600 MHz InGaAs Low Noise Photodetector

Features

• High transimpedance gain: 3 200 V/W

• Low noise: below -130 dBm/Hz

• 620 MHz bandwidth

 AC coupled; low cutoff below 300 kHz (30 kHz to 5 MHz on request)

• Wavelength range: 1000 nm to 1700 nm

• Fiber Coupled: FC receptable

ullet Output: 50 Ω SMA plug

• Wide range single supply: 11 to 15 V

Typical Application

• Laser pulse detection

• Intensity noise monitoring



(Photo shows mechanically equivalent product.)

General Description

The WL-PD600MA is an AC-coupled high-speed InGaAs photoreceiver. It features a high transimpedance gain, very low noise, and a -3 dB bandwidth of 620 MHz.

The WL-PD600MA comes in a rugged aluminum case with an FC fiber receptable and a 50 Ω SMA output. It operates from a single 11–15 V DC supply. OEM versions are available upon request.

Mechanical Properties

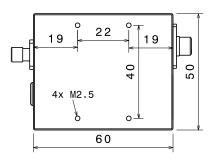
• Fiber coupling: FC receptable for FC/PC and FC/APC connectors

• RF output: SMA (female)

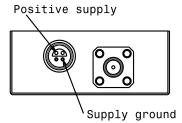
• Supply voltage input: Push-pull LEMO plug (included with diode)

• Small form factor: $50 \times 60 \times 20$ mm (weight: 105 g without cable)

• Mounting: 4x M2.5 threaded holes on bottom (screw length 4 mm)



Electrical Connectors



Supply connector (front view). The case is electrically connected to ground. There are two types of supply cable, one has 2 wires (new cable) and one has 5 wires (old). The corresponding color scheme of these cables is:

| Cable type | Positive supply | Supply ground | | |
|------------|-----------------|---------------|--|--|
| 2-wire | white | brown, shield | | |
| 5-wire | yellow | grey, shield | | |

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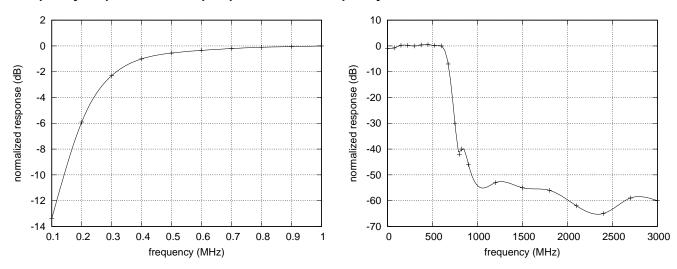
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Specifications

| Parameter | Conditions | Min | Тур | Max | Units |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|------|-------|------|---------------|
| DC Characteristics | | | | | |
| Supply Voltage $(+V_S)$ | | 11 | 12 | 15 | V |
| Supply Current | | | 110 | | mA |
| AC Characteristics | | | | | |
| 3dB Bandwidth | | 600 | 620 | 670 | MHz |
| AC Low Frequency Cutoff | | | 260 | 300 | kHz |
| Output IP3 | | | 28 | | dBm |
| 2nd Harmonic | $P_{out} = 0 dBm$ | | -40 | | dBc |
| | $P_{out} = -10\mathrm{dBm}$ | | -53 | | dBc |
| 3rd Harmonic | $P_{out} = 0 dBm$ | | -45 | | dBc |
| | $P_{out} = -10dBm$ | | -47 | | dBc |
| Noise Spectral Density | 1 MHz – 800 MHz | | | -130 | dBm/Hz |
| | > 800 MHz | | | -150 | dBm/Hz |
| Output Impedance | | | 50 | | Ω |
| Optical Characteristics | | | | | |
| Input Wavelength Range | | 1000 | | 1700 | nm |
| Transimpedance Gain | wavelength 1550 nm | | 3 200 | | V/W_{optic} |
| | wavelength 1310 nm | | 3 000 | | V/W_{optic} |
| Maximum Input Power | (damage threshold) | 10 | | | mW |
| Environmental Characteristics | | | | | |
| Operating Temperature $Range^1$ | non-condensing | -20 | | +80 | °C |
| Storage Temperature Range | non-condensing | -20 | | +120 | °C |

Typical Performance Characteristics

Frequency response: RF output power versus frequency



Test conditions: Light input 100 μ W at 1550 nm, modulated via EOM.

¹Test show operation up to 120°C ambient temperature for multiple days without failure, contact us for more information.