T2400/2800 Series

Handheld Optical Light Source

Optical Communications Test Applications

- Mixed single mode, multimode & POF testing to 6 λ
- Multi-Fiber polarity checking and fiber identification
- Encircled Flux compliant testing
- Tone source for fiber identifier
- Innovative and useful VisiTester feature



Revision 24

The T2400 / 2800 series Handheld Fiber Sources are used with an Optical Power Meter to test loss on single mode, multimode & POF optical fiber systems, at up to 6 wavelengths.

The 2800 series provide excellent stability, and the 2400 series provide exceptional stability with zero warm up.

High productivity, high availability and ease of use combine to achieve superior measurement confidence.

The innovative and unique VisiTester option is helpful for general loss testing, continuity testing & fault finding.

These Autotest sources can be used with any Kingfisher Autotest optical power meter, loss test set or two-way tester.

Features

- Reliable, rugged & versatile
- Simple to use
- Ideal for mixed MMF & SMF testing
- Up to 6 mixed LED, Laser & VFL sources
- Excellent optical power stability
- Excellent re-connection repeatability
- LCD is large, clear, sunlight readable & backlit
- Autotest compatibility with other instruments
- Optical test tone with Multi-fiber ID function
- VisiTester easily identifies active test channel
- Interchangeable connectors with dust cap / tilt bail
- Encircled Flux compliant multimode LED sources
- Multimode sources supplied with mandrel wraps
- T2400 series is ultra-stable with zero warm up
- Long battery life
- External power / charging via USB
- 3 ~ 7 Year warranty
- ISO 17025 traceable calibration certificate
- Made in Australia

T2400/2800 Series - Hand Held Fiber Source

The T2400 / 2800 Handheld Fiber Sources are used with optical power meters for testing optical loss on single mode and multimode fibers. A Multi-Fiber tone feature makes for handy continuity / polarity testing and fault finding, also for use with clip-on traffic identifiers.

The T2800 source provides excellent general test capability. Alternatively, the T2400 premium source is unique in the industry, with zero warm up, ultrahigh stability, and is unaffected by varying back reflection.

All emitters feature excellent repeatability and stability. Re-connection repeatability is < 0.1 dB, resulting in exceptional test accuracy. Calibration is ISO 17025 traceable.

This instrument meets the general requirements of MIL PRF 28800F class 2. The large display provides the user with an easy view of instrument status and test results.

Practical interchangeable optical connectors are easily changed and are protected with a captive dust cover / tilt bail. Metal free adaptors help avoid contamination of connectors in high power systems.

AA alkaline batteries have long life, and the micro-USB power input ensures high availability. Or use rechargeable batteries with built-in charging.

When used with a Kingfisher Autotest compatible power meter or loss test set, automatic λ identification is achieved, and the nominal source power is displayed on the power meter.

Up to 6 LED / laser sources can be specified, making this a versatile test source for mixed multimode / single mode fiber testing.

Laser options compliant with CWDM standards cover typical cable qualification for O, E, S, C, & L bands, including the water absorption peak, 1625 nm.

Multimode LED sources are Encircled Flux (EF) standards compliant, to provide the most consistent and reliable testing results.

The unique VisiTester option mixes a laser VFL with Autotest, so at the power meter end, the active test fiber winks, making it obvious to the user. It also extends practical fault-finding options.

Please refer to other brochures for our convenient FiberTester kits, comprising groups of instruments and common accessories supplied in a protective field carry case.

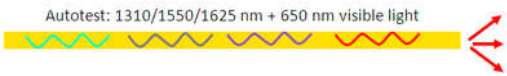
OPTICAL SPECIFICATIONS

	1310/1490/1550 nm Laser	CWDM[1] Laser	1625 nm Laser	650 nm VisiTester[2]	850 / 1300 nm LED	1310/1550 nm LED	470/520/660 nm LED[5]	Comments
T 2800 series								
Short term stability (dB)	0.04	0.06	0.06	N/A	0.01	N/A	0.01	For 15 min, typical ± Δ 2°C, after warm-up, ORL < -25 dB
Stability over temp (dB)	0.6	0.6	0.6	N/A	0.35	N/A	0.35	Typical
Premium zero warm up & ultra-stable T2400 series[3]								
Short term stability (dB)	0.03	0.05	0.05	N/A	0.01	0.03	N/A	For 15 min, max, ± Δ 3°C no warm- up
Stability over temp (dB)	0.2	0.2	0.2	N/A	0.35	0.2	N/A	Max
Common for both T2400 & T 2800 series								
λ initial tolerance (nm)	20	6.5	20	5	NA	20	15	At 25 °C
λ width, nm	3	< 1	3	3	NA	35 / 48	25	FWHM, typical
λ nm/°C	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4	N/A	Typical
Mode Controlled Source	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Mode controlled	N/A	N/A	50/125 compliant: IEC 61280-4-1 {Ed.1.0}, TIA 526-14A & TIA TSB-178.
Reconnection repeatability[4] dB	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.05	0.1	N/A	95 % confidence
Modulation	270 Hz, 1 kHz, 2 kHz ± 2 %, 12 Multi-Fiber ID tones, 2 Hz blink for VisiTester							
Output power level	Refer to ORDERING INFORMATION section for output power level of specific model							Laser: adjustable over 7 dB in 0.01 dB steps, LED: fixed
Output power accuracy	± 1 dB (for Laser/eLED @ SMF, Multimode LED @ 62.5 µm, POF @ 1 mm)							

Class 1 Laser / LED infra-red device. Compliant with IEC60825-1.

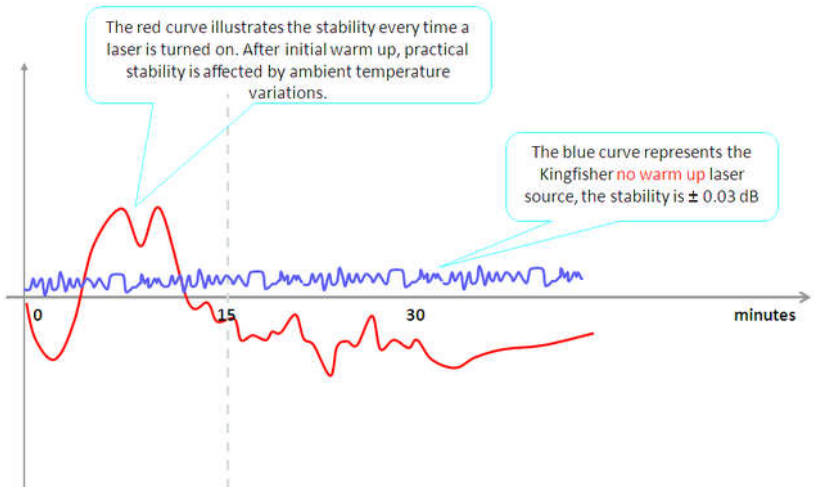
Note 1: CWDM laser wavelengths: 1270, 1290, 1310, 1330, 1350, 1370, 1390, 1410, 1430, 1450, 1470, 1490, 1510, 1530, 1550, 1570, 1590, 1610 nm

Note 2: VisiTester option:

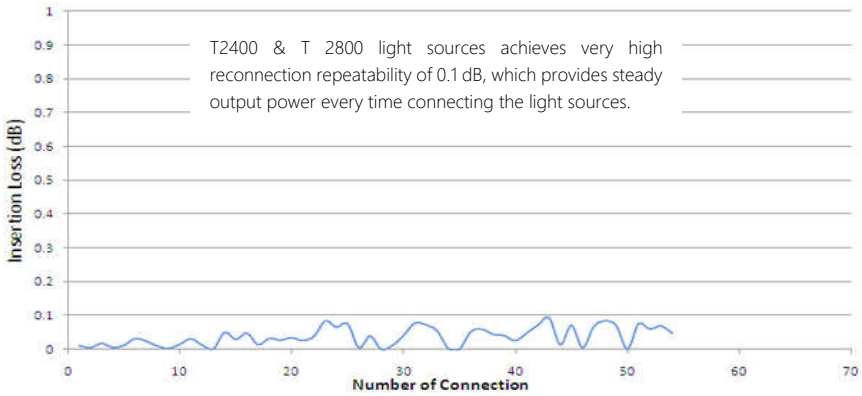


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Note 3: Premium Zero Warm Up & Ultra Stable T2400 Series



Note 4: Reconnection Repeatability:



Note 5: Light source model with LED of these wavelengths do not support Autotest.

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameters	Value	Parameters	Value
Battery life	Laser/LED source: 90/80 hours in Autotest, typical	Dust cap	Captive, functions as tilt bail when slid open
Size	190 x 105 x 35 mm (7.5 x 4.1 x 1.4")	Operating / Storage	-15 to 55 °C / -25 to 70 °C
Weight	420 gm (0.9 lb.). Shipping 1.5 Kg (3.3 lb.)	Relative humidity	0 ~ 95 %
LCD size	74 x 55 mm / 2.9 x 2.2"	Warranty	3 years
Case	Polycarbonate / rubber edges & corners, moisture resistance, 1-meter drop tested	Power	2 Alkaline AA cells or 2 x NiMH AA cells, user selectable charging; Ext power input via micro-USB; Selectable auto-off, low battery indicator, backlit display

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ORDERING INFORMATION

Please enquire for non-listed specifications such as: Wavelengths, Power levels, PC / APC Connectors

Description	Power (dBm) @ Fiber Type(µm)					VisiTester	Ports	P/N
	Laser	LED						
	SMF	SMF	50µ	62.5µ	1 mm	SMF		
T 2800 series								
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED	-	-32	-22.5	-20	-	-	1	T2803
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED VisiTester	-	-35	-25.5	-23	-	+2	1	T28603
Instrument, Source 470-520-660 nm LED	-	-	-	-	-7	-	3	T2806[6]
Instrument, Source 1310-1550 nm Laser	0	-	-	-	-	-	1	T2822
Instrument, Source 1310-1550 nm High Power +5dBm Laser	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	T2823
Instrument, Source 1310-1550 nm Laser VisiTester	-3	-	-	-	-	+2	1	T28622
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED, 1310-1550 nm Laser	0	-32	-22.5	-20	-	-	2	T2824
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED, 1310-1550 nm Laser APC	0	-32	-22.5	-20	-	-	2	T2824-APC
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED, 1310-1550 nm Laser VisiTester	-3	-32	-22.5	-20	-	+2	2	T28624
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED, 1310-1550 nm Laser VisiTester APC	-3	-32	-22.5	-20	-	+2	2	T28624-APC
Instrument, Source 850-1300 nm LED, 1310-1550-1625 nm Laser	-3	-32	-22.5	-20		-	2	T2825-APC
Instrument, Source 850-1300 LED VisiTester, 1310-1550 Laser VisiTester	-3	-35	-25.5	-23		+2	2	T28634
Instrument, Source 1310-1550-1625 nm Laser APC	-3	-	-	-		-	1	T28010-APC
Instrument, Source 1310-1550-1625 nm Laser VisiTester APC	-7	-	-	-		+2	1	T28610-APC
Instrument, Source 1310-1490-1550-1625 nm Laser APC	-3	-	-	-		-	1	T28016-APC
Zero warm up & ultra-stable light sources, T2400 series								
Instrument, Source 1310-1550 nm Ultra Stable eLED	-	-20	-	-		-	1	T2419
Instrument, Source 1310-1550 nm Ultra Stable Laser	-4	-	-	-		-	1	T2422
Instrument, Source 1310-1550-1625 nm Ultra Stable Laser APC	-7	-	-	-		-	1	T24010-APC

Note 6: This model does not support Autotest

STANDARD ACCESSORIES

Description	Quantity
SC connector adaptor (OPT046)	1 per port
Operation manual	1
QA certificate	1
ILAC/ NATA traceable calibration certificates	1 set
Carry Pouch	1
Carry strap	1
50 & 62.5 µm fiber mandrel wrap set for Multimode sources (OPT701)	1
USB-A to USB-micro type cable	1

This instrument is supplied with metal-free sleeve interchangeable optical connector adaptors. The ferrule type is fixed as PC or APC depending on the model part number . Green is associated with APC. You can order any number of connector adaptors.

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

Description	Part number
Carry Case for 2 Instruments	OPT153
Carry Case includes Cletop-style cleaner & Cleaning Sticks	OPT154B

OPTIONAL INTERCHANGEABLE CONNECTOR ADAPTORS

Description	Part number	Description	Part number
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/FC	OPT051	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/MU	OPT080
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/ST	OPT040	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/LSA-DIN47256	OPT071
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/E2000	OPT060	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Metal Sleeve, SC/SMA 905/906	OPT082
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/E2000 Green	OPT060G	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/Universal 1.25 mm	OPT084
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/LC, metal body	OPT076	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/F3000 or LC Simplex, plastic body	OPT072
Option, Hybrid Adaptor, SC/POF multi	OPT077[7]	Option, Hybrid Adaptor, Ceramic Sleeve, SC/Universal 2.5 mm	OPT081

Note 7: For Mini Toslink, unterminated POF cable, HFBR series (simplex and duplex), 2.5mm. The user turns the turret to the required hole size. Actual hole size 3.85, 3.5, 3.2, 2.55, 2.4, 2.3 mm x 8.5 mm deep



Change Record

Revision	Date	Editor	Change Description
24	28Mar2022	TO Ng	18Sep2020: Change heading of the 2'nd column of the OPTICAL SPECIFICATION table from "1310-1550 nm" to "1310-1550-1490 nm. (1490 nm was missing in revision 23). 23Dec2021: Removed +2 dBm output for T2825-APC which has no VisiTester. 28Mar2022: Added 660 nm LED source to T2806. Output powers of all 3 emitters are spec at -7 dBm.  RE 650nm POF source.msg

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