

Comparison of Tracking Resistance and Bandwidth Performance of Optical Path Switches



Summary of Content

Optical path switches exhibit varying tracking resistance and bandwidth performance depending on their switching technology, with MEMS and silicon photonic implementations offering high bandwidth and low signal degradation while maintaining fast reconfiguration times.

Tracking Resistance in Optical Path Switches

Tracking resistance refers to the ability of an optical switch to maintain signal integrity and consistent performance under repeated switching cycles and dynamic network conditions. Early mechanical and liquid crystal switches had limited tracking resistance due to slow reconfiguration times and susceptibility to alignment drift, resulting in higher insertion loss and signal degradation over time. Modern MEMS-based switches and silicon photonic switches significantly improve tracking resistance by using micro-scale mirrors or integrated photonic circuits that maintain precise optical alignment, reducing crosstalk and insertion loss even under frequent reconfiguration. Wavelength-selective switches (WSS) further enhance tracking resistance by selectively routing specific wavelengths while minimizing interference at the edges of the frequency band.

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