

Selection of Light Source for Dedicated Optical Power Meters for Subways

Article Overview

For subway fiber optic networks, choose a stable, calibrated light source with appropriate wavelengths (850/1300 nm for multimode, 1310/1550 nm for single-mode) and ruggedized design to ensure accurate optical power measurements.

Key Considerations for Light Source Selection

1. Wavelength Compatibility

- Multimode fibers typically use 850 nm and 1300 nm wavelengths.
- Single-mode fibers require 1310 nm and 1550 nm wavelengths.
- Some systems may benefit from additional wavelengths like 1490 nm or 1550 nm for PON or GPON networks, which are common in subway communication systems (Tempo Communications, VIAVI) .

2. Light Source Type

- LED sources: Provide broad spectral output, suitable for multimode fiber testing and short-distance measurements.

- Laser sources: Offer narrow spectral output, higher stability, and longer reach, ideal for single-mode fibers and precise insertion loss measurements .

- Dual or triple wavelength sources: Allow testing multiple fiber types without changing equipment, improving efficiency in complex subway networks .

3. Power Meter Integration

- Ensure the light source is compatible with the optical power meter for absolute and relative power measurements.
- Kits combining optical power meters and stabilized light sources simplify field test...

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