

LightBendTM Dual 1x1 Single-Mode Fiberoptic Switch (Bidirectional)

(Protected by U.S. patent 6823102 and pending patents)

Product Description

The LB Series Dual 1x1 fiberoptic switch connects optical channels by redirecting an incoming optical signal into a selected output fiber. This is achieved using a patent pending opto-mechanical configuration and activated via an electrical control signal. Latching operation preserves the selected optical path after the driver signal has been removed. The switch has integrated electrical position sensors. The new material-based advanced design significantly reduces moving part position sensitivity, offering unprecedented high stability as well as an unmatched low cost. Electronic driver is available for this series of switches. The switch is bidirectional.

We offer tight-bend-fiber version, which reduces the minimum bending radius from normal 15 mm to 7 mm. This feature enables smaller overall foot print.



Performance Specifications

LB Series Dual 1x1 Switch	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	
Wavelength		and 1260-	360 and 1510~1620 -1360 or 1510~1620 1260~1620	nm	
Insertion Loss 1,2		0.5	0.8(DW ³)	dB	
Wavelength Dependent Loss		0.15	$0.25(DW^3)$	dB	
Polarization Dependent Loss			0.1	dB	
Return Loss ^{1,2}	55			dB	
Cross Talk ¹	55			dB	
Switching Time		3	10	ms	
Repeatability			± 0.02	dB	
Durability	10 ⁷	,		Cycles	
Operating Optical Power		300	500 [*]	mW	
Operating Voltage	4.5	5	6	VDC	
Operating Current (Latching/Non-Latching)	1	30	60	mA	
Voltage Pulse Width (square)		20		ms	
Switching Type	Li	Latching / Non-Latching			
Operating Temperature	,	-5	~ 70	°C	
Storage Temperature	•	-40	~ 85	°C	
Fiber Type		SFM-28			
Package Dimension		30.0L x 2	7.0W X 8.2H	mm	

Notes:

- 1. 230 over operating wavelength and all SOP.
- ^{2.} Excluding Connectors.
- ^{3.} DW: Dual band and Broad band.
- * Continuous operation, for pulse operation call

Features

- Low Optical Distortions
- 8 Ports Integration
- High Isolation
- High Reliability
- Fail-Safe Latching
- Epoxy-Free Optical Path
- Low Cost

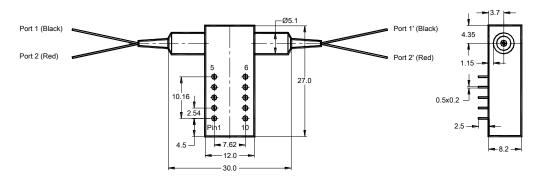
Applications

- Protection
- Instrumentation



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Mechanical Dimensions (Unit:mm)



Electrical Connector Configurations

The load is a resistive coil which is activated by applying 5V (draw ~ 40mA). Applying too long pulse for the latching version will heat up the device. Agiltron offers a computer control kit with TTL and USB interfaces and WindowsTM GUI. We also offer RS232 interface as an option - please contact Agiltron sales.

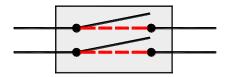
Latching Type

Optical Path	Electric Drive		Status Sensor				
	Pin 1	Pin 10	Pin 2-3	Pin 3-4	Pin 7-8	Pin 8-9	
1→1', 2→2'	GND	5V Pulse	Close	Open	Open	Close	
Block	5V Pulse	GND	Open	Close	Close	Open	

Non-Latching Type

	Optical Path	Electric Drive		Status Sensor					
		Pin 1	Pin 10	Pin 2-3	Pin 3-4	Pin 7-8	Pin 8-9		
	1→1', 2→2'	No Power		Close	Open	Open	Close		
	Block	5V	GND	Open	Close	Close	Open		

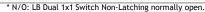
Functional Diagram



LB Dual 1x1 Switch

Ordering Information

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	Туре	Wavelength	Switch	Package	Fiber Type		Fiber Length	Connector
	1x1 Latching=11 1x1 N/O*=10 1x1 N/C**=1C Special=00		Latching Type =1 Non-latching Type=2 Special=0	Standard=1 Special=0	SMF-28=1 Corning XB=2 Draka BBE=3 Special=0	Bare fiber=1 900um tube=3 Special=0	0.5m=2 1.0m=3 Special=0	None=1 FC/PC=2 FC/APC=3 SC/PC=4 SC/APC=5 ST/PC=6 LC=7 Duplex LC=8 Special=0



^{**} N/C: LB Dual 1x1 Switch Non-Latching normally close.

