

LPOR-304

Overview

DESCRIPTION

The LP-OR-304 is a dual, redundant return band receiver in a single module. The receivers have an extended bandwidth of 300 MHz to allow the use of spectrum multiplication. Individual receivers in the module can be disabled.

FRONT PANEL

The two rectangular red/green status LED's monitor the receivers' optical inputs. They are normally green and change to red on a low or missing optical input. Any red LED causes a module alarm and a chassis summary alarm. The two DC test points monitor the receivers' optical inputs. 1mW (0dBm) is 1V at the test point. Only high impedance meters should be used. Use the ground test point at the bottom of the module, not chassis ground.

The two multi-turn potentiometers set the receivers' gains. Setting any gain control fully counter-clockwise will disable that receiver. A disabled receiver will never generate an alarm.

The -20dB RF test point monitors the RF output of any single receiver.

It does not require termination.

The two position toggle switch selects which receiver's output appears at the test point. Insure that this switch is in the correct position before using the test point to set the RF gain.

The ground test point should be used when checking optical input levels.

The SC/APC optical input connectors are on the right of the front panel, with optional FC/APC connectors available.

REAR PANEL

The RF output connectors are on the rear of the unit. Receiver #1 is on the top. Receiver #3 is on the bottom.



INTERNAL ADJUSTMENTS

There are two jumpers that are accessible from the side that are used to set the receiver input range. The jumpers can be changed with tweezers or needle nosed pliers. The nominal level for changing increase assistions is 24Pm.

jumper positions is -3dBm.



FUSE

The module has an internal miniature 3A SB fuse in a holder. The Littelfuse part number is 0454003. The Olson Technology P/N is 286-000009.

OPTICAL INPUT CHART

The following chart shows the test point readings versus optical input levels.

T.P. Volts	Optical Input mW	Optical Input dBm
3.02	3.02	4.8
2.51	2.51	4
2.00	2.00	3
1.58	1.58	2
1.26	1.26	1
1.00	1.00	0
0.79	0.79	-1
0.63	0.63	-2
0.50	0.50	-3
0.40	0.40	-4
0.32	0.32	-5
0.25	0.25	-6
0.20	0.20	-7
0.16	0.16	-8
0.13	0.13	-9
0.10	0.10	-10
0.08	0.08	-11
0.06	0.06	-12
0.05	0.05	-13
0.04	0.04	-14
0.03	0.03	-15

BASIC DESCRIPTION

The LPOR-304 redundant receiver consists of two receiver boards, a switch board, and a status/control board. The upper three LED's are tri-color ones. The redundancy mode LED is visible through a vent hole next to the Rx status LED's. The unit can function as a redundant receiver or as dual independent receivers.

A single pushbutton switch and an 8-position DIP switch control the major functions. The receiver gain controls will disable their receiver if fully CCW.

The status board has a microprocessor and two ADCs to monitor the optical input levels. The microprocessor stores different responsivities for 1310 nm operation and 1550 nm operation. The voltage read will be proportional to the optical power in mW. The microprocessor performs a $10*LOG_{10}$ function to convert the mW value to dBm. All alarms and transfer decisions will be based upon dBm levels. An 8-position DIP switch, which is accessed by removing the left cover, sets all configurable parameters. All alarm and display logic would be handled by the microprocessor. The user can select one of eight optical switching thresholds via the DIP switch.

The microprocessor switches from the PRIMARY to the SECONDARY receiver in 50 ms or less when the primary receiver indicates that it has insufficient light. The microprocessor also drives two analog test points on the front panel via PWM outputs.

In the redundant mode, Rx1 is the PRIMARY receiver and Rx3 will be the SECONDARY or BACKUP receiver. In order to swap the fiber priority, the user must swap the input fibers.

BASIC INSTALLATION

The user must first set the DIP switches (SW1 on the 714 board) for the specific application. The default factory shipping position for all switches is *OFF*. These switches are read at least twice per second and updated when changes are sensed. The function of the eight switches is as follows;

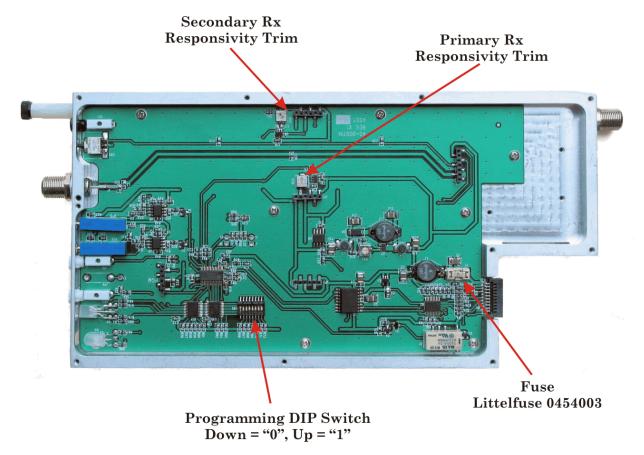
Switch Number	FUNCTION	OFF	ON
1	Unit Mode	Redundant	Independent
2	Primary Input Wavelength	1310nm	1550nm
3	Secondary Input Wavelength	1310nm	1550nm
4	Optical Level Hysteresis	Loose (3dB)	Tight (1dB)
5	Restore Delay	Instantaneous	Delayed (60 Seconds)
6	Sets the Optical switching threshold in the High to Low	000 = -19 dBm	100 = -10 dBm
7		001 = -17 dBm 010 = -15 dBm	101 = -7 dBm 110 = -4 dBm
8	direction	010 = -13 dBm 011 = -13 dBm	110 = -4 dBm 111 = -1 dBm

OPTICAL BEHAVIOR

Six of the eight DIP switches (2, 3, 4, 6, 7 & 8) control the optical behavior of the unit. Switches 2 and 3 are used to set the wavelength of the two receivers. The user can select either 1310 nm or 1550 nm independently for each channel. Switches 4, 6, 7 & 8 determine the optical input levels where the receiver alarms switch. See Table 1 for details.

Table 1 - Optical Thresholds

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Switch	Switch	Switch	Switch	Green to Red	Red to Green
6	7	8	4	Threshold	Threshold
OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	-19 dBm	-16 dBm
OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	-19 dBm	-18 dBm
OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	-17 dBm	-14 dBm
OFF	OFF	ON	ON	-17 dBm	-16 dBm
OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	-15 dBm	-12 dBm
OFF	ON	OFF	ON	-15 dBm	-14 dBm
OFF	ON	ON	OFF	-13 dBm	-10 dBm
OFF	ON	ON	ON	-13 dBm	-12 dBm
ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	-10 dBm	-7 dBm
ON	OFF	OFF	ON	-10 dBm	-9 dBm
ON	OFF	ON	OFF	-7 dBm	-4 dBm
ON	OFF	ON	ON	-7 dBm	-6 dBm
ON	ON	OFF	OFF	-4 dBm	-1 dBm
ON	ON	OFF	ON	-4 dBm	-3 dBm
ON	ON	ON	OFF	-1 dBm	+2 dBm
ON	ON	ON	ON	-1 dBm	0 dBm



FUNCTION SWITCH

The pushbutton cycles through the following states by holding the button down for 0.5 second or more;

Automatic Mode (Redundant with Automatic Switchover)

Force PRIMARY Rx Active

Force SECONDARY Rx Active

(then cycle back to Automatic Mode)

The current state of the unit is stored in E²PROM in case of power failure. If power does fail, the last valid state will be restored when power is restored.

INDEPENDENT MODE DETAILED OPERATION

Rx1 and Rx2 LED's (INDEPENDENT)

In the independent mode, the individual receiver LED's have three display states. They will never be orange.

DISPLAY	CONDITION		
OFF	Rx disabled		
GREEN	Rx input OK. Unit output from this Rx.	Rx input OK. Unit output from this Rx.	
RED	Rx input fault (Optical input is below preset threshold)		

MODE LED (INDEPENDENT)

In the independent mode, the mode LED blinks green for 0.25 second every 3 seconds to give an indication that the unit is powered.

REDUNDANT MODE DETAILED OPERATION

Rx1 and Rx2 LED's (REDUNDANT)

The individual receiver LED's have four display states. They blink to indicate an unacknowledged fault on that input.

DISPLAY	CONDITION
Off	Rx Disabled via gain control (Will never blink)
Green	Rx input Ok. Unit output from this Rx.
Orange	Rx input Ok. Unit output from other Rx.
Red	Rx input fault (Optical input is below preset threshold)

MODE LED (REDUNDANT)

When operating as a redundant receiver, the mode LED has three display states. It is never turned off.

DISPLAY	CONDITION	NOTES
Green	Primary Rx Input OK. Redundant	Both receivers must be enabled. This state is independent of
	Operation Enabled.	the presence of backup optical input.
Orange	Redundant Operation Disabled	This can be from either of two causes:
		•Either one or both receivers disabled with gain control.
		•Non-redundant operation selected with function switch.
Red	Redundant Operation Enabled	Automatic transfer has occurred. Output of unit is backup
	1	input whether or not optical signal is present on this input.

OPTICAL POWER TEST POINTS

The unit has two analog test points on the front panel, labeled REC.1 (TP1) and REC.2 (TP2). These voltages are generated by PWM outputs of the microprocessor. The scale factor is such that the test points give 1 Volt/mW of input light. Note that the microprocessor takes into account the wavelength in generating these voltages. The wavelength causes the responsivity to vary, changing the internal scaling factor. Also note that these test points are in mW where other optical measurements mentioned herein are in dBm. The step size for these outputs is approximately 33 μ W.

TEST POINT SELECT SWITCH

This switch selects the RF monitor test point directly, not through the micro. This switch does not affect the output source of the unit. It has the same effect in redundant and independent modes.

POSITION	TEST POINT SOURCE
UP	Rx1 (primary)
DOWN	Rx3 (secondary)

I²C DISABLE LINES

There are two input lines from the I²C alarm circuit that are read at least twice per second. The inputs and their function are as follows:

- 1) *Alarm5* This input (P2.2) determines if the Primary receiver is enabled. If *Alarm5* is "OFF", then the Primary receiver is enabled. If *Alarm5* is "1", then the Primary receiver is disabled and the Rx1 LED (D3) is turned off.
- 2) *Alarm6* This input (P2.3) determines if the Secondary receiver is enabled. If *Alarm6* is "OFF", then the Secondary receiver is enabled. If *Alarm6* is "1", then the Secondary receiver is disabled and the Rx2 LED (D4) is turned off.

SUMMARY ALARM RELAY

The P2.0 output of the microprocessor is used to drive a Summary Alarm Relay. When there are no alarms and no receivers are disabled, this output should be a "OFF". When there are any alarms and or either receiver is disabled, this output should be a "1".

