

Features and Benefits

- Suitable for 1mm automotive PMMA Plastic Optical Fiber (POF).
- Includes 650nm LED and a PIN photodiode.
- Product is qualified following Automotive Application Recommendation for optical MOST® interfaces
- Ambient operating Temperature Range [-40°C to 95°C]
- Data Communication rate up to 25 Mb/s (biphase) and 50 Mb/s (non return to zero).
- Robust rejection of electromagnetic interference (EMI) due to full integration of the photo detector within the receiver IC
- Compliant with Laser Class 1 Product Standard



Ordering Information

Example: MLX75608PXV-AAA-001-RE

Application Examples

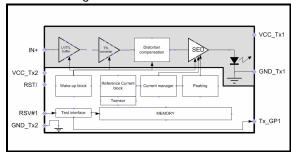
Automotive infotainment networks: e.g. rear seat entertainment, navigation system, car radio, Vision enhancement systems.

Audio/Video Data transmission.

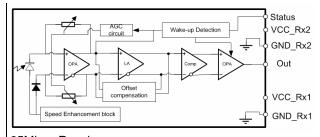
Multimedia / telematics systems.

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Functional Diagram



25Mbps Transmitter



25Mbps Receiver





General Description

The 25Mbps Transceiver package is a SOIC-type package with a photo transmitter IC and a photo receiver IC developed for communication on PMMA Plastic Optical Fiber (POF) at a speed up to 25 Mb/s (biphase) or 50 Mb/s (non return to zero).

The optical transmitter houses a LED driver and a 650 nm Light Source die. The Light Source drive current is optimized to obtain the maximum extinction ratio between the 1 and 0 light levels. The Light Source modulation current is fully programmable in absolute value over the full temperature range. This feature allows trimming of the optical emitted power within a narrow range at any temperature, hence giving rise to an enhanced optical budget. In addition the trimming capability over temperature allows full compensation of the temperature dependence of the Light Source optical efficiency. In addition also an m3dB function is available for testing the application. This function allows reduction of the output power by a factor of two. Checking the link integrity with enabled m3dB function guarantees at least a 3dB guard band when the link is in normal operating mode with disabled m3dB function.

The optical receiver is implemented as one monolithic Integrated Circuit, which combines with a PIN photo detector with a TIA, limiting amplifier and an LVTTL output stage. This receiver circuit operates at 50 Mbps speed and automatically controls its gain over a wide range of optical power.

The optical receiver embeds a wake-up function. When the optical input signal is detected, the circuit puts itself out of sleep mode.

The circuit flags its sleeping mode activation via the STATUS pin, which is set at HIGH state. During valid operation, STATUS pin is set at LOW state.



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Glossary of Terms

MOST Media Oriented Transport
EOC Electrical to Optical Converter

LVTTL Low Voltage Transistor-Transistor Logic

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{dBm} & \text{Decibel referred to 1 milli-watt} \\ \text{A}_{\text{PWD}} & \text{Average Pulse Width Distortion} \end{array}$

P_{av} Average Optical Power
ESD Electro Static Discharge
TIA Trans Impedance Amplifier

UI Unit Interval

RoHs Restriction Of the use of certain Hazardous Substances

Maximum Ratings

Parameter.	Symbol	Min	Max	Units
Storage Temperature Range	T _{STG}	-40	100	ōС
Junction Temperature	TJ	-40	105	^o C
Power Dissipation	P _{TOT}	-	380	mW
Power Supply Voltage	VCC _{Max}	-0.5	7	V
ESD Level (Human Body Model)	ESD	2		kV

Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter.	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Operating Supply Voltage	VCC	3.135	3.3	3.465	V
Operating Ambient Temperature Range	T _{AMB}	-40	-	95	ºC

Recommended Networks Conditions

Parameter.	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Bit rate (Bi-phase mark)	BR	4	22.6	25	Mbps
Unit Interval	UI	-	22.14	-	ns
Minimum bit length	B _{length}		2	-	UI
DC Adaptive coding period	t _{DCA}	-	-	5	UI



Transmitter part DC Characteristics

DC Operating Parameters $T_A = -40^{\circ} C$ to 95 $^{\circ} C$, $V_{cc} = 3.135 V$ to 3.465 V (unless otherwise specified)

Parameter.	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Low level input voltage (JESD8C LVTTL)	V _{IL}		-0.3	-	0.8	V
High level input voltage (JESD8C LVTTL)	V _{IH}		2.0	ı	V _{CC} +0.3	V
Input Current	I _{IN}		-	-	20	μΑ
Supply current (electrical power on mode)	I _{DDO}		-	22	50	mA
M3dB pin impedance	Z _{Ctrl}		0.3		2	ΜΩ

Transmitter part AC Characteristics

AC Operating Parameters $T_A = -40^{\circ} C$ to $95^{\circ} C$, $V_{cc} = 3.135 V$ to 3.465 V

Parameter.	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Optical Power Up Delay	Ton2		-	-	100	μs
Optical Power Down Delay	Toff2		-	-	2	μs
Rise Time	T _r	Measured between 20%-80% of signal	-	-	0.25	UI
Fall Time	T _f	Measured between 20%-80% of signal	-	-	0.25	UI
Pulse-width-variation	T _{pwv2}	Measured at 50% of signal amplitude And SP1 PWV within 0.955UI~1.045UI	0.903	-	1.097	UI
Average Pulse Width Distortion	T _{apwd2}	Measured at 50% of signal amplitude And SP1 A _{pwd} within +/-0.023UI	-0.063	-	0.063	UI
Data Dependent Jitter	J_{ddj2}	Measured with 0.01Ul data dependent jitter on SP1 signal	-	-	0.035	UI
Uncorrelated Jitter	J _{uj2}	Measured with 0.0045UI uncorrelated jitter on SP1 signal	-	-	0.015	UI
Positive overshoot	Over_p1	Within 0 ~ 2/3UI	-20	-	40	%
Negative Overshoot	Over_n	Within -1 ~ -1/4UI	-10	-	20	%
High level signal ripple	Over_p2	Within 2/3 ~ 3/4UI Within 2/3 ~ (1+3/4)UI Within 2/3 ~ (2+3/4)UI	-10	-	10	%
Frequency threshold for optical output activation	F _{on2}		-	-	1	MHz



Transmitter part Optical Specifications

DC Operating Parameters $T_A = -40^{\circ} C$ to 95 $^{\circ} C$, $V_{cc} = 3.135 V$ to 3.465 V

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Center Wavelength	λ_{c2}		635	650	675	nm
Spectral Width (RMS)	$\sigma_{\lambda 2}$		-	-	17	nm
Average optical power emitted by the Transmitter component (1,2)	P _{av}	1) Power within a far field angle of 30° (NA=0.5) 2) within a diameter of 1.0mm	-8.5	-	0.0	dBm
Extinction ratio	ER	Measured with 5UI pulse width	10	-	-	dB
3dB attenuation of optical output ⁽³⁾	P _{M3dB}	M3dB is HIGH state	2.5	3	3.5	dB
Optical output power "Light off"	P _{off}		-	-	-50	dBm
Misalignment between light source center and the center of the Ferrule coupling hole.	Δ_{xy}		0	-	35	μm
Distance between top of light source and Ferrule stopper top plate of package in the ferrule coupling hole	Δ_{z}		-	-	150	μт

¹⁾ Taking into account a fiber pigtail attenuation of at least 1.5dB, the max emitted optical power is limited to

Receiver part DC Characteristics

DC Operating Parameters $T_A = -40^{\circ} C$ to 95 °C, $V_{cc} = 3.135 V$ to 3.465 V (unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Low level output voltage (JESD8C LVTTL)	V _{OL}	$R_L=50k\Omega$	0	-	0.4	V
High level output voltage (JESD8C LVTTL)	V _{OH}	$R_L=50k\Omega$	2.5	-	V _{CC} +0.3	V
Supply current (Operating Mode)	I _{cco}	Light on	-	22	30	mA
Supply Current (Sleeping Mode)	I _{CCS}	Light off with $50k\Omega$ output load	-	-	30	μΑ

²⁾ The fiber pigtail loss of 1.5dB is also necessary not to violate the eye safety limit

⁽³⁾ AC performance isn't guaranteed when M3dB function is activated.



Receiver part AC Characteristics

DC Operating Parameters $T_A = -40^{\circ} C$ to 95 $^{\circ} C$, $V_{cc} = 3.135 V$ to 3.465 V

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSSR		-	30	-	dB
Output Rise Time	t _{R4}	R _L =50kΩ/10pF Measured between 10%-90% of signal	-	-	0.45	UI
Output Fall Time	t _{F4}	R _L =50kΩ/10pF Measured between 10%-90% of signal	-	-	0.45	UI
Data Dependent Jitter	J _{ddj4}	Measured with 0.035UI data dependent jitter on SP3 signal	-	-	0.15	UI
Uncorrelated Jitter	${\sf J}_{{\sf uj4}}$	Measured with 0.015UI uncorrelated jitter on SP3 signal	-	-	0.045	UI
Pulse Width Variation	T _{pwv4}	Measured at 50% of signal amplitude And SP3 PWV within 0.903UI~1.097UI	0.743	-	1.4	UI
Average Pulse width Distortion	T _{apwd4}	Measured at 50% of signal amplitude And SP3 A _{pwd} within +/-0.063UI	-0.15	-	0.316	UI
Frequency threshold for output release	F _{on4}		-	-	1	MHz

Receiver part Optical Specifications

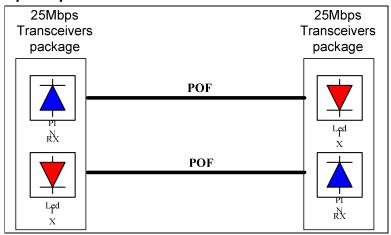
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Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Photosensitivity Spectral Range	λ		630	650	685	nm
Acceptable Extinction ratios of optical input signal	ER		10	-	-	dB
Receivable average optical power for data recovery when in operational mode	S _{AVinf}		-24.5	-	-2	dBm
Wake-up optical power threshold	Pon	Average optical power	-35	-	-29	dBm
Sleep optical power threshold	P _{off}	Average optical power	-29	-	-25.5	dBm



General Description

Optical part

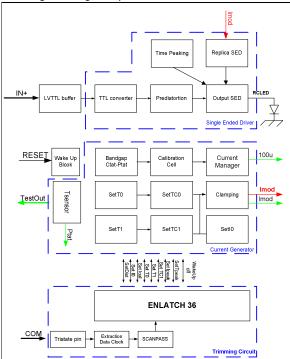


Optical specification is based on:

- Receiver: Silicon Embedded PIN photodiode type with 0.95mm² active area.
- Transmitter: 650 nm LED with 83µm aperture.

Block Diagram

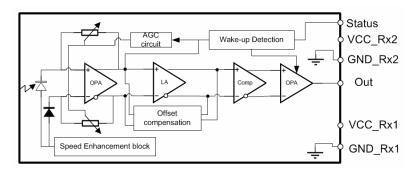
Light source driver consists of three main blocks: Input buffer, Output driver, and Current source. The current source can be trimmed over process variations of LED and the LED driver IC and also compensates the variation of optical output of the light source with temperature. A 50% power control allows sending only half modulation current to the LED. The test register and memory blocks are used for Melexis to obtain high test coverage during component test and in order to be able to trim the component.







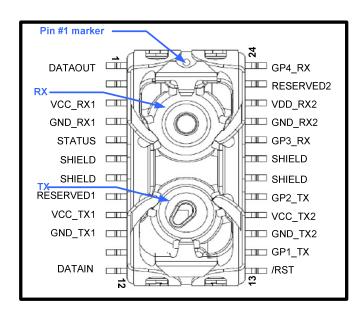
Receiver is based on front-end block (TIA) with a large illuminated photodiode and the second blind photodiode. Both photodiodes have the same shape and size. This front end is controlled by automatic gain control circuitry to gain same performance over light full range. A second stage is responsible for detecting light variations and is able to remove common mode and DC offset. Last stage is used as an output buffer. In addition one block is available to detect light for status pin and a second one is used for fault detection. High test coverage is guaranteed by test modes which can be activated at die or package level, based on dedicated patterns on Melexis production line.





Pin Definitions and Descriptions

All pins related to primary functions are placed on left side of the package, to allow more flexibility for PCB floor plan. All dedicated and options pins are placed on the right side of the package. Pin 1 is located on the left side of the orientation dot as shown in diagram.



Pin Number	Pin name	Description
1	DataOUT	LVTTL Data Output
2	NC.	Not Connected
3	VCC_Rx1	Supply voltage for Receiver
4	GND_Rx1	Ground for Receiver
5	STATUS	This pin is only put on "LOW" when the following two conditions are met: modulated light is received and the received data rate is within the operation frequency range. The status pin is used in the application to switch on or off the power supply of the application, where the MOST transceiver is part of.
6	Shield	Shield pin connected to die pad of package
7	Shield	Shield pin connected to die pad of package
8	Reserved1	M3dB function. Should be Connected to GND through 0- Ω resistor if M3dB function isn't used ⁽¹⁾ . Used for factory test purpose.
9	VCC_Tx1	Supply voltage for Transmitter
10	GND_Tx1	Ground for Transmitter
11	NC	Not Connected
12	DataIN	LVTTL Data Input
13	/RST	Optical Output power disabling.



14	GP1_Tx1	Currently used for Test output pin. Should be left unconnected
15	GND_Tx2	Ground for Transmitter
16	VCC_TX2	Supply voltage for Transmitter
17	GP2_Tx	Unconnected pin
18	Shield	Shield pin connected to die pad of package
19	Shield	Shield pin connected to die pad of package
20	GP3_RX	Automatic Gain Control analog output and Factory test output Should be left unconnected
21	GND_Rx2	Ground for Receiver
22	VCC_Rx2	Supply voltage for Receiver
23	Reserved2	Connect to VCC_RX2 through 0-Ω resistor. Used for factory test purpose.
24	GP4_RX	Should be left unconnected.

(1) AC performance isn't guaranteed when M3dB function is activated

Package Outline

Package solution gains advantage by fully encapsulating the receiver and transmitter die. The available 2 optical openings allow the light to enter and leave both dies. Openings are designed with a conical shape to receive the POF ferrule.

Top part is used as guiding structure, allowing improvement versus misalignment and tilt. An additional metal structure is placed on the top part to ensure ferrule clamping.

This ferrule clamping system allows blocking and maintaining ferrule against the bottom part by a spring effect. Moreover, it allows rework by easy removal of the ferrule out of the guiding structure.

Cavity depth is currently at 3.2mm, allowing low fiber tilt and accurate alignment.

Hole diameters are different. One is at 3.55mm for transmitter side and the other is 3.15mm for receiver side with dedicated ferrule receptacle shape, allowing mistake proofing (Poka-Yoke). Cavity pitch is fixed at 6mm.

Package Parameters

Parameter	Comment	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Package length		-	16.1	-	mm
Package width		-	7.6	-	mm
Pin pitch		-	1.27	-	mm
Co-planarity		-	-	0.1	mm
Stand-off		0.152		0.254	mm
Total package height		-	-	12.7	mm
Pin width		0.35	0.4	0.45	mm
Ferrule cavity depth		3.15	3.2	3.25	mm



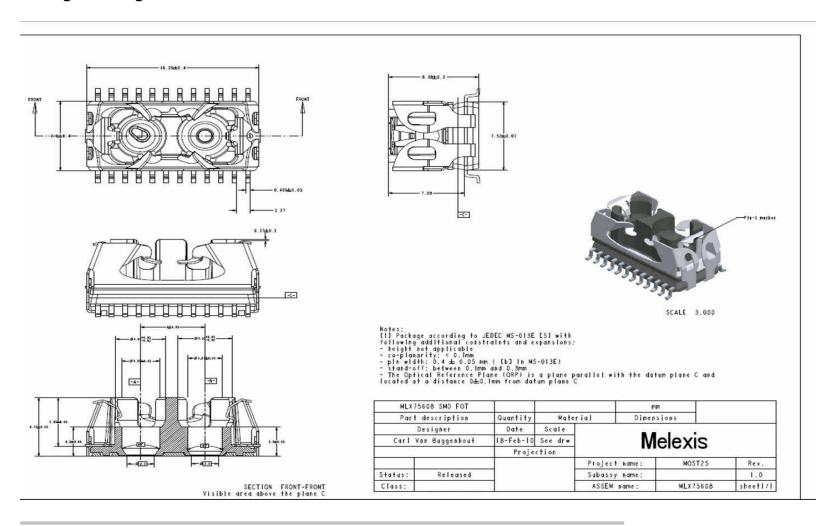


Receiver ferrule diameter hole		3.13	3.15	3.17	mm
Transmitter ferrule diameter hole		3.53	3.55	3.57	mm
Hole pitch		-	6	-	mm
Package weight	Including clamping system		1.3	2	g
Ferrule Pressing force of each interface hole		1.5	-	8.5	N
Ferrule pull out force of each interface hole		4	-	15	N



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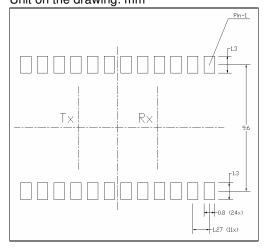
Package Drawing





Footprint

Foot print is based on standard SOIC 300mil package with 24 pins. Unit on the drawing: mm



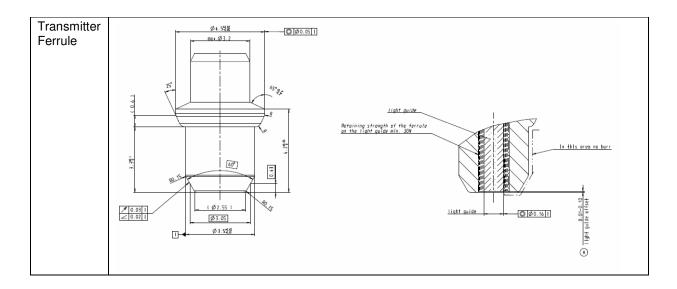
Lead frame

A dedicated leadframe has been designed taking into account EMI consideration. Additionally to this, some die pad/fused pins are put in the middle allowing direct shielding inside component, enabling noise reduction and increased robustness against mechanical stress.

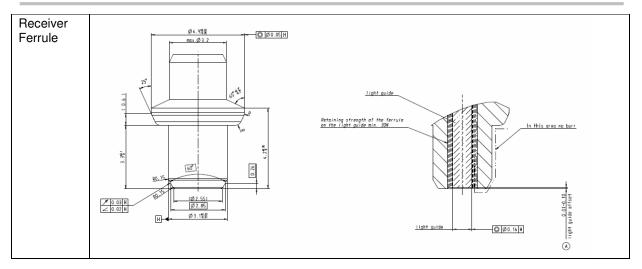
Unique Features

- Temperature range: -40°C up to 95°C.
- Full automotive qualified package.
- Surface Mounting Device
- LED is trimmed during Melexis process to guarantee a maximum and stable optical output power.

Recommended fiber ferrules



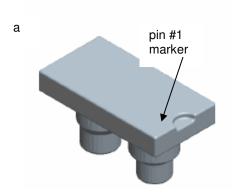


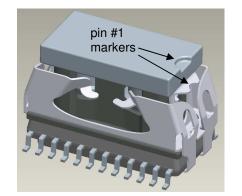


Protection cap

A protection cap is placed before placing the device into the carrier tape. The cap allows better pick and place capability with a standard pick-up head. In addition, it increases immunity against possible contamination from the reflow oven. The material of the protection cap is able to withstand soldering reflow process. The protection cap can be removed easily, either manually or with a vacuum head. The protection cap can be plugged into the device in only one manner (poka yoke principle). A pin #1 marker can be found on top of the cap. In addition the metal clamp of the FOT also has a pin #1 marker. In following figure some drawings of the protection cap and the device in which it is plugged are shown with indication of both (cap and FOT) pin #1 markers.

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a) protection cap with "pin #1 marker" indicated

b) device with protection cap plugged in

The protection cap specifications are summarized.in following table:

Parameter	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Pull-out force to remove protection cap.	0.8	1	1.5	N
Cap Length	12.9	13	13.1	mm
Cap Width	6.7	6.8	6.9	mm
Cap pin #1 marker radius	0.9	1	1.1	mm



Reliability Information

Our products are classified and qualified regarding soldering technology, solderability and moisture sensitivity level according to following test methods:

Reflow Soldering SMD's IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020

Moisture/Reflow Sensitivity Classification for Nonhermetic Solid State Surface Mount Devices (classification reflow profiles according to table 5-2)

EIA/JEDEC JESD22-A113

Preconditioning of Non-hermetic Surface Mount Devices Prior to Reliability Testing (reflow profiles according to table 2)

IMPORTANT Note: Wave Soldering for this type of SMD component isn't allowed, due to optical package opening.

EN60749-20

Resistance of plastic- encapsulated SMD's to combined effect of moisture and soldering heat EIA/JEDEC JESD22-B106 and EN60749-15

Resistance to soldering temperature for through-hole mounted devices

Solderability

EIA/JEDEC JESD22-B102 and EN60749-21

For all soldering technologies deviating from above mentioned standard conditions (regarding peak temperature, temperature gradient, temperature profile etc) additional classification and qualification tests have to be agreed upon with Melexis.

The application of Wave Soldering for SMD's is allowed only after consulting Melexis regarding assurance of adhesive strength between device and board.

Melexis is contributing to global environmental conservation by promoting **lead free** solutions. For more information on qualifications of **RoHS** compliant products (RoHS = European directive on the Restriction Of the use of certain Hazardous Substances) please visit the quality page on our website: http://www.melexis.com/quality.asp

IMPORTANT: In alignment with automotive standards, prior to production deliveries for automotive applications, a Part Submission Warrant need to be signed by the customer, in order to make sure that the is compatible with the applications. As the MLX75608 was developed for infotainment applications, use in safety-critical applications is at full responsibility of the customer.

Manufacturing Information

Soldering Process

Product withstands Moisture Sensitivity Level #2a.

Product survives 260°C according IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020.

Besides to the JEDEC standard, the chip is able to withstand 245°C during 5 sec and 217°C during 60sec.

In order to protect device during soldering process, sample is delivered by Melexis with a protection on the top of the lid. This one can be easily removed before ferrule insertion. See also separate application note "MLX75605/MLX75608 Description of Packing".



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Packing information

See application note "MLX75605/MLX75608 Description of Packing" for details concerning packing (tube vs. reel), labeling, minimum order of quantity, etc.

Precaution

Optical opening precautions

Only insertion of optical fiber terminated with a ferrule with dimensions as specified in the 25 Mbps MOST standard is allowed. Inserting anything else, e.g. an optical fiber not terminated with a standard MOST ferrule, can damage the part and will automatically lead to the loss of the Melexis Warranty.

ESD Precautions

Electronic semiconductor products are sensitive to Electro Static Discharge (ESD).

The product is qualified to reach 2kV Human Body Model.

Always observe Electro Static Discharge control procedures whenever handling semiconductor products.



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