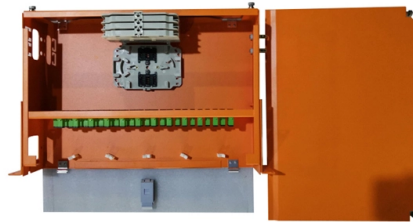


Optical patch cords and optical modules



Article Overview

Optical patch cords are short fiber optic cables with connectors on both ends for linking devices, while optical modules are transceivers that convert electrical signals to optical signals and vice versa.

Optical Patch Cords

Definition and Function: Optical patch cords, also called fiber optic jumpers, are short-length fiber optic cables terminated with connectors on both ends. They are used to interconnect optical devices such as transceivers, switches, patch panels, and distribution boxes, enabling low-loss, high-speed data transmission between devices in telecommunications, data centers, and industrial networks . Essentially, they act as a “bridge” for optical signals over short distances .

- **Simplex Patch Cords:** Contain a single fiber, suitable for one-way communication.
- **Duplex Patch Cords:** Contain two fibers, ideal for two-way communication in high-speed networks .
- **Connector Combinations:** Common types include LC to LC (compact, high-density), SC to SC (robust, telecom), and ST to ST (rugged, industrial/military) connectors .

Fiber Types:

- **Single-Mode Fiber (SMF):** 9µm core, laser light, long-distance applications.
 - **Multimode Fiber (MMF):** 50µm or 62.5µm core, LED light, shorter distances like data centers .
- Key Considerations:** Bend radius, connector cleanliness, and compatibility (e.g., APC vs UPC) are critical to maintain signal quality .

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