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# TAPERED AMPLIFIER Semiconductor Optical Amplifier

General Product Information		
Product	Application	
670 nm Tapered Amplifier	Spectroscopy	
14 Pin Butterfly Package		
with PM Fiber and FC/APC Connector (Input)		
and collimated Output Beam		

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Storage Temperature	Ts	°C	-40		85
Operational Temperature at Case	T <sub>C</sub>	°C	-20		75
Forward Current	١ <sub>F</sub>	А			2.2
Reverse Voltage	V <sub>R</sub>	V			2
Output Power	P <sub>opt</sub>	W			1.2
TEC Current	I <sub>TEC</sub>	А			5
TEC Voltage	$V_{\text{TEC}}$	V			7

## **Recommended Operational Conditions**

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Operational Temperature at Case	T <sub>case</sub>	°C	0		50
Operational Temperature at Chip	$T_{chip}$	°C	10	20	30
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	А			2
Input Power	P <sub>opt</sub>	mW	10		50
Output Power	Popt	W		0.8	1.0

### Characteristics

### Tcase = 20° C at BOL

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Wavelength	λ	nm		670	
Gain Width (FWHM)	Δλ	nm		10	
Operational Current	I <sub>Op Gain</sub>	А			1.8
Output Power	P <sub>opt</sub>	W		0.8	
Polarization				TE	
Amplification	G	dB		15	
Temp. Coefficient of Wavelength	dλ / dT	nm/K		0.25	
Beam Diameter	d	mm		1	
Input Divergence parallel	$\Theta_{\text{out}}$	mrad		3	



#### Measurement Conditions / Comments

Stress in excess of one of the Absolute Maximum Ratings may damage the laser. Please note that a damaging optical power level may occur although the maximum current is not reached. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operational Conditions is not implied.

#### Measurement Conditions / Comments

measured with integrated thermistor
seeding required above 1 A
Insertion loss ≤ 0.3 dB
with proper injection from a seed laser

#### Measurement Conditions / Comments

Popt = 0.8 W
E fieldparallel to base plate
at recommended maximum forward current
1/e², at Popt
1/e² (full angle), at Popt

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## Thermistor (Standard NTC Type)

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Resistance	R	kOhm		10	
Beta Coefficient	b			3892	
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient A	А			1.1293 x 10⁻₃	
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient B	В		2	2.3410 x 10 <sup>-4</sup>	
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient C	С		8	8.7755 x 10 <sup>−8</sup>	

### Pin Assignment

1 Thermoelectric Cooler (+)	14 Thermoelectric Cooler (-)
2 Thermistor	13 not connected
3 not connected	12 not connected
4 not connected	11 Amplifier (Cathode)
5 Thermistor	10 Amplifier (Anode)
6 not connected	9 not connected
7 not connected	8 not connected





Measurement Conditions / Comments
Popt = 0.8 W; ΔT = 20 K
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Popt = 0.8 W

Measurement Conditions / Comments	
25°C	
0°C 50°C	

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## Package Drawings







### SWZ-23-0117-1237

Fiber and Connector Type (Input)					
Parameter					
PM Fiber	900 / 125 / 4.5 μm, UV/Polyester-elastomer Coating				
	length: 1 +/-0.1 m				
Connector	FC/APC narrow key / 2 mm				

Measurement Conditions / Comments





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#### Unpacking, Installation and Laser Safety

Unpacking the taperd amplifier should only be done at electrostatic safe workstations (EPA). Though protection against electro static discharge (ESD) is implemented in the laser package, charges may occur at surfaces. Please store this product in its original package at a dry, clean place until final use. During device installation, ESD protection has to be maintained.

The TPA diode type is known to be sensitive against thermal stress. It should not be operated without appropriate injection from a seed laser. Operating at moderate temperatures on proper heat sinks will contribute to a long lifetime of the diode.

This amplifier is designed for the setup of MOPA systems. Appropriate seed lasers are DFB lasers of the type EYP-DFB-xxxx-xxxxx-1500-BFY12-000x with matching wavelengths. An external fiber isolator should be used between seed laser and amplifier in order to suppress backreflections that may disturb the emission spectrum of the seed laser and may cause mode-hops in case of wavelength tuning.

The laser emission from this diode is close to the invisible infrared region of the electromagnetic spectrum. Avoid direct and/or indirect exposure to the free running beam. Collimating the free running Each tapered amplifier will come with an individual test protocol verifying the parameters given in this document.











