





# **Description**

The FP-1550-T5-5-2.5-A-A-X series of Multi-Quantum Well (MQW) Fabry-Perot (FP) lasers are well suited for low-cost high-speed transmitters.

The devices feature high output power and wide operating temperature range. Their uncooled, hermetically sealed, TO-56 style packages are a cost-effective means of providing a light source for intermediatereach and long-reach digital transmission applications.

### **Features**

- Advanced Multiple Quantum Well (MQW) Fabry-Perot Laser Design
- Cost-effective Uncooled Laser Technology
- □ 5.6-mm TO-style package

# **Applications**

- SONET transmitters
- □ Point-to-point fiber optic links



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# **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Exceeding the conditions specified below may result in permanent damage to the laser module. In normal operation, refer to the operating conditions in Table 1, below. Exceeding the conditions in Table 1, but below the absolute maximum ratings may result in unacceptable performance in some applications. Exposure to conditions above the absolute maximum ratings may negatively impact the reliability of the devices.

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min	Max	Unit
Operating Case Temperature	T <sub>c</sub>	$I=I_{op}$	-20	85	°C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>		-40	100	°C
Laser Forward Current				120	mA
Laser Reverse Bias	$V_{\rm r}$			2	V
Photodiode Reverse Bias	$V_{rpd}$			10	V

# **Electrical/Optical Characteristics**

Parameters are over operating temperature range unless otherwise noted.

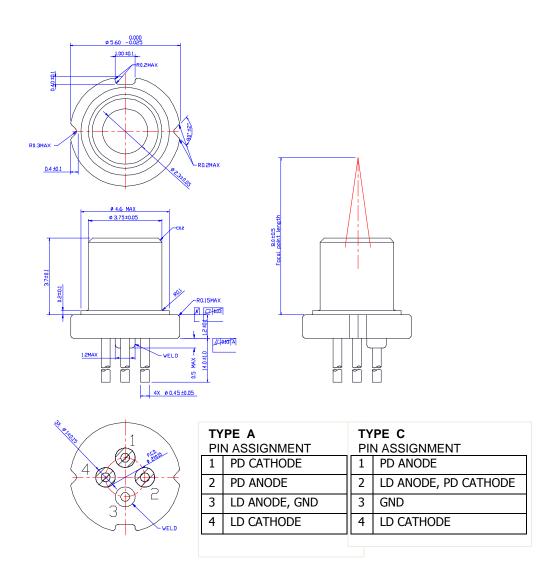
Parameter	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Test Conditions
Operating	Т	-20		85	°C	
Temperature						
Optical Output	$P_{o}$	5.0			mW	CW
Power						
Threshold Current	${ m I}_{\sf th}$		12	18	mA	T=25 °C
			24	35		T=85 °C
Forward Voltage	$V_{F}$		1.1	1.6	V	P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW
Operating Current	$\mathbf{I}_{op}$		35	45	mA	CW, P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW, T=25 °C
			65	80		CW, P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW, T=85 °C
Center Wavelength	λ	1520	1550	1580	nm	P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW, CW, T=25 °C
RMS Spectral Width	Δλ		1.6	2.5	nm	P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW
Wavelength	Δλ /ΔΤ		0.45	0.5	nm/°C	
temperature						
coefficient						
Rise/Fall Times	$t_R$ , $t_F$			0.1	ns	Ppeak=5.0 mW, 20% to
						80%
Relaxation	$f_R$		4.5		GHz	P <sub>o</sub> =5.0 mW
Oscillation						
Frequency						
Monitor Current	$\mathbf{I}_{mon}$	15		75	μA/mW	$V_R=5 V$
Monitor Dark Current	${ m I}_{ m D}$		-	200	nA	$V_R=5 V$



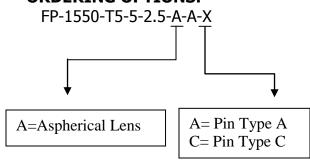


### **DIMENSIONS**

All dimensions are in mm unless specified

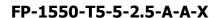


### **ORDERING OPTIONS:**



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#### **Safety Information**

All versions of this laser are Class 1M laser products per IEC<sup>1</sup>/EN<sup>2</sup> 60825-1:2007. Users should observe safety precautions such as those recommended by ANSI<sup>3</sup> Z136.1-2000, ANSI Z36.2-1997 and IEC 60825-1:2007

#### **Notes about Laser Safety Class:**

The Food and Drug Administration's Center for Devices and Radiological Health (FDA/CDRH) in the USA has decided to harmonize their requirements with 21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11 with the IEC/EN 60825-1 and IEC/EN 60601-2-22 standards. This process has not yet happened and in the interim, the CDRH agency has released <a href="Laser Notice No.50"><u>Laser Notice No.50</u></a> to reduce the regulatory burden. This notice allows IEC/EN classification and labeling of lasers within the USA.

#### IEC1/EN2 60825-1 Laser Class

Class 1M: laser is safe for all conditions of use except when passed through magnifying optics such as microscopes and telescopes. Class 1M lasers produce large-diameter beams, or beams that are divergent. The MPE for a Class 1M laser cannot normally be exceeded unless focusing or imaging optics are used to narrow the beam. If the beam is refocused, the hazard of Class 1M lasers may be increased and the product class may be changed. A laser can be classified as Class 1M if the total output power is below (IEC/EN) class 3B but the power that can pass through the pupil of the eye is within Class 1.

#### **FDA Laser Class**

Class IIIB: moderate power lasers (cw: 5-500 mW, pulsed: 10 J/cm<sup>2</sup> or the diffuse reflection limit, whichever is lower). In general Class IIIB lasers will not be a fire hazard, nor are they generally capable of producing a hazardous diffuse reflection. Specific controls are recommended.

This product does not conform to 21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11. Consequently, this laser module is only intended for use as a component by manufacturers of electronic products and equipment.

Wavelength = 1270 - 1610 nm Maximum Power = 75mW Single-mode fiber pigtail Fiber Numerical Aperture = 0.14

Labeling is not affixed to the laser module due to size constraints; rather, labeling is placed on the outside of the shipping box.

This product is not shipped with a power supply.

Caution: use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.



classified in accordance with IEC 60825-1:2007

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