

Optical splitter chip p-level standard



AI Overview

The “P-level” in optical splitter chips generally refers to polarization-related performance, with PLC splitters designed to minimize polarization-dependent loss (PDL) while meeting standard split ratios like 1x2, 1x4, 1x8, 1x32, or 1x64.

Overview of Optical Splitter Standards

Optical splitters, particularly Planar Lightwave Circuit (PLC) splitters, are widely used in Passive Optical Networks (PONs) to distribute a single optical signal to multiple endpoints without requiring power. The ITU-T G.984 standard for GPON networks specifies the use of splitters to share a single optical line among multiple subscribers, typically with split ratios such as 1x32 or 1x64. These splitters are passive, meaning they do not require electricity, and are installed between the Optical Line Terminal (OLT) and Optical Network Terminals (ONTs).

Splitter Architectures and Placement

Two main architectures are used in PON networks:

- Centralized splitting:** Splitters are located at a central office or cabinet, allowing flexible customer-to-splitter assignment via fiber jumpers.
- Distributed splitting:** Splitters are placed in field closures or pedestals, with fixed customer assignments and no jumper-based reconfiguration.

The choice of architecture affects fiber counts, network cost, and operational efficiency.

Key Performance Metrics

For optical splitter chips, the P-level standard often relates to polarization-dependent loss (PDL), which measures how the splitter's performance varies with the polarization state of the input light. High-quality PLC splitters aim for low PDL (typically

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