Two-Optical-Two-Electrical Multimode Fiber Transceiver

Overview

Cisco 100Gbps QSFP100 SR1.2 BiDi Pluggable The Cisco QSFP-100G-SR1.2 BiDi is a parallel Quad Small Form-factor Pluggable (QSFP28) Bi-Direction optical modu.

Key Takeaways

A 2-Optical-2-Electrical (2O2E) multimode fiber transceiver converts two electrical signals into two optical signals and vice versa, enabling bidirectional data transmission over multimode fiber networks.

Overview

A 2O2E multimode fiber transceiver is a compact module designed to handle two simultaneous electrical-to-optical and optical-to-electrical conversions. It allows network devices to communicate over multimode fiber, which supports high-speed data transmission over short to medium distances, typically ranging from a few meters up to several hundred meters depending on the fiber type (OM3, OM4) and wavelength used. These transceivers are commonly used in industrial networks, data centers, and enterprise switches.

How It WorksElectrical-to-Optical Conversion (Transmission): Each electrical input signal is fed into a transmitter assembly (TOSA), where a LED or laser diode converts the electrical signal into light pulses. In multimode fiber transceivers, LEDs are often used for short-distance applications due to their cost-effectiveness and sufficient bandwidth. Optical Transmission: The light pulses travel through the multimode fiber core, reflecting internally through the cladding until they reach the receiving end.

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Multimode fibers allow multiple light modes to propagate simultaneously, which is suitable for short-range, high-bandwidth connections.

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Electrical Conversion (Reception): At the receiving end, the receiver optical sub-assembly (ROSA), typically containing a PIN photodiode and a transimpedance amplifier (TIA), converts the incoming light pulses back into electrical signals for processing by the network device. For higher sensitivity or longer distances, APD photodiodes may be used to amplify weak optical signals.

Applications

Industrial Fieldbus Networks: 2O2E transceivers are used in PROFIBUS or Modbus networks to convert RS-485 electrical signals into optical signals, enabling immunity to electromagnetic interference and longer cable runs. Data Centers and Enterprise Networks: They provide high-density, bidirectional connectivity between switches, routers, and servers using multimode fiber.

Redundant or Dual-

Channel Systems: The dual optical/electrical channels allow simultaneous transmission of two independent data streams, improving throughput and reliability.

Key Features

Bidirectional Communication: Supports simultaneous transmission and reception on two channels.

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Swappable: Many SFP-based 2O2E modules can be inserted or removed without powering down the network device. Distance and Bandwidth: Multimode fiber transceivers typically support distances up to 300–400 meters on OM3/OM4 fibers at data rates from 100 Mbps to 10 Gbps, depending on the module specification. Compatibility: Designed to comply with MSA standards for SFP modules, ensuring interoperability with various network equipment.

In summary, a 2-Optical-2-Electrical multimode fiber transceiver is a versatile module that enables dual-channel bidirectional communication over multimode fiber, bridging electrical network interfaces with optical networks while providing high-speed, reliable, and interference-resistant data transmission.

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