

1955 F/R/W Coaxial DFB Laser Diode

1550 nm CWDM 5 MHz – 4000 MHz



Applications

- Video Signal Distribution in HFC and FTTx Nodes
- Signal Distribution in L-Band and Wireless Remoting Links
- High Linearity, Low Power Fiber Links

Features

- Linear DFB Laser Design
- Output Power Up to 10 dBm Available
- Bandwidth 5 – 4000 MHz
- RoHS Compliance
- Single and Double Optical Isolator
- High Slope Efficiency up to 0.3mW/mA
- Monitor Photodiode

EMCORE's Model 1955 DFB lasers offer a low cost solution for linear fiber optic links. These components can be cooled with external thermo-electric coolers for high stability, or run without TEC's to reduce power consumption. The DFB laser builds upon Ortel's long history of high performance, leading edge designs in CATV, wireless, and high speed digital applications. The laser diode devices are packaged in a compact hermetic assembly together with monitor photodiode and isolator, for flexible integration into various transmitter configurations.

Performance Highlights

Parameters	Min	Typical	Max	Units
Operating Case Temperature Range	-40	-	85	°C
Optical Output Power ⁽¹⁾	3	-	4.9	dBm
	5	-	5.9	
	6	-	8.9	
	9	-	9.9	
	10	-	11.9	
Frequency Range	5	-	4000	MHz
Carrier-to-Noise Ratio (79 channels) ⁽¹⁾	51	-	-	dB
Composite Second Order (79 channels) ⁽¹⁾				
	Standard Linearity	-	-55	dBc
	Enhanced Linearity	-	-57	
Composite Triple Beat (79 channels) ⁽¹⁾				
	Standard Linearity	-	-65	dBc
	Enhanced Linearity	-	-68	
Optical Return Loss ⁽¹⁾	45	-	-	dB
Side Mode Suppression Ratio, CW ⁽¹⁾	30	-	-	dB

1. Performance at Tcase = 25°C



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Absolute Maximum Ratings¹

Stresses in excess of the absolute maximum ratings can cause permanent damage to the device. These are absolute stress ratings only. Functional operation of the device is not implied at these or any other conditions in excess of those given in the operational sections of the data sheet. Exposure to absolute maximum ratings for extended periods can adversely affect device reliability.

Parameters	Symbol	Condition/Notes	Min	Max	Unit
Storage Temperature	T _{STG}	Non-Operating	-40	85	°C
Operating Case Temperature	T _{OP}	Continuous	-40	85	°C
Laser Diode Forward Current	I _{OP}	CW	-	150	mA
Laser Diode Reverse Voltage	V _R	Continuous	-	1.0	V
Photodiode Forward Current	I _{MPD}	Continuous	-	2	mA
Photodiode Reverse Voltage	V _{MPD,R}	Continuous	-	10	V
Average RF Input Power	PIN	60 Seconds	-	62	dBmV
Lead Soldering Temperature/Time	-	-	-	260/10	°C/sec
Relative Humidity	RH	Continuous	-	85	%
ESD	-	Human Body Model	-500	+500	V

1. Absolute maximum data are limited to system design only; proper device performance is not guaranteed over rating listed above. Operation beyond these maximum conditions may degrade device performance, lead to device failure, shorter lifetime, and will invalidate the device warranty.

Electrical/Optical Characteristics

Parameters	Symbol	Conditions/Notes	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Optical Output Power	P _O	1955R opt model: 3-6dBm	3	-	4.9	dBm
		1955W opt model: 3-10 dBm	5	-	5.9	
			6	-	8.9	
		1955F opt model: 3-10 dBm	9	-	9.9	
Threshold Current	I _{TH}	T _{case} = 25°C	-	8	15	mA
		T _{case} = 45°C	-	13	20	
Laser Bias Current	I _{OP}		-	-	80	mA
Forward Voltage	V _F	I _{op}	-	1.17	1.8	V
Slope Efficiency	SE	T _{case} = 25°C, I _{op}	0.07	-	0.3	mW/mA
Thermal Slope Efficiency	TSE	SE(T _c)/SE(25°C) T _{case} = -20°C to 85°C	0.4	-	1.2	-
Laser Input Impedance	Z	-	2	4	8	Ω
MPD Current	I _{MPD}	V _{MPD} = 5V, I _{op}	50	-	2000	μA
MPD Dark Current	I _D	V _{MPD} = 5V, I _{op} = 0 T _{case} = 25°C	-	-	50	nA
Relative Intensity Noise	RIN	CW, I _{op} , T _{case} = 25°C 5 MHz - 1002 MHz	-	-	-150	dB/Hz

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Electrical/Optical Characteristics (continued)

Parameters	Symbol	Conditions/Notes	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Tracking Error	ΔPf	$I_{MON} = \text{const}$ $ER = 10\log(P_o/2.0)$ [dB]	-1	-	+1	dB
Optical Isolation, $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	ISO	Double Isolator Single Isolator	45 30	- -	- -	dB
Spectral Width (-20 dB)	$\Delta\lambda$	I_{op}	-	0.1	1.0	nm
Side Mode Suppression Ratio	SMSR	I_{op}	30	45	-	dB
Optical Return Loss	ORL	$T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	35	-	-	dB
Rise Time	t_r	$T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.05	0.10	ns
Fall Time	t_f	$T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.10	0.15	ns
Extinction Ratio	ER	$10\log(2.0mW/P_f(lth))$	10	-	-	dB

1. Referenced to base of TO header.

Forward Path RF Characteristics

1955F Performance Parameter	Symbol	Conditions/Notes	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Frequency Response Flatness ¹	$ S_{21} $	47 MHz – 1002 MHz 5 MHz – 4000 MHz	- -	- -	1 4	dB _{p-p}
Response Up-tilt ¹		$47 \text{ MHz} < f < 1002 \text{ MHz}$	-1		3	dB
Carrier-to-Noise Ratio ^{2,3,4}	CNR	I_{op}	51	-	-	dB
Composite Second Order ^{2,3,4} Standard Linearity Enhanced Linearity	CSO	I_{op} $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	- -	- -	-55 -57	dBc
Composite Triple Beat ^{2,3,4} Standard Linearity Enhanced Linearity	CTB	I_{op} $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	- -	- -	-65 -68	dBc

- I_{op} , $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Test with the laser Input pin matched to a 50Ω system.
- 3.7% OMI, 79 NTSC unmodulated carriers (50 MHz to 550 MHz). 10 km fiber.
- Received power = 0 dBm.
- I_{op} , $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Test with the laser Input pin matched to a 75Ω system.

Return Path RF Characteristics

1955R Performance Parameters	Symbol	Conditions/Notes	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Frequency Response Flatness ¹	$ S_{21} $	5 MHz - 200 MHz	-	-	1	dB _{p-p}
Second Order Distortion ² Standard Linearity Enhanced Linearity	DSO	$P_F = 3 \text{ dBm}$, OMI = 10% each 2-tone test: $f_1=13\text{MHz}$, $f_2=19\text{MHz}$ 20 km of fiber (7.5 dB total loss with connector) DSO meas at 6MHz, 32MHz	- -	- -	-45 -50	dBc
Third Order Distortion ² Standard Linearity Enhanced Linearity	DTB	$P_F = 3 \text{ dBm}$, OMI = 10% each 2-tone test: $f_1=13\text{MHz}$, $f_2=19\text{MHz}$ 20 km of fiber (7.5 dB total loss with connector) DTB meas at 7MHz, 25MHz	- -	- -	-63 -65	dBc

- I_{op} , $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Test with the laser Input pin matched to a 50Ω system.
- I_{op} , $T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Test with laser input pin matched to a 75Ω system.

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Wide Bandwidth Path RF Characteristics

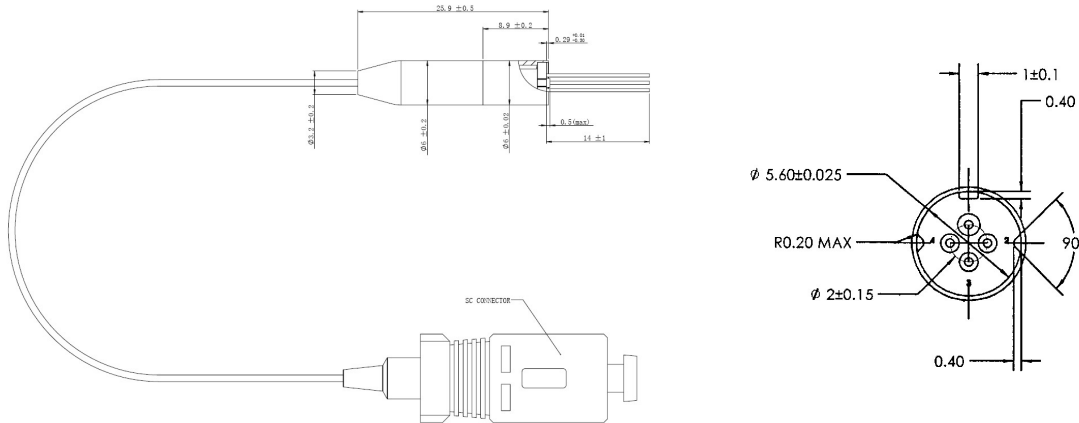
1955W Performance Parameters	Symbol	Conditions/Notes	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Frequency Response Flatness ¹	$ S_{21} $	900 MHz – 4000 MHz	-	-	4	dB _{p-p}
Input Third Order Intercept ²	IIP3	Standard Linearity, I_{bb}	30	-	-	dBm
1dB Compression Point ³	P_{1dB}	I_{bb}	16	-	-	dBm

1. I_{op} , $T_{case} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$. Test with the laser Input pin matched to a 50 Ω system.

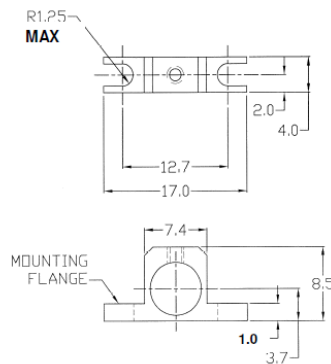
2. IIP3 is measured at I_{bb} where I_{bb} is the bias point at which simultaneously the laser at its best linearity and the optical power is within specification. Test Frequency F1 = 2700MHz, F2 = 2703MHz, RF in = 0dBm/frequency. 0km fiber.

3. Test at 2700MHz. 0km fiber.

Package Outline Drawing (dimensions are in mm)



Mounting Bracket



NOTES:

1. UNIT: mm

2. TOLERANCE: ±0.1mm UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

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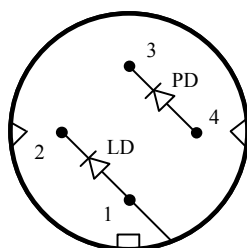
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Reliability/Quality

Designed to meet qualification requirements of Telcordia™ (Bellcore) GR-468-CORE.

Schematic and Pinout

Schematic and Pinout A



Pinout A

Bottom View

Pin Definitions for Pinout A

Pin	Description
1	LD Anode, Case Ground
2	LD Cathode
3	PD Cathode
4	PD Anode

Laser Safety

This product meets the appropriate standard in Title 21 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). FDA/CDRH Class 1 laser product. This device has been classified with the FDA/CDRH under accession number 0220191.

All version of this laser are Class 1 laser product, tested according to IEC 60825-1:2007/EN 60825-1:2007

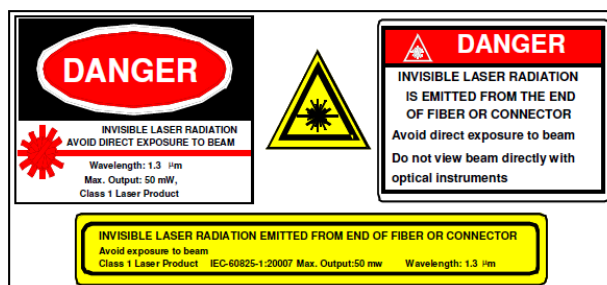
Single-mode fiber pigtail with SC/APC connectors (standard).

Wavelength = 1.3 μm .

Maximum power = 50 mW.

Because of size constraints, laser safety labeling (including an FDA class 1 label) is not affixed to the module, but attached to the outside of the shipping carton. Product is not shipped with power supply.

Caution: Use of controls, adjustments and procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous laser radiation exposure.



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Ordering Code Definitions

1955x - a - bb - c - dddd - ww - yy - z

							Family Name 1955F: Forward Path 1955R: Return Path 1955W: Wide Bandwidth
							Distortion Performance a = A: Standard Linearity a = B: Enhanced Linearity (not available for 1955W)
							Optical Isolator bb = DI: Double Isolator (only available for optical 3 – 6dBm) bb = SI: Single Isolator
							Pinout c = A: Pinout A
							O-Band Wavelength dddd = 1470:1470 nm dddd = 1490:1490 nm dddd = 1510:1510 nm dddd = 1530:1530 nm dddd = 1550:1550 nm dddd = 1570:1570 nm dddd = 1590:1590 nm dddd = 1610:1610 nm
							Fiber Length, Optical Connector ww = FA: FC/APC, 900 micron buffer, 1.0 – 1.4 meter ww = SA: SC/APC, 900 micron buffer, 1.0 – 1.4 meter
							Optical Output Power yy = 03: 3 dBm (2 mW) yy = 05: 5 dBm (3 mW) yy = 06: 6 dBm (4 mW) yy = 09: 9 dBm (8 mW) – (only available for 1935F and 1935W) yy = 10: 10 dBm (10 mW) – (only available for 1935F and 1935W)
							Mounting Bracket z = B: Mounting Bracket z = N: No Mounting Bracket

Example

1955F-B-DI-A-1550-SA-10-N: Forward Path Uncooled 1550 nm CWDM Coaxial Laser, Enhanced Linearity, Double Isolator, Pinout A, 1550 nm, SC/APC optical connector, 10 dBm optical power, no mounting bracket.