

Switch Access Layer Optical Module



Article Overview

Access layer switch optical modules are SFP or SFP+ transceivers that connect end devices to fiber networks, selected based on uplink speed, distance, and fiber type.

Overview of Access Layer Switches

Access layer switches are deployed in wiring closets or campus cabinets to connect end-user devices such as computers, IP phones, and wireless access points. In fiber optic networks, these switches often include SFP (1G) or SFP+ (10G) ports for uplinks to aggregation or core layers, supporting VLAN segmentation, PoE (if needed), and basic QoS for traffic management .

Optical Module Types

Optical modules for access layer switches are chosen based on speed and distance:

- 1G SFP Modules: 1000BASE-SX (short-range, multimode), 1000BASE-LX (long-range, single-mode), 1000BASE-ZX (extended-range, single-mode) for uplinks up to 10 km or more .
- 10G SFP+ Modules: 10GBASE-SR (short-range, multimode), 10GBASE-LR (long-range, single-mode) for high-bandwidth uplinks .
- Distance Considerations: Multimode SFPs (SR) are suitable for distances under 300 meters, while single-mode SFPs (LR/ER/ZX) support distances from 550 meters to 10 km or more .

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