

**DEVICE** 

# 23 GHz Linear InGaAs PIN Photodetector

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The Optilab PD-23 is a highly linear, 23 GHz bandwidth InGaAs PIN photodetector that is ideal for use in O/E front-ends requiring wide band frequency response. The coplanar waveguide photodiode design optimizes speed and sensitivity for the 1260 nm through 1610 nm wavelength range and assures a 23 GHz frequency response necessary for digital and analog applications. The front-illuminated mesa-structured PIN design allows a high input power level of up to 40 mW. The PD-23 is available in a standard 2-pin package with SMA RF connector output for ease of assembly and can be ordered with or without the external protective housing. Contact Optilab for more information.

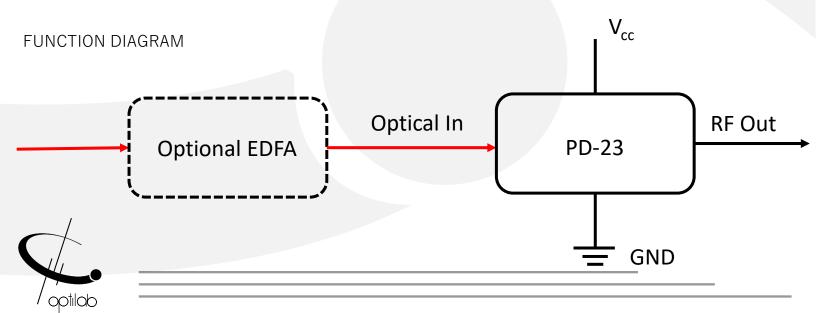
### **FEATURES**

- Bandwidth 60 KHz to 23 GHz
- DC to 23 GHz, DC version
- Highly linear to 40 mW+ input power
- Operating Temperature from -30 °C to +60 °C (TQ Version: -55 °C to +70 °C)
- High current handling up to 35 mA
- Flat frequency response, ± 1 dB
- Useful spectral range 850 nm 1650 nm

### **USE IN**

- 23 GHz Analog RF over Fiber
- Optically amplified photonics link
- RZ and NRZ up to 20 Gb/s

- Coherent lightwave systems
- Front-End O/E converter for test instrument





# PD-23

**SPECIFICATIONS** 

1260 nm to 1610 nm Optimized Operating Wavelength 850 nm to 1650 nm Useful Operating Wavelength Optical Input Level 40 mW max. 19 GHz min., 21 GHz typ. S21 3 dB Bandwidth S22 Characteristics < -10 dB @ 12 GHz, < -6 dB @ 20 GHz 60 KHz: DC for DC version Low Frequency Cut Off 0.9 A/W @ 1550 nm min., 1.0 A/W @ 1550 nm typ., Responsivity Dark Current @ 25°C, 5 V 10 nA typ., 100 nA max. Optical Return Loss -30.00 dB typ. Optical PDL @ 1550 nm 0.05 dB max. **Optical Fiber** SMF-28

**GENERAL** 

 Optical PDL @ 1550 nm
 D.05 dB max.

 Optical Fiber
 SMF-28

 Bias Voltage
 5 V typ.

 Impedance
 50 Ω

 Coupling
 AC-Coupled, DC Coupled is available

MECHANICAL

Operating Temperature

Temperature Qualified: -40°C to +75°C

Storage Temperature

Operating Humidity

Package Type

Dimensions

Temperature Qualified: -40°C to +75°C

2-pin module with SMA Female RF connector

Dimensions

Temperature Qualified: -40°C to +75°C

Storage Temperature

-65°C to +75°C

2-pin module with SMA Female RF connector

Dimensions

SD mm x 20 mm x 14 mm

Fiber Connector

FC/APC

Optical Fiber

SMF-28 with 900 mm tube

Standard: -30 °C to +60 °C

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

PIN Bias Voltage	+2.0 ta +7 V
Forward Current	35 mA
Optical Input Power	40 mW
Lead Soldering Temp (10s)	250 °C

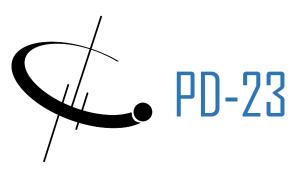
#### PD-23-X-YY

A, No Housing, default

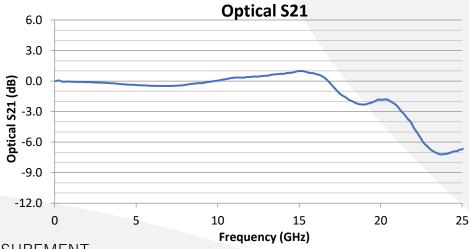
OPTIONS X: B. Legacy Housing

B, Legacy Housing YY: DC, DC Version C, External Housing AC, AC Version



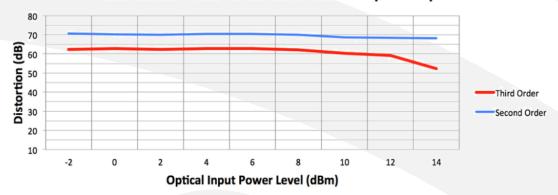


S21 O/E RESPONSE

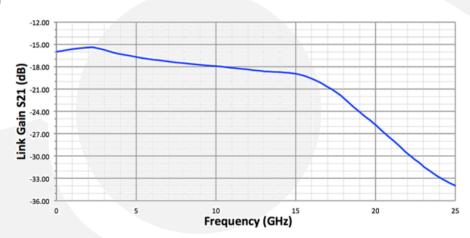


CSO, CTB LINEARITY MEASUREMENT

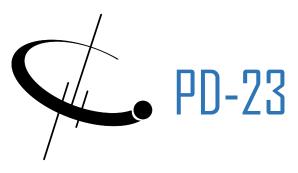
# Second and Third Order Distortion vs. Optical Input



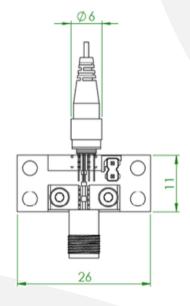
LINK GAIN WITH IM-1550-20

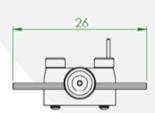




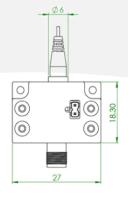


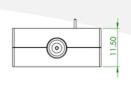
PD-23-A Mechanical Drawing





PD-23-C Mechanical Drawing



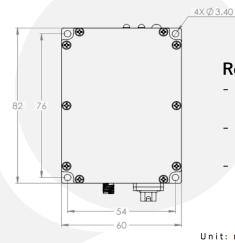


- <sup>1</sup> All measurements are in Metric
- <sup>2</sup> External housing is for Mechanical Protection Only Legacy housing information available upon request

Unit: mm

PD-23-M: Module





# Ready to use module

- Power and Remote Monitoring
- Status Monitoring: RS-232 (Standard)
- No TIA for Intrinsic Phase Linearity

Unit: mm

