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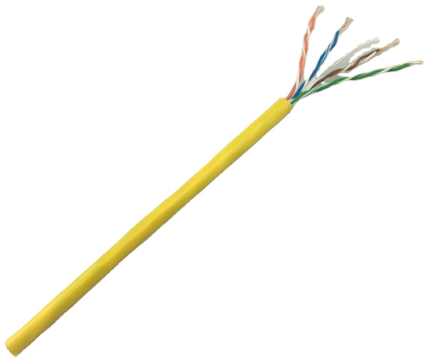

AI Overview

Optical module packaging is the process of enclosing and integrating optical and electronic components into a compact, reliable module that converts electrical signals to optical signals and vice versa.OverviewOptical module packaging is a critical technology in fiber-optic communications, determining the performance, cost, and application scenarios of optical transceivers. These modules act as "optical communication translators," converting electrical signals from devices like switches or routers into optical signals for transmission over fiber, and vice versa . The packaging process ensures precise alignment, protection, and thermal management of sensitive optical components such as lasers, modulators, and photodetectors.Key Components and ProcessThe packaging process generally involves several stages :Chip Bonding: Attaching optical chips to the package substrate using techniques like flip-chip or wire bonding, ensuring precise alignment and reliable electrical and thermal connections.Encapsulation and Housing: Protecting the optical and electronic components from environmental factors while maintaining signal integrity.Testing: Verifying performance, signal quality, and durability to meet industry standards.Types of Optical Module PackagingOver the years, optical modules have evolved from bulky designs to highly compact and high-speed solutions :GBIC (Gigabit Interface Converter): Early large modules with low port density.SFP (Small Form-factor Pluggable): Compact, hot-swappable modules for Gigabit Ethernet.QSFP, QSFP28, QSFP-DD, OSFP: Higher-speed modules supporting 40G, 100G, 200G, and 400G data rates.COB (Chip on Board): Integrates chips directly onto the substrate for improved performance.CPO (Co-Packaged Optics): Integrates optical components directly with ASICs on the same substrate, reducing signal path length, lowering power consumption, and increasing bandwidth .Advantages of Modern PackagingModern optical module packaging, especially CPO, offers several benefits:...

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