MEMS 16X16 MATRIX SWITCH

DiCon's MEMS 16x16 is an integrated switch module based on DiCon's MEMS 1x16 Optical Switch components. Thirty-two MEMS 1x16 switches, sixteen for inputs and the other sixteen for outputs, are interconnected to form a fully non-blocking, two stage, optical cross-connect. Under this matrix switch platform, different MEMS 1xN switches can be used to form customized MxN Switch Matrices.



- Compact form-factor
- Low insertion loss with minimal crosstalk
- Fast switching time
- Low power consumption
- MEMS durability and reliability
- Available in other customized configurations

APPLICATIONS

The MEMS 16x16 Matrix is used in an optical network to dynamically configure the system. Mounting to any network card is easily achieved with its small form factor and 1" thickness. For Test and Measurement applications, the matrix switch is a simplified alternative solution for fiber management and allows users to share resources.



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OPTICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹

PARAMETER		RATING
Insertion	Single-Band	1.8 dB max.
Loss ²	Dual-Band	2.0 dB max.
Crosstalk		-70 dB max.
Back Reflection		-45 dB max.
Switching Time		40 ms max.
TDL		0.4 dB max.
WDL ³		0.3 dB max.
PDL		0.2 dB max.
Repeatability ⁴		0.04 dB max.
Durability		10 ⁹ cycles min.
Optical Power		500 mW max.
Operating Temp		-5 to 70°C
Storage Temp		-40 to 85°C
Fiber Type		9/125 μm single mode

1. Specifications are without connectors.

2. IL is measured at CWL, 23°C.

3. WDL is measured in a +/- 20nm range at 23°C.

4. Repeatability is defined after 100 cycles.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

PARAMETER	RATING
Latching Type	non-latching
Control Type	I ² C or RS232
Vcc Voltage	12 VDC
Power Consumption	700 mW max.
Connector Type	Molex 87833-1620



MECHANICAL DIMENSIONS





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Product Code	Pigtail Length
MX4 MEMS Matrix Switch Configuration	1 1 Meter X Specify X Meters Tolerance is +/- 0.05 m
16x16 16x16 Non-Blocking MxN MxN Non-Blocking	Connector Type
(Specify M, N < 16) Control Interface	FC/SPC FC/SPC FC/APC FC/APC
12C I ² C RS2 RS232	Also Available: SC, SC/UPC, SC/APC, ST, ST/UPC, LC
Wavelength Range	Fiber and Jacket Type
13 1290 - 1330 nm 15 1530 - 1570 nm 16 1570 - 1610 nm 13/15 1290 - 1330 & 1530 - 1570 nm 15/16 1530 - 1570 & 1570 nm	9/TB Corning SMF-28, Tight Buffer 9/LT Corning SMF-28, Loose-tube Or other equivalent 9μm Singlemode fiber

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