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MEMS Variable Optical Attenuation Pigtail (VOAP) with Build-in Isolator

Product Description

The MEMS VOAP is based on a micro-electro-mechanical mechanism featuring simple construction, high reliability, and excellent optical performance. The VOAP is compliant with the Telcordia 1209 and 1221 reliability standards, being available in either normally-open or normally-closed configurations and with an build-in isolator option. The VOAP is driven with an electrical current; and the attenuation can be continuously adjusted. The VOAP is designed to be part of laser or WDM package.

Features

- Compact
- Low Cost
- High Reliability
- Low IL, PDL, WDL & TDL
- Direct Drive
- Low Power Consumption

Applications

- Laser Power Control
- VMUX
- Power Balance
- Instrumentation

Performance S	pecifications

MEMS VOAP	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	
Wavelength 1310±50 and/o	or1480±	nm			
Insertion Loss ¹	0.4	0.6	0.8	dB	
Polarization Dependent Loss ²		0.15	0.25	dB	
Wavelength Dependent Loss ^{2, 4}		0.3	0.6	dB	
Temperature Dependent Loss ³		0.05	0.2	dB	
Attenuation Range ⁵		20	60	dB	
Attenuation Resolution	Continuous				
Polarization Mode Dispersion ²		0.15	0.25	ps	
Return Loss	50	· · ·		dB	
Response Time ⁶		* · · ·	5	ms	
Operating Temperature	-5		75	°C	
Isolation ⁷	20	28	40	dB	
Power Consumption ²		30		mW	
Optical Power Handling		300		mW	
Storage Temperature	-40	· · ·	85	°C	
Reliability	Telcordia 1209 and 1221				
Fiber Type ⁸	Corning SMF-28				
Package Dimension	22.6xØ7.0			mm	
Notes:					

1. Without connector and at room temperature, single stage isolator

- 2. At attenuation of 20dB or less, with single stage isolator
- 3. At 0 attenuation and at whole temperature range

4. Within 30nm bandwidth

5. On/off switch function available

6. Faster version (<1ms) is available

7. Dual stage isolator available on request

8. PM type available, ER>20dB