Fiber Optic Rotary Joint Slip Ring — 4 Channel

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Fiber Optic Rotary Joints (FORJs), also known as fiber optic slip rings, provide a continuous optical connection between stationary and rotating optical fibers while allowing unrestricted 360° rotation. They are designed for applications requiring the transmission of optical data, communication signals, or laser power between static and rotating platforms during continuous or intermittent rotation. Our FORJs are engineered for low insertion loss, low insertion loss variation, low back reflection, high rotational reliability, and high-speed optical transmission. Available in single-channel and multi-channel configurations, they support both single-mode and multimode fibers for demanding applications.

Features

- Low insertion loss, high rotation speed
- Non-contact, zero friction, long working life
- Small size, light weight, high sealing class
- No electromagnetic interference

Specifications

Parameter		Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Wavewidth			±50		nm
Insertion Loss (@23°C)				4	dB
Insertion Loss Ripple			2		dB
Return Loss	SM (1310/1550 nm)		≥ 50 (APC), ≥ 40 (PC)		dB
	MM (850/1310 nm)		≥ 30(PC)		dB
Power				0.5	W
Rotating Speed				300	rpm
Working Life			> 100 million		turn
Rotating Torque			≤ 0.01		N.m
Working Temperature		-20 (-60)		+60 (+85)	°C
Storage Temperature		-50		+85	°C
Weight			1.6		kg
Protection Grade			IP65		

Applications

- Robot
- Material transfer system
- Rotating turret on vehicle
- Remote control system
- Radar signal
- Marine equipment and ship system
- Medical system
- Video monitoring system

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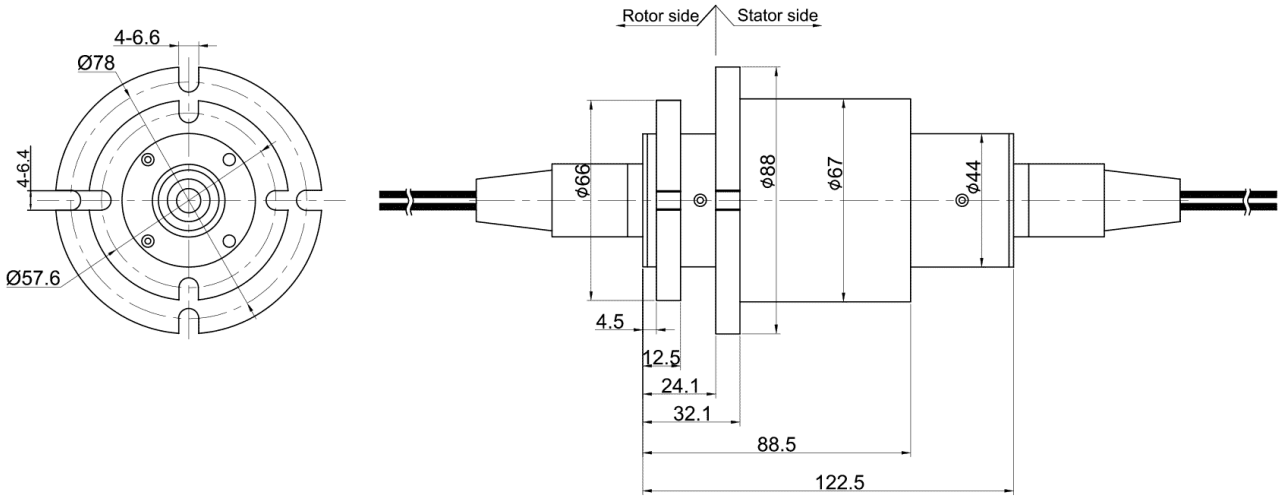
Mechanical Dimensions (mm)



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Ordering Information (Part Number)

	FF	4	☐	☐☐	☐	☐	☐
Prefix	**Configuration**	**# Channel**	**Wavelength**	**Fiber Type**	**Fiber Cover**	**Fiber Length**	**Connector [1]**
FORJ-	Fiber = FF	4 = 4	1310/1550nm = S 850/1310nm = M Special = 0	SM28 = 01 50/125 = 05 62.5/125 = 06 105/125 = 0A Special = 00	3mm tube = 3 0.9mm tube = 2 Special = 0	0.5m = 2 1.0m = 3 Special = 0	None = 1 FC/PC = 2 FC/APC = 3 SC/PC = 4 SC/APC = 5 ST/PC = 6 LC/PC = 7 LC/UPC = U Special = 0

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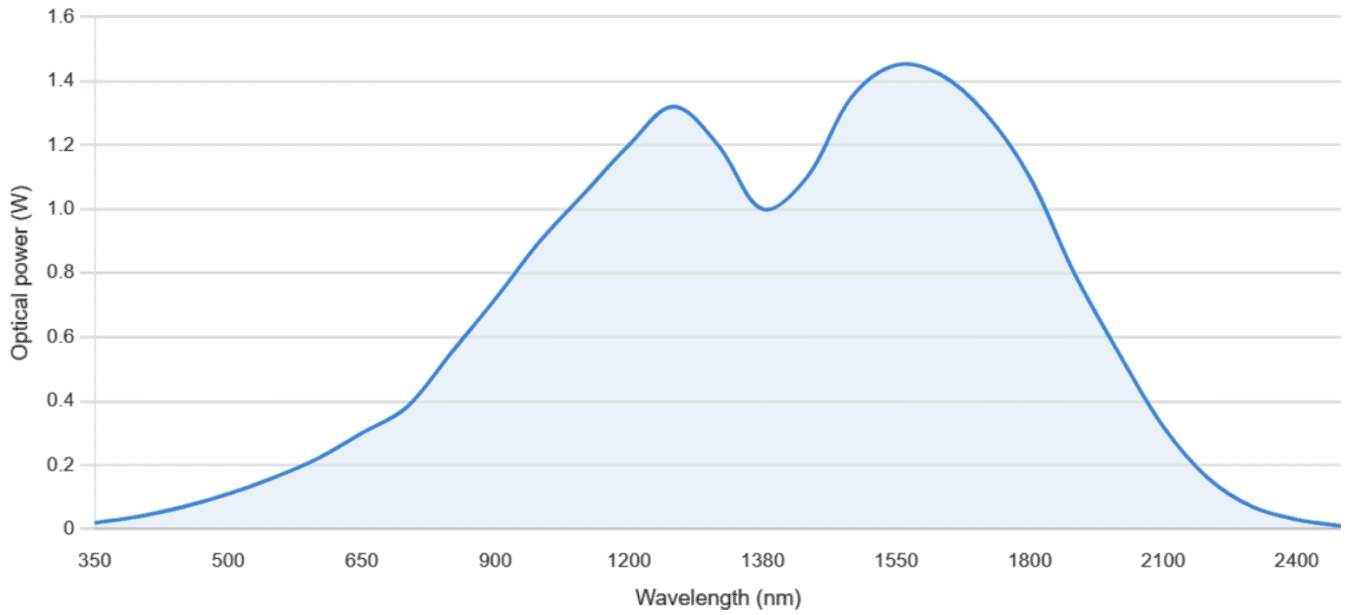
Regular Single Mode / Polarization Maintaining Fiber Optical Power Handing vs Wavelength



Single mode fiber optical power is limited by nonlinear effects in addition to absorption that increase loss and generate heat. The curve shows the approximate safe CW power envelope for standard single-mode fiber. Actual limits depend on fiber design, core size, length, and laser characteristics. Specialty fibers can significantly increase the power limit.

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