

Cisco XFP Modules for 10 Gigabit Ethernet and Packet-Over-Sonet Applications

The Cisco® XFP Module (Figure 1) offers customers a variety of 10 Gigabit Ethernet and Packet-over-SONET/SDH (POS) connectivity options for data center, enterprise wiring closet, and service provider transport applications.

Figure 1. Cisco XFP Module



Main features of the Cisco XFP Module include:

- Supports 10GBASE Ethernet and OC-192/STM-64 data rates
- Hot-swappable input/output device plugs into a XFP port of a Cisco Systems® router to link the port with the network
- Provides flexibility of interface choice
- Supports “pay-as-you-populate” model
- Supports the digital optical monitoring capability
- Supports the Cisco quality identification (ID) feature that helps enable a Cisco switch or router to identify whether the module is a Cisco certified and tested XFP
- Supports optical interoperability with respective Cisco 10GBASE XENPAK and 10GBASE X2 modules on the same link

Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-LR and OC-192/STM-64 SR-1 XFP Module for SMF

The multirate XFP supports both 10GBASE-LR Ethernet applications and OC-192/STM-64 short-reach (SR-1) POS applications.

Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ER and OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 XFP Module for SMF

The multirate XFP supports both 10GBASE-ER Ethernet applications and OC-192/STM-64 intermediate reach (IR-2) POS applications.

Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ZR and OC-192/STM-64 LR-2 XFP Module for SMF

The multirate XFP supports both 10GBASE-ZR Ethernet applications and OC-192/STM-64 long-reach long reach (LR-2) POS applications.

Technical Specifications

Platform Support

Cisco XFP modules are supported on Cisco switches and routers. For more details, refer to the document Cisco 10 Gigabit Ethernet Transceiver Module Compatibility Matrix.

Connectors and Cabling

Connectors: Dual LC/PC connector

Only connections with patch cords with PC or UPC connectors are supported. Patch cords with APC connectors are not supported. All cables and cable assemblies used must be compliant with the standards specified in the standards section.

Table 1 provides cabling specifications for the Cisco XFP Module.

Table 1. Cisco XFP Port Cabling Specifications

	Wavelength (nm)	Cable Type	Core Size (micron)	Cable Distance ¹
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-LR and OC-192/STM-64 SR-1 XFP Module for SMF	1310	SMF	G.652	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 km (10 Gigabit Ethernet) • 2 km (OC-192/STM-64 SR-1)
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ER and OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 XFP Module for SMF ²	1550	SMF	G.652	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 40 km³ (10 Gigabit Ethernet) • 40 km (OC-192/STM-64 IR-2)
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ZR and OC-192/STM-64 LR-2 XFP Module for SMF ²	1550	SMF	G.652	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 80 km (10 Gigabit Ethernet) • 80 km (OC-192/STM-64 IR-2)

Standards

- IEEE 802.3ae
- GR-253, ITU-T G.691, and G.693

Table 2 shows the main optical characteristics for the Cisco optical XFP modules. A multirate module, the XFP module can operate at either 10 Gigabit Ethernet rate (10.3125 Gbps line rate) or OC-192/STM-64 (9.95328 Gbps line rate).

¹ Minimum cabling distance for optical XFP module is 2 meters, according to the IEEE 802.3ae standard.

² Requires 5 dB 1550 nm fixed loss attenuator for < 20 km. Attenuator is available as a spare. The part number is 15216-ATT-LC-5=.

³ Links longer than 30 km are considered engineered links.

Table 2. Optical Transmit and Receive Specifications

Product	Type	Transmit Power (dBm)		Receive Power (dBm)		Transmit Wavelength (nm)	Receive Wavelength (nm)
		Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Range	Range
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-LR and OC-192/STM-64 SR-1 XFP Module for SMF	10GBASE-LR 1310-nm SMF	+0.5	-8.2	+0.5	-14.4	1260 to 1355	1260 to 1565
	OC-192/STM-64 SR-1 1310-nm SMF	-1.0	-6.0	-1.0	-11.0	1290 to 1330	1260 to 1565
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ER OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 XFP Module for SMF	10GBASE-ER 1550-nm SMF	+4.0	-4.7	-1.0	-15.8	1530 to 1565	1260 to 1565
	OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 1550-nm SMF	+2.0	-1.0	+2.0	-14.0	1530 to 1565	1260 to 1565
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ZR OC-192/STM-64 LR-2 XFP Module for SMF	10GBASE-ZR 1550-nm SMF	+4.0	0	-7	-24	1530 to 1565	1260 to 1565
	OC-192/STM-64 LR-2 1550-nm SMF	+4.0	0	-7	-24	1530 to 1565	1260 to 1565

Dimensions

Dimensions (L x W x H): 71 x 18.5 x 8.5 mm. Cisco XFP's typically weigh under 300 grams.

Environmental Conditions and Power Requirements

- The operating temperature range is 0 to 70°C (32 to 158°F); storage temperature range is -40°C to +85°C (-40°F to +185°F).
- The maximum power consumption per Cisco XFP module is 3.5W.

Warranty

- **Standard warranty:** 90 days
- **Extended warranty (optional):** Cisco XFP modules can be covered in a Cisco SMARTnet[®] support contract for the Cisco switch or router chassis

Ordering Information

Table 3 provides ordering information for the Cisco XFP Module.

Table 3. Ordering Cisco XFP and Respective Cables

Description	Product Number
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-LR and OC-192/STM-64 SR-1 XFP Module for SMF	XFP-10GLR-OC192SR
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ER and OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 XFP Module for SMF	XFP-10GER-OC192IR
Cisco Multirate 10GBASE-ZR and OC-192/STM-64 IR-2 XFP Module for SMF	XFP-10GZR-OC192LR

Regulatory and Standards Compliance

Standards:

- GR-20-CORE: Generic Requirements for Optical Fiber and Optical Fiber Cable
- GR-326-CORE: Generic Requirements for Singlemode Optical Connectors and Jumper Assemblies
- GR-1435-CORE: Generic Requirements for Multi-Fiber Optical Connectors

Safety

- Laser Class 1 21CFR-1040 LN#50 7/2001
- Laser Class 1 IEC60825-1

Additional Information

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