

Optical module and optical patch cord



Article Overview

Selecting the right patch cord for an optical module is essential for network stability, performance, and signal quality.

Understanding Optical Modules and Patch Cords

An optical module is a transceiver that converts electrical signals into optical signals for fiber optic transmission. A fiber patch cord is a short fiber optic cable with connectors on both ends, used to connect optical modules to switches, patch panels, or other network devices . Correct matching ensures efficient data transmission, minimal signal loss, and reliable network performance .

Key Matching Parameters

1. Interface Type: Common patch cord interfaces include LC, SC, FC, ST, and MPO/MTP. LC is widely used for modern data centers, while MPO/MTP supports high-speed parallel transmission for 40G, 100G, or higher networks . 2. Endface Type:

- PC (Physical Contact): Standard micro-spherical polish, suitable for most applications.
- UPC (Ultra Physical Contact): Optimized PC with lower insertion loss.
- APC (Angled Physical Contact): 8-degree polish to reduce reflections, ideal for long-distance or high-speed links . 3. Fiber Type:
- Single-mode (OS2): Best for long-distance transmission (10 km-80 km+).
- Multimode (OM1/OM2/OM3/OM4/OM5): Suitable for short to medium distances within data centers, with OM3/OM4/OM5 supporting higher bandwidth . 4. MPO/MTP...

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