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The DR-DG-10-MO-NRZ is a driver module specially designed for 10 Gbps / 12.5 Gbps data transmission with NRZ format. It exhibits a 20 dB gain and can deliver an output signal up to  $8 \, V_{DD}$ .

The DR-DG-10-MO-NRZ is a key component to obtain high quality 12.5 Gbps eye diagrams with high SNR, low jitter and short rise and fall time. It operates from a single power supply for safety and ease of use, and offers gain control over 3 dB. It comes with SMA type RF connectors (female in, male out) and with an optional heat sink.

### **FEATURES**

- Output voltage 8 V<sub>DD</sub>
- High SNR > 25
- Flat gain up to 8 GHz
- Single voltage power supply

### **APPLICATIONS**

- LiNbO<sub>3</sub> modulators
- 12.5 Gbps NRZ
- OC-192 SONET / SDH
- · Research & Development

### **OPTIONS**

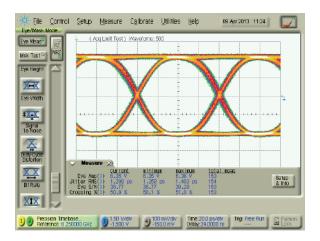
- Heat-sink
- Alternative RF connectors
- High output voltage version (12 V<sub>m</sub>)
- High bandwith version (15 GHz)

# Performance Highlights

| Parameter           | Min  | Тур | Max | Unit     |
|---------------------|------|-----|-----|----------|
| Cut-off Frequencies | 50 k | -   | 8 G | Hz       |
| Output Voltage      | -    | 6   | 9   | $V_{pp}$ |
| Gain                | -    | 30  | -   | dB       |
| Saturated Power     | -    | 6   | -   | dBm      |
| Added Jitter        | -    | 900 | -   | fs       |
| Rise / Fall Times   | -    | 12  | 14  | ps       |

Measurements for  $V_{bias} = 10 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{amp} = 0.45 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{xp} = 0.3 \text{ V}$ ,  $I_{bias} = 380 \text{ mA}$ 

### 12.5 Gbps Output Response



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### **DC Electrical Characteristics**

| Parameter              | Symbol            | Min | Тур   | Max | Unit |
|------------------------|-------------------|-----|-------|-----|------|
| Supply voltage (fixed) | V <sub>bias</sub> | -   | 12    | -   | V    |
| Current consumption    | l <sub>bias</sub> | -   | 0.260 | -   | Α    |
| Gain control voltage   | V <sub>amp</sub>  | 0   | 0.4   | -   | V    |

### **Electrical Characteristics**

| Parameter              | Symbol                         | Condition   | Min | Тур     | Max | Unit            |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|---|-----|---------|-----|-----------------|
| Lower frequency        | f <sub>3db</sub> , lower       | -3 dB point   | 45  | 60      | -   | kHz             |
| Upper frequency        | f <sub>3db</sub> , upper       | -3 dB point   | 6   | 8       | -   | GHz             |
| Gain                   | S <sub>21</sub>                | Small signal  | -   | 21      | -   | dB              |
| Gain ripple            | -                              | < 8 GHz   | -   | ±1.5    | -   | dB              |
| Input return loss      | S <sub>11</sub>                | 50 KHz < f < 10 GHz   | -   | -10     | -   | dB              |
| Output return loss     | S <sub>22</sub>                | 50 KHz < f < 10 GHz   | -   | -10     | -   | dB              |
| Saturated Output power | P <sub>sat</sub>               | $V_{in} = 0.5 V_{pp}$   | 21  | 22      | -   | dBm             |
| Output voltage         | V <sub>out</sub>               | $V_{in} = 0.5 V_{pp}$   | 3   | -       | 8   | V <sub>pp</sub> |
| Rise time / Fall time  | t <sub>r</sub> /t <sub>f</sub> | 20 % - 80 %   | -   | 22 / 22 | -   | ps              |
| Added jitter           | J <sub>RMS</sub>               | J <sub>RMS</sub> = J <sup>2</sup> <sub>RMS-total</sub> - J <sup>2</sup> <sub>RMS-source</sub> | -   | 0.8     | -   | ps              |
| Power dissipation      | Р                              | $V_{out} = 6 V_{pp}$  | -   | 3       | -   | W               |

Conditions:  $V_{in} = 0.5 V_{pp'}$ ,  $T_{amb} = 25$  °C,  $50 \Omega$  system

### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

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.

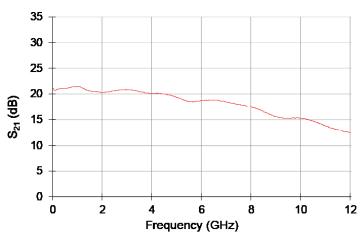
| Parameter                | Symbol            | Min | Max | Unit            |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-----|-----|-----------------|
| RF input voltage         | V <sub>in</sub>   | -   | 1   | V <sub>pp</sub> |
| Supply Voltage           | V <sub>bias</sub> | 0   | 13  | V               |
| DC current               | l                 | 0   | 0.4 | А               |
| Gain control voltage     | V <sub>amp</sub>  | 0   | 1   | V               |
| Power dissipation        | P <sub>diss</sub> | -   | 5.2 | W               |
| Temperature of operation | T <sub>op</sub>   | -5  | +50 | °C              |
| Storage temperature      | T <sub>st</sub>   | -40 | +70 | °C              |



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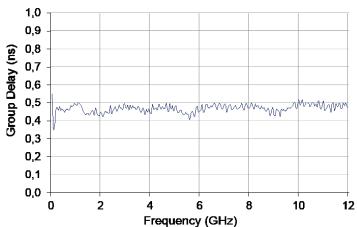


Conditions:  $V_{bias} = 12 \text{ V}$ ,  $V_{amp} = 0.47 \text{ V}$ ,  $I_{bias} = 350 \text{ mA}$ 



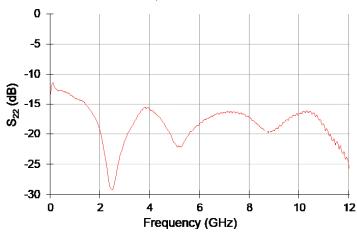
### **Group Delay Parameter Curve**

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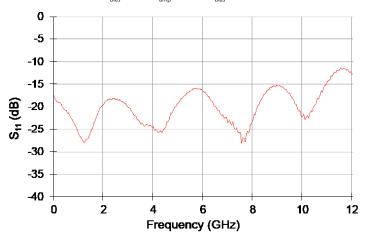
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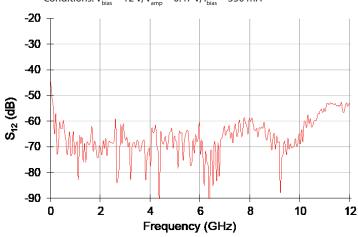
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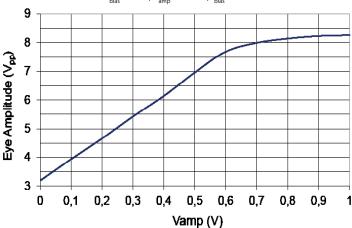
# S<sub>12</sub> Paremeter Curve

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# Typical Output Voltage Amplitude vs V<sub>amp</sub>

Conditions:  $V_{bias} = 12 \text{ V}, V_{amp} = 0.47 \text{ V}, I_{bias} = 350 \text{ mA}$ 



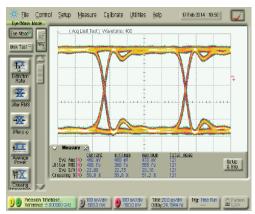


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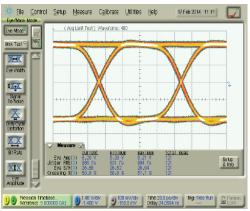
### **Eye Diagrams**

### 10.709 Gbps data rate

Conditions: Ratio y, Pattern  $2^{31}$ -1  $V_{bias} = 12 \text{ V}, V_{amp} = 0.4 \text{ V}, I_{bias} = 231 \text{ mA}$ 



# Input signal Generated by Anritsu MP1800A Eye amplitude = $0.137 \, V_{pp'}$ , Rise time = 14 ps Jitter RMS = $489 \, \text{fs}$ , SNR = 22.9

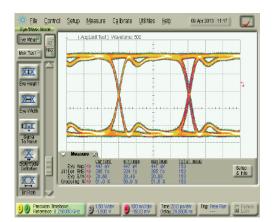


### Output response

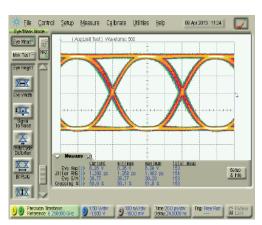
Mesured using Agilent 86100B with two 50 GHZ 8347A channels module and precision time base module Eye amplitude =  $6.2 \, V_{pp'}$ , Rise time =  $14 \, ps$  Jitter RMS =  $866 \, fs$ , SNR = 26

### 12.5 Gbps data rate

Conditions: Ratio y, Pattern  $2^{31}$ -1  $V_{bias} = 12 \text{ V}, V_{amp} = 0.45 \text{ V}, I_{bias} = 260 \text{ mA}$ 



Input signal
Generated by Anritsu MP1800A
Eye amplitude =  $0.137 \, V_{pp'}$ , Rise time =  $15 \, ps$ Jitter RMS =  $395 \, fs$ , SNR = 20.7



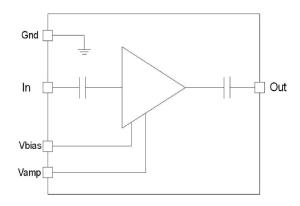
#### Output response

Mesured using Agilent 86100B with two 50 GHZ 8347A channels module and precision time base module Eye amplitude =  $6.35 \, V_{pp/}$  Rise time = 37 ps Jitter RMS = 1.3 ps, SNR = 38



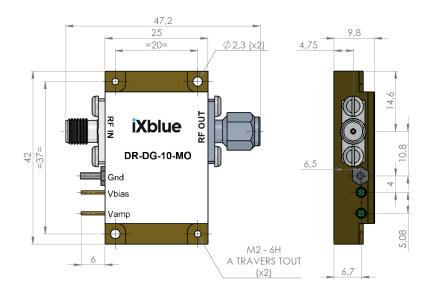
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### **Electrical Schematic Diagram**



# Mechanical Diagram and Pinout

All measurements in mm





The heatsinking of the module is necessary. It's user responsability to use an adequate heatsink. Refer to page 6 for iXBlue recommended heatsink.

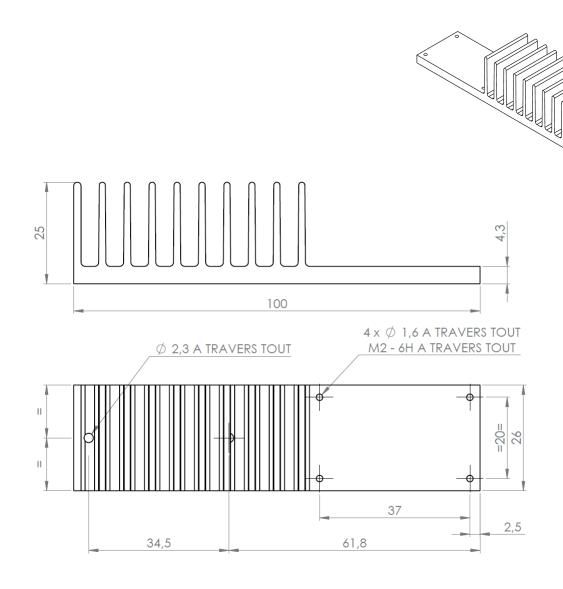
| PIN               | Function                            | Unit   |  |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| IN                | RF In                               | SMA - connector female                       |  |
| OUT               | RF Out                              | SMA - connector male                         |  |
| V <sub>bias</sub> | Power supply voltage                | oltage Set a typical operating specification |  |
| V <sub>amp</sub>  | Output voltage amplitude adjustment | Adjust for gain control tuning               |  |



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### Mechanical Diagram And Pinout With HS-MO1 Heatsink

All measurements in mm



### About us

iXBlue Photonics produces specialty optical fibers and Bragg gratings based fiber optics components and provides optical modulation solutions based on the company lithium niobate ( $LiNbO_3$ ) modulators and RF electronic modules.

iXBlue Photonics serves a wide range of industries: sensing and instruments, defense, telecommunications, space and fiber lasers as well as research laboratories all over the world.

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