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# **CATALOG** COMPONENTS FOR OPTICAL NETWORKS



# 2025



# COMPANY INTRODUCTION





115,000 m<sup>2</sup> Facility

Advanced Fiber Resources (AFR), founded in 2000, is a leading supplier of fiber optical components. With its strong R&D and design capabilities, highly efficient manufacturing process and strict quality control, AFR designs and manufactures standard and custom components, modulators, and provides contract manufacturing solutions to our customers. Our products are widely used in fiber laser, telecom, data center, fiber sensing, autonomous driving, biomedical equipment, as well as research institutes and universities around the globe. AFR's products have been sold to customers in more than 40 countries and regions worldwide.



IPO in China



281 Patents



**2,000** Employees



600 Customers

# **QUALITY**

At AFR, quality is our top priority and an integral part of everything we do. The product quality management covers the entire lifecycle, from product development, to supply chain management, manufacturing, and after-sales. AFR's quality management system fulfills the requirements of ISO 9001:2015, ISO 14001:2015 and IATF 16949, and all products are qualified with Telcordia GR-468 and GR-1221-CORE reliability test.

The company currently has seven dedicated laboratories and is equipped with many high precision instruments, to ensure excellent reliability of our products. We have built an optical precision processing center and a machining center, manufacturing crystals, mirrors, PBS, other flat surface optics and mechanical components in-house, the key material production capability makes us more competitive.

We strive to continuously improve our products with proactive, data driven, quality first systems and processes.





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# **PASSIVE COMPONENTS FOR TELECOM**

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## **Typical Structure of EDFA**



## **Components for EDFA**

### **Discrete Components for EDFA**

- Tap Coupler
- Isolator • WDM
- Photodiode

### **Hybrid Components for EDFA**

- Tap + PD
- Isolator + GFF
- Tap + Isolator + WDM

# **High-Reliability Components**



- GFF + Isolator
- PBC/S
- Fiber Feedthrough

### Standards

- GR-1221-CORE
- GR-1209-CORE

# **Available Package**

### **Standard Package**

Can be used for single function or hybrid function Isolator, WDM + Isolator, Tap + Isolator, GFF + Isolator WDM + Tap + Isolator

### Mini-Package

Can be used for single function or hybrid function Isolator, WDM + Isolator, Tap + Isolator, GFF + Isolator WDM + Tap + Isolator

### **Ultra Mini-Package**

Can be used for single function or limited choice of hybrid function Isolator, WDM + Isolator, Tap + Isolator









Submarine Network System Structure Diagram

### • 25 Years Lifetime Warranty



# **PASSIVE COMPONENTS FOR TELECOM**

## **Polarization Maintaining Components**

# PASSIVE COMPONENTS FOR TELECOM

## **Electric Driven Components**



### Products

- PM Tap Coupler (PMTC)
- PM Isolator
- Polarization Beam Combiner/Splitter (PBC/PBS)
- PM Circulator
- PM WDM (Fused/Filter)
- PM In-Line Polarizer
- Faraday Mirror



- Optical Amplifiers
- ACO/DCO
- ICR/ICT
- Coherent Module and Transponder



### Products

- Low WDL MEMS VOA and Array
- PM MEMS Switch 1x2/2x2/1xN
- Unidirectional Tap PD and Array
- Fiber Pigtailed PD and Array
- TAP + Isolator + PD Hybrid

### Applications

- Fiber Amplifiers
- WSS
- V-MUX
- MCS
- Optical Channel Monitoring



**Optical Cross Connection** 



Coherent Optical Communication System Structure Diagram

**Over 20 Years of Experience with PM Fiber Optic Components Comprehensive Product Line Covering a Wide Range of Applications** 



### Features

- Low WDL: < 0.5 dB (VOA)
- Low IL: < 0.7 dB (VOA/Switch)
- Fast Response: < 2 ms (VOA), < 10 ms (Switch)
- Low Dark Current: < 2 nA (PD)
- High Directivity: > 35 dB (PD)
- Compact Size

# **FIBER ASSEMBLY**

AFR can provide One-Stop Fiber Assembly Service according to the requirements of customers. Our products and services include Lensed Fiber, Fiber Metallization, Fiber Feedthrough, Fiber Coating, Fiber End Face Polishing, Fiber Array, Fiber Connector, Fiber Bragg Grating, etc.

Applications

DFB Laser

• Pump Lasers, SLEDs, etc.

Optical Waveguide Coupling





### Applications

• 400G, 800G System, WSS

## **Lensed Fiber**

### Features

- Wedge or Conical Lens Available
- Customized Lens
- High Coupling Efficiency
- High Reliability in Hermetic Packaging

## **Fiber Metallization**

### Products

- Metalized Single Fiber
- Metalized Ribbon Fiber

### Features

- Excellent Solderability
- High Hermetic Sealing Guarantee
- High Reliability

# **Fiber Feedthrough**

### Features

- Glass Solder and Metal Solder are Both Available
- Single Fiber and Ribbon Fiber are Both Available
- Passed 10000 m Hydraulic Press Test
- Hermetic Sealing Guarantee





## Laser Packaging

### Products

- H8/14 Pin Butterfly Packaging
- TO-CAN Packaging

### Features

- DFB, SLED, and Pump LD Packaging
- OEM Business Available
- Hermetic Sealing
- High Reliability







# **ACTIVE COMPONENTS PACKAGING**





# **COMPONENTS FOR DATA CENTER**

## 800G Multimode SR4/SR8

Leveraging robust manufacturing processes and high-volume product capability, Vlink delivers precision short reach jumpers for SR4/SR8 modules, offering advanced MT polishing and laser cleaving process, with a fiber length tolerance of ± 0.1 mm.

### Features

- 24-24 Channel or 24-16 Channel
- High Accuracy of Fiber Length Control

### Applications

• 400G/800G Short Reach Solution (SR4/SR8)





## 400G/800G DR4/DR8 Assembly

The 400G/800G DR4/DR8 jumper consists of MT and FAU integrated with isolators or lenses tested by automatic machines. Fiber length is accurately controlled by special fixtures. The products comply with GR-468-CORE requirements.

### Features

- Fiber Array with Lens Array Packaging Fit to Small MFD PIC Application
- High Coupling Efficiency for Fiber Array to PIC Packaging
- High Power Handling Property

### Applications

• 400G/800G Parallel Single Mode Solution

## 90 deg. Bending FAU

Vlink's 90 deg. Bending FAU feature a high-precision V-Groove substrate with Vlink's specialized bend, assembly and polish processes, resulting in low insertion loss, precise fiber core pitch, and excellent polished surface quality. The compact products, under 3.5 mm in height, are ideal for high-speed silicon photonics transceiver interconnections.

### Features

- High Coupling Efficiency Connectivity in Silicon Photonics Assembly
- Patented Vlink Technology for Low Stress and High Reliability
- 12-Channel, 24-Channel or on Request
- Fiber Height 3.5 mm or less
- Low Bending Loss < 0.1 dB
- Low Coupling Loss < 0.35 dB
- High PER > 25 dB

Applications

Grating Coupling in Silicon Photonics Connection





## CWDM/LAN-WDM Assembly

The Vlink's Thin Film Filter CWDM and LAN WDM Block has compact size, high effective aperture, accurate pointing angle, and is suited for QSFP28 transceiver modules. Filters attachment is accomplished by automatic machine.

### Features

- High Volume Product Capability, Low Cost
- Automatic Manufacturing Process
- Typical Output Light Parallelism < 0.1°

### Applications

CWDM4/LAN WDM4 Module

# COMPONENTS FOR DATA CENTER



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## **PM Fiber Array and Fiber Pigtail**

Vlink's PM Fiber Pigtail and Fiber Array are ideal for coherent telecom applications and fiber sensor systems. Leveraging our professional design and manufacturing capability, Vlink delivers high-quality, cost-effective PM pigtails that comply with GR-1221/1209-CORE and RoHS requirements.

### Features

- High PER up to 30 dB
- Low Stress on PM Fiber with Vlink Packing Process
- Low PER Degradation After Laser Welding/Soldering
- SSC Function by Fusing Different Core Spot Size Fibers for Small MFD PIC Application
- Different Cladding/Core/Brand Fibers are Optional
- Low Loss and Reflow High Tempreture Handling

### Applications

- ICR/iTLA Module
- CPO







## **2D High Density Fiber Array**

Vlink's 2D High Density Fiber Array are widely used in OCS systems and ROADM WSS modules. High-precision pitch control is achieved by V-Groove manufacturing and assembly processes. Pitch in the X or Y direction can be customized and asymmetrical. With AR coating and feedthrough assembly capabilities, Vlink provides a one-stop solution for customers.

### Features

- M×N Multi-Channel Fiber Array up to 2500 Fibers
- Fiber Core Pitch 250  $\mu m,$  127  $\mu m,$  84  $\mu m$  or Special
- Fiber Core Pitch Error  $\leq 1.0 \ \mu m$

### Applications

• Application for OCS, WSS





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