

FEATURES

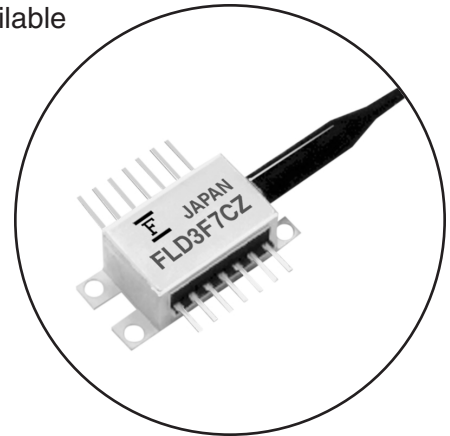
- Direct Modulation MQW DFB Laser
- Built-in TEC, Thermistor and Monitor PD
- Optical Isolator
- 14 Pin Butterfly Type Module

BENEFITS

- 78 Channel NTSC Loading (112 Channel device available)
- Low Residual CSO & CTB
- 11 dB Link Budget Available

APPLICATIONS

This MQW DFB laser is intended for application in analog AM, CATV at 1,310nm. Transmission spans of 30 km are possible without amplification.



DESCRIPTION

This MQW (Multiple Quantum Well) DFB laser for analog AM application is a high power laser capable of carrying 78 channels with excellent CSO, CTB, and CNR performance. It is packaged in a 'butterfly' type module. The module employs a high efficiency optical coupling system, coupling the laser output through a built-in optical isolator into a single mode fiber pigtail. The module also includes a monitor photodiode, a thermoelectric cooler (TEC) and a thermistor.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_C=25°C)

| Parameter | Symbol | Ratings | Unit |
|----------------------------|------------------|------------|------|
| Storage Temperature | T _{stg} | -40 to +70 | °C |
| Operating Case Temperature | T _{op} | -20 to +65 | °C |
| Optical Output Power | P _f | 20 | mW |
| Laser Forward Current | I _F | 150 | mA |
| Laser Reverse Voltage | V _R | 2 | V |
| Photodiode Reverse Voltage | V _{DR} | 20 | V |
| TEC Voltage | V _C | 2.5 | V |
| TEC Current | I _C | 1.4 | A |

TEC & THERMISTOR CHARACTERISTICS (T_L=25±1°C)

| Parameter | Symbol | Limits | | Unit | Conditions |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------------|------|------|--------------------|
| | | Min. | Max. | | |
| TEC Current | I _C | - | 1.0 | A | ΔT=40°C |
| TEC Voltage | V _C | - | 2.0 | V | ΔT=40°C |
| TEC Capacity | ΔT | 40 | - | °C | I _C =1A |
| Thermistor Resistance | R _{tr} | 9.5 | 10.5 | kΩ | - |
| Thermistor B Constant | B | Typ. 3,900 | | K | - |

T_C = Case Temperature, T_L = Laser Temperature

OPTICAL AND ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_L=25±1°C)

| Parameter | Symbol | Limits | | Unit | Conditions |
|----------------------------|-----------------|--------|-------|-------|---|
| | | Min. | Max. | | |
| Threshold Current | I _{th} | - | 20 | mA | CW |
| Forward Voltage (pin 3-13) | V _F | - | 1.5 | V | CW, I _F =30mA |
| Optical Output Power | P _f | 8 | 20 | mW | CW |
| Slope Efficiency | S | 0.20 | - | mW/mA | CW, I _F =I _{op} |
| Tracking Error | T _E | -0.5 | +0.5 | dB | Note (1) |
| Monitor Current | I _m | 120 | 1200 | μA | CW, I _F =I _{op} , V _{DR} =5V |
| Photodiode Dark Current | I _d | - | 100 | nA | V _{DR} =5V |
| Photodiode Capacitance | C _t | - | 12 | pF | V _{DR} =5V, f=1MHz |
| Peak Wavelength | λ _p | 1,290 | 1,330 | nm | CW, I _F =I _{op} |
| SideMode Suppression Ratio | SSR | 25 | - | dB | CW, I _F =I _{op} |
| Bandwidth (-1dB) | f _c | 1.5 | - | GHz | Note (2) |
| Isolation | I _s | 25 | - | dB | T _c =0 to 65°C |
| Relative Intensity Noise | RIN | - | -155 | dB/Hz | Note (3) |
| Composite Second Power | CSO | - | -57 | dBc | Note (4) |
| Composite Triple Beat | CTB | - | -65 | dBc | |
| Carrier to Noise Ratio | CNR | 50 | - | dB | |

(1) Total change in P_f over -20<T_c<+65°C. Test conditions: P_f=8mW at T_L=T_c=25°C. Constant current operation with TEC operating.

(2) Test condition: P_f=8mW, No matching network is used in the measurement.

(3) Test condition: P_f; same power of Note 4, measuring bandwidth: 45-600MHz, Optical reflection=-40dB (no long-haul fiber is used in the measurement.)

(4) Test condition: P_f=8mW (minimum), Optical Modulation, Index=3.2% channel (minimum), 78 unmodulated carriers (55.25 to 547.25 MHz; ch. 2 to 78 plus A-1), Optical link loss=11dB (30 km singlemode fiber), Noise equivalent current of 1st stage of the receiver=7pA/√Hz, Receiver responsivity=0.86A/W, Optical reflection=-40dB (excluding reflection from long-haul fiber).

Fig. 1 Optical Output Power and Monitor Current vs. Laser Forward Current

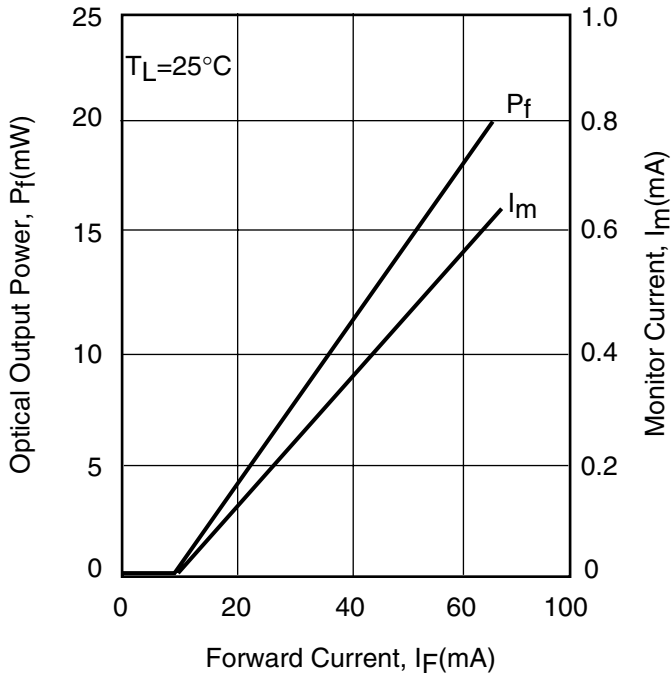


Fig. 2 Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage

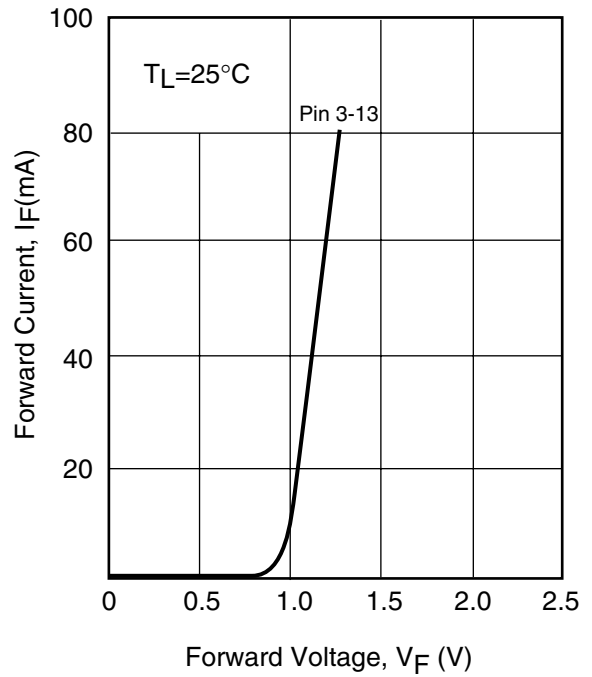


Fig. 3 Temperature Dependence of Threshold Current

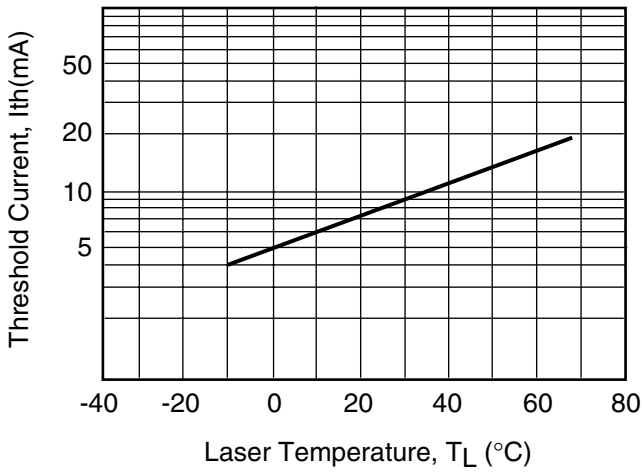


Fig. 4 Lasing Spectrum

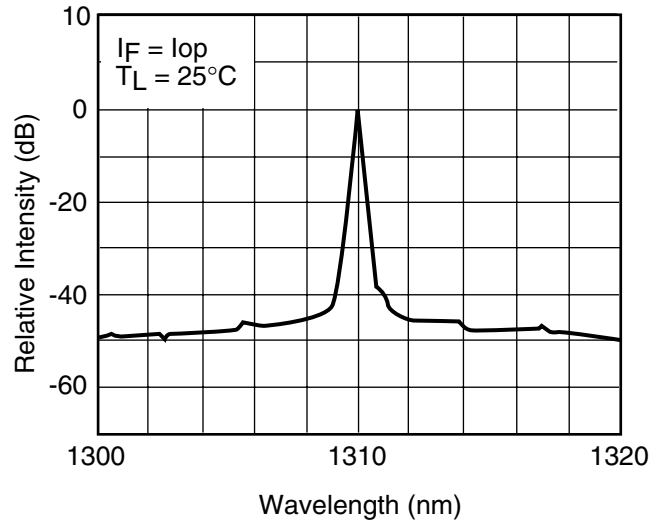


Fig. 5 Tracking Characteristics

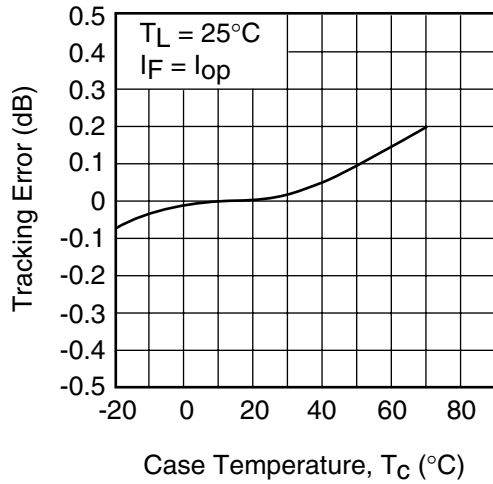


Fig. 6 Frequency Response

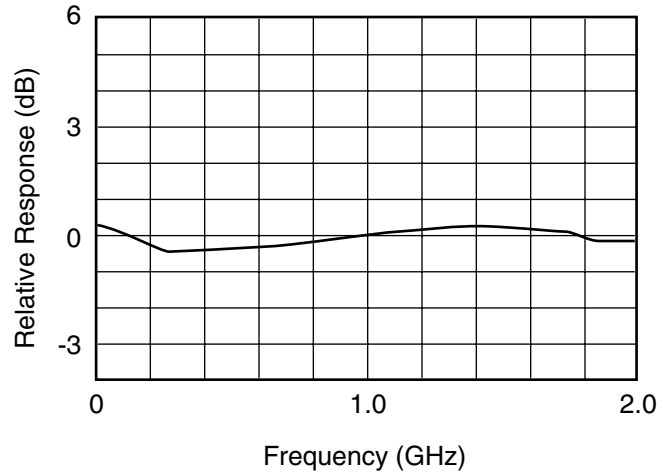


Fig. 7 RIN Characteristics

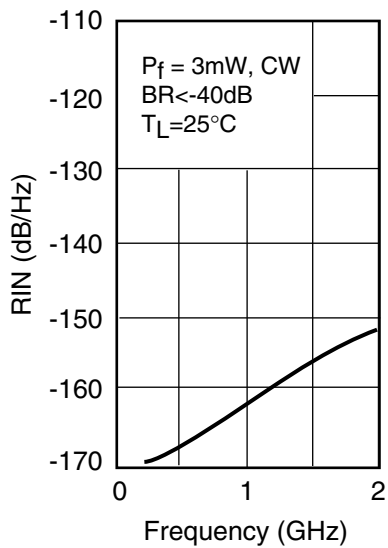


Fig. 8 Thermistor Resistance vs. Temperature

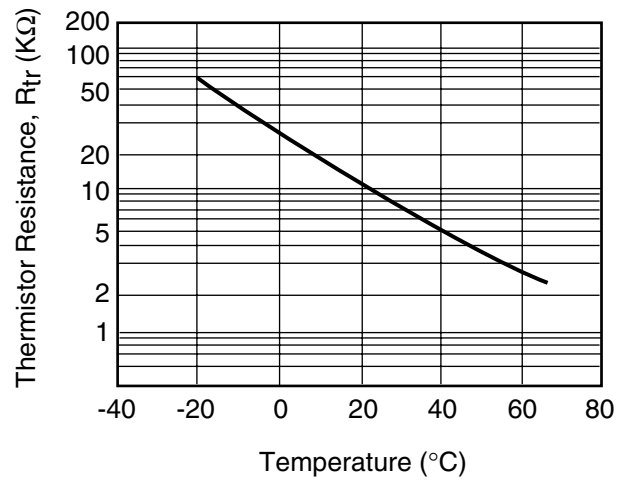


Fig. 9 Cooler voltage and Cooler Current vs. Case Temperature

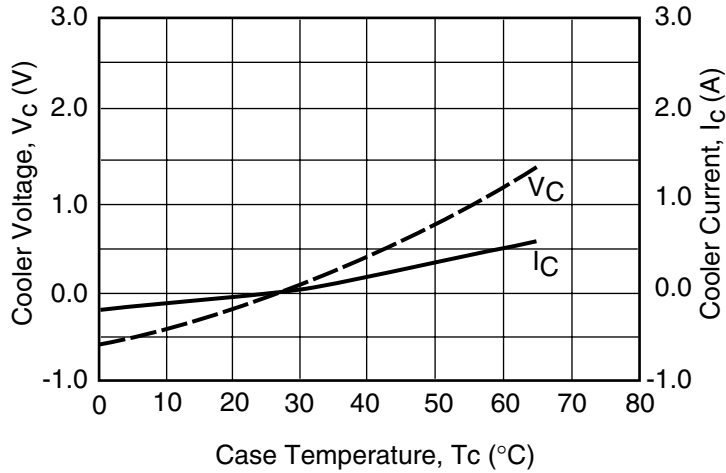


Fig. 10 CSO vs. Output Power

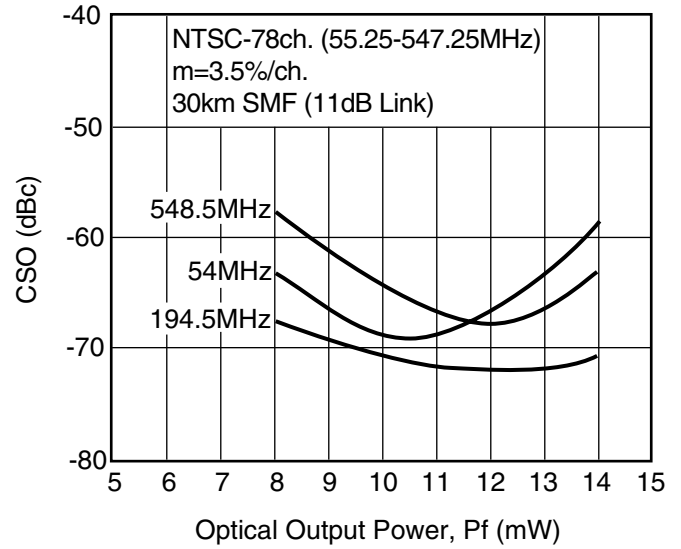


Fig. 11 CTB vs. Output Power

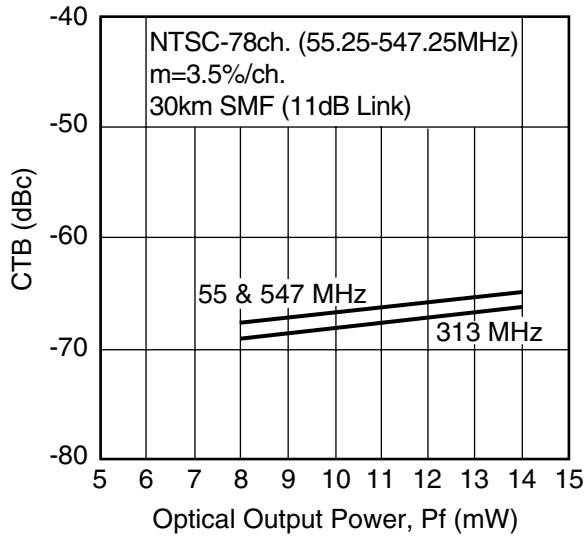
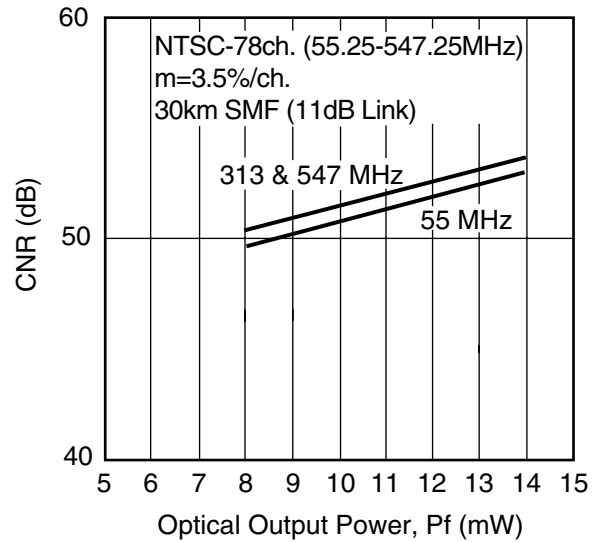
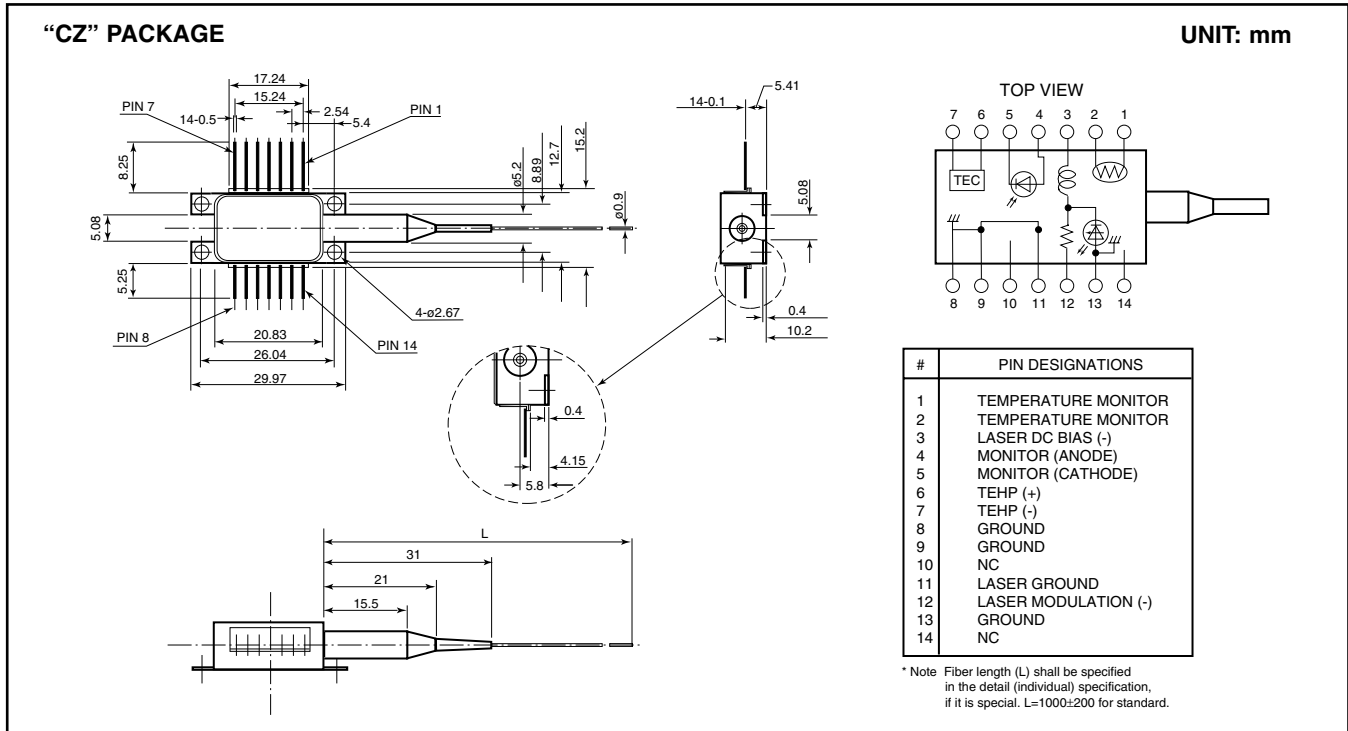


Fig. 12 CNR vs. Output Power





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