

BALANCED PHOTODETECTOR

AT A GLANCE

- Very high bandwidth
- **5**0 Ω-matched
- High-power capable



Features

- Pig-tailed module (2xSMF)
- Low bias operation (2V)
- Bandwidth 65 GHz
- Up to + 18dBm input power

Applications

- Advanced modulation formats like DPSK, QPSK, ...
- 90°-hybrid frontends
- Heterodyne detection
- Balanced detection
- Enhanced receiver sensitivity

REFERENCES

u²t Photonics AG



Miscellaneous Features

Operating bias	± 2V typical
Optical input	FC/PC
	(or customer specific)
RF output	1 or 1.85 mm
	female (Agilent)
Max. optical input	+18 dBm

Specifications

Bandwidth	up to 75 GHz
Responsivity	0.5 A/W
Polarisation dependent loss	< 0.5 dB
Dark current	< 5 nA
Output	matched to 50 Ohm
High power linear behaviour	up to + 14 dBm
Wavelength range	1480 – 1620 nm

Integration Scheme



Bandwidth Behaviour



DPSK Receiver Setup



High-Power Behaviour

80 Gbit/s RZ-DPSK +8 dBm 180 mV

The photodetector modules are lab samples and should not be used on any life critical application without prior written permission from the supplier. Specifications are subject to change without notice due to further product improvements.

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