

MULTIMODE POWER COMBINER WITH PM SIGNAL FEEDTHROUGH

PM 6+1x1 TFB

The Gooch & Housego tapered fiber bundle(TFB) series power combiners provide a high efficiency means of combining light from several multimode sources into one fiber.

G&H proprietary manufacturing techniques allow the precise fusion of input fibers around a central PM (polarization maintaining) signal feedthrough fiber and a PM dual clad output fiber providing high coupling efficiency over a wide pump wavelength range.

Available in a standard 6+1x1 configuration, the combiner can be fabricated from a range of industry standard fibers for ease of splicing to commercially available laser diodes and fiber applications.

Custom variants using non-standard fibers are available on request.

Please contact the sales team for further information.



Key Features

- 1.5 μm & 1.0 μm PM signal fibers available
- All fiber construction
- High power design
- High coupling efficiency
- PM Axis maintained
- Custom configurations available

Applications

- Cladding pumped fiber lasers
- Cladding pumped fiber amplifiers
- Telecoms
- Medical
- Industrial
- Defense

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Optical Specifications¹

Parameter	Specification					
Pump input fiber NA	0.15	0.22				
Pump input wavelength	900 to 1000 nm					
Signal input wavelength	1550 or 1064 nm					
Pump (MM) transmission efficiency ²	≥90% (Typ >95%)	≥90%				
Signal transmission efficiency ³	≥80% (Typ >85%)					
Signal PER (polarization extinction ratio)	>20 dB					
Return loss/directivity	>40 dB					
Operating temperature	0 - +75°C					
Storage temperature	-40 - +85°C					

1 All specifications are for operation at room temperature.

2 MM Transmission efficiencies based on typical system mode fill conditions and 0.5 m pigtails. Reported at 975 nm as standard.

3 Signal (feedthrough) transmission efficiency reported at center wavelength; specification typical for center wavelength ±15 nm (minimum).

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Order code

Order codes are comprised of a standard device prefix (e.g. TFB) followed by code letters or numbers which correspond to available options.

Sample: TFB-P50611B30 (PM 6+1x1 tapered fiber bundle, 1550 nm signal feedthrough, six 105/125 μm 0.15 NA pump inputs, 1550 nm core DCF output, regular housing, 0.5 m pigtails).

Order code			1	2	3	4	5	5		\bigcirc	8	9			
Т		F	В	-	Р			6	1						
23	Signa	al wave	length ¹		1064 nm					1550 nm					
	Code				64					50					
4	Conf input	-	on (No. of	pump	6 pump inputs										
	Code				6										
5	Pum	p input	fiber		105/125 µm										
	Code				1										
6	Pump input fiber NA				0.15					0.22					
	Code				1					2					
7	DCF output fiber ²				1060 nm core. 130 µm/0.45 NA					1550 nm core. 130 µm/0.45 NA					
	Code				A					В					
8	Hous	sing ³			Regu	ılar ø 3 x 5	5 mm			high power ² x 60 mm ³			Level 2 high power 5 mm ² x 60mm ³		
	Code					З			7			8			
9	Pigtail length ⁴				0.5 m			1 n	m			2 m			
	Code					0			1			2			

1 Signal wavelengths of 1064 nm or 1550 nm assume the use of Nufern PM-980-HP and PM-1550-HP (or equivalent) signal feedthrough fibers respectively.

2 Typical mode field diameters are based on ~7.5 µm for 1064 nm and ~10.5 µm for 1550 nm. Fibers are passive.

3 Maximum housing lengths. Note- Adequate heat-sinking is required for high power operation. High power multimode combiner application notes (PEC 0134) on website or consult sales office.

4 Minimum pigtail lengths.



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