

PD-20-HP-M



DEVICE

20 GHz Photodiode, High Input Power to 100 mW

OVERVIEW

The Optilab PD-20-HP-M is a 20 GHz highly linear photodiode module designed for RF over Fiber, antenna remoting, and broadband RF transmission applications using optical fiber. It can accept optical input power levels of up to 100 mW, with a linear operation up to 50 mW input level. With high input power, the PD-20-HP-M can be used to replace a TIA-based photoreceiver with a comparable RF output power. When the PD-20-HP-M RF over fiber receiver module is linked with the LTA series of transmitter modules, the combination provides an excellent solution for wideband RF to fiber conversion applications. Contact Optilab for more information.

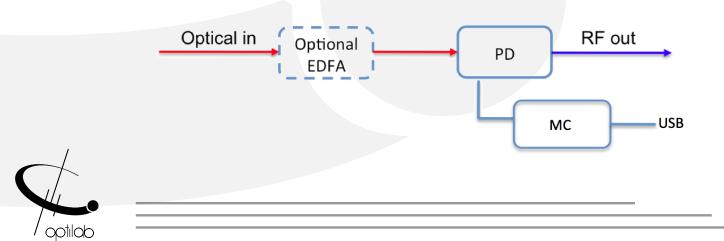
FEATURES

- Bandwidth up to 20 GHz
- High dynamic range
- High Input Power handling of 100 mW
- Linear Operation up to 50 mW Optical Input
- Link gain of -5 dB @ 10 GHz, @ 16 dBm input

USE IN

- Wideband RF transmission over fiber
- RF/IF signal distribution
- Satcom microwave antenna signal distribution
- Broadband delay-line and signal processing
- Phased and interferometric array antenna
- LIDAR receivers

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM





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SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL

1450 nm to 1610 nm Operating Wavelength Optical Input Level 100 mW max. S21 3 dB Bandwidth 17 GHz min., 20 GHz typ. S22 Characteristics < -10 dB @ 10 GHz 60 KHz Low Frequency Cut Off Responsivity 0.95 A/W @ 1550 nm typ. Dark Current @ 25°C 50 nA typ., 100 nA max. Optical Return Loss -30 dB typ. Optical PDL @ 1550 nm 0.2 dB max. SMF-28 Optical Fiber 50 Ω Impedance Coupling AC-Coupled

ANALOG APPLICATIONS

Ripple over any 1 GHz	± 1.0 dB max.
Group Delay	< 7.0 ps
2 nd Harmonics Distortion	-70.0 dBc max.
3 rd Harmonics Distortion	-75.0 dBc max.

LINK PERFORMANCE WITH LTA-20

SFDR	113 dB Hz _{2/3}
Link Loss @ 10 GHz	-11 dB @ 17 dBm Optical Input

-10°C to +60°C Operating Temperature Storage Temperature -55°C to +75°C 85% Operating Humidity ± 5 V DC, 500 mA max. Power Supply Requirements **Optical Connector** FC/APC, other optional SMA Connector Female, $50 \, \Omega$ **RF Output Connector** 4-PIN Molex **Electrical Power Connector** RS-485 Interface (standard) via USB Remote Alarms 115mm x 106mm x 24.5mm Dimensions Accessories Included PS-5-M Power Supply and Cables Precision Mach. Anodized Aluminum Housing

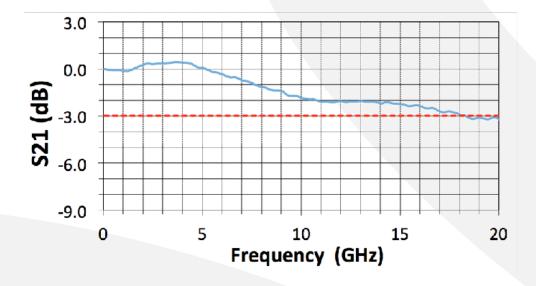
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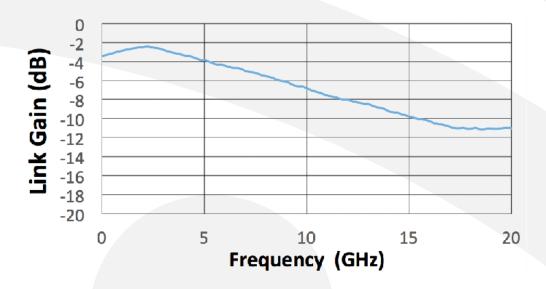


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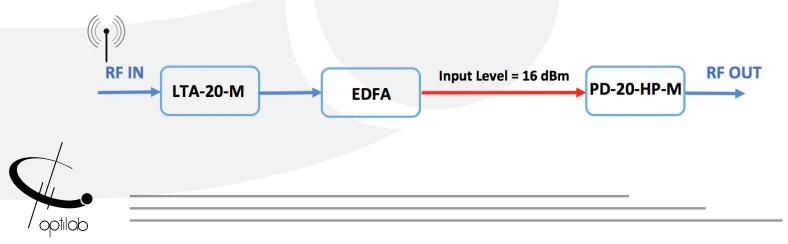
TYPICAL S21 RESPONSE



LINK GAIN WITH LTA-20-M



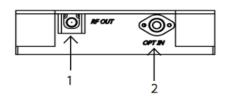
TEST CONDITIONS & LINK GAIN MEASUREMENTS

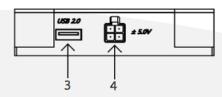




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MECHANICAL DRAWINGS





Port Function Description

1	RF Output
2	Optical Input
3	USB 2.0
4	±5 VDC In





