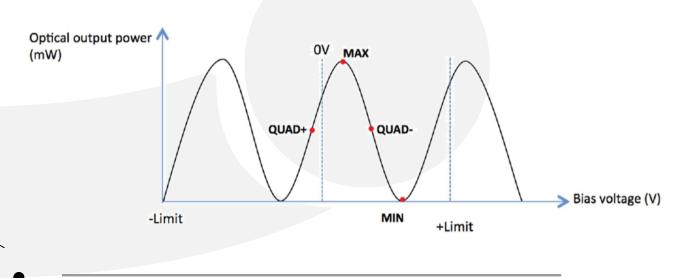
LD: Low Drive Voltage

XX: PM: Polarization Maintaining

HE: High Extinction Ratio

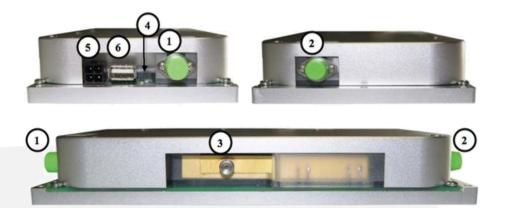
BIAS SETTING MODES FOR LTB

Based on sophisticated phase measurement of this small dither signal, LTB-40 provides four selectable operating modes: quadrature (Quad +), inverted quadrature (Quad-), minimum (Min), or maximum (Max) points.



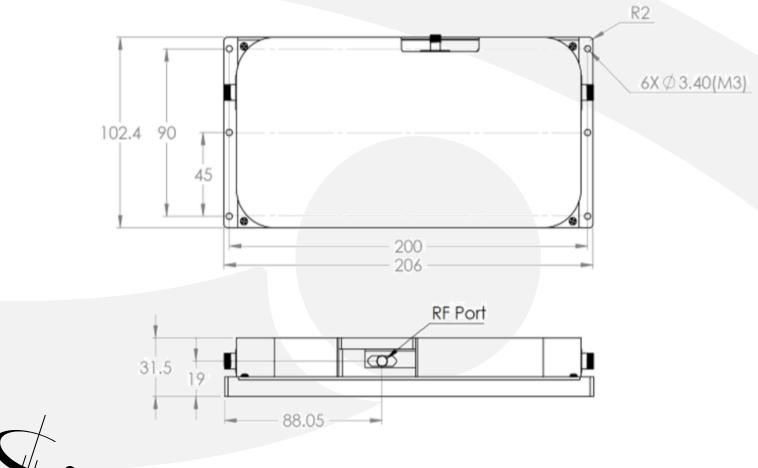


DETAILED LAYOUT



No.	Feature
1	NC
2	Optical Output Port
3	RF Input Port
4	LED Indicators
5	DC Connection Port
6	USB Control and Monitor Port

MECHANICAL DRAWING







PRECISION POWER SUPPLY

FRONT



BACK



General Specifications	
Parameters	Specifications
Input AC Voltage (VAC)	85-240
Input AC Current (A)	≤0.5
Input AC Frequency (HZ)	50-60
Transfer Efficiency	≤85%
DC Output Current (A)	4 A max.
DC Output Voltage (V)	±5 V
DC Voltage Ripple	≤2%
DC Connectors	Molex 4 Pin
Communication Connectors	DB-9 and USB 2.0
Dimensions (mm)	153x115x33

