User's Guide to the PROLITE-30B

Optical Fiber Identifier







Introduction

The **PROLITE-30B** optical fiber identifier is an inexpensive, portable instrument designed to identify optical test tones and live traffic without disconnecting live system. By simply clamping the **PROLITE-30B** onto a fiber, the instrument will indicate if there is a signal, or traffic and show the signal direction. It can detect a variety of optical tones, 270 Hz, 1 kHz and 2 kHz.

The **PROLITE-30B** is recommended for both 0.25 mm bare fiber, 0.9 mm tightly buffered fiber and 2/3 mm jacket fiber. When testing jacket fibers, the slim design of the **PROLITE-30B** allows easier access to a splice tray where the amount of workspace is limited. The clamping trigger is designed to fit the natural motion of the operator's hand. The instrument is ruggedly constructed and reliable to use.



Specifications

| Model | PROLITE-30B |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Recognizable Wavelength Range | 900 nm - 1650 nm |
| Recognizable Signal Type | CW, 270 Hz ±5%, 1 kHz ±5%, 2 kHz ±5% |
| Detector Type | InGaAs |
| | H 0.25 for bare fibers |
| Available Plunger | H 0.9 for tightly buffered fibers |
| | H3.0 for jacket fibers |
| Detecting Sensitivity | ≤-50 dBm |
| Power | 2 x 1.5 V AA batteries |

| Sensitivity | | |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------|
| (Minimum recognizable optical power intensity in the fiber) | 1310 nm (typical) | 1550 nm (typical) |
| Continuous Wave | -20 dBm | -30 dBm |
| 2 kHz Modulated Wave Detection | -10 dBm | -18 dBm |
| 1 kHz Modulated Wave Detection | -10 dBm | -18 dBm |
| 270 Hz Modulated Wave Detection | -10 dBm | -18 dBm |

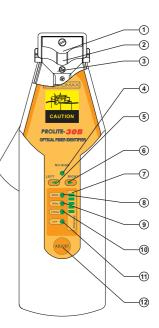
| Operation Temperature | -10 °C ~ +50 °C |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Storage Temperature | -20 °C ~ +70 °C |
| Size (HxWxD) | 3.6 cm x 6.2 cm x 20.2 cm |
| Weight | 0.27 kg |





Front (Panel Board)

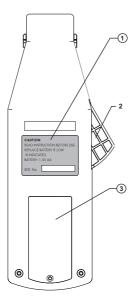
| No. | Key / Indicator | Description | |
|-----|---|--|--|
| 1 | Plunger | Three available types: H0.25 mm, H0.9 mm, H3.0 mm. | |
| 2 | Fiber Groove | A slot to place tested fiber. | |
| 3 | PD Headstock | · | |
| 4 | No Signal Indicator Lights up if there is not a signal in tested fiber. | | |
| 5 | Left Traffic Indicator | Lights up if the signal in tested fiber is from right to left. | |
| 6 | Right Traffic Indicator | Lights up if the signal in tested fiber is from left to right. | |
| 7 | Signal Intensity | To show the signal intensity level. The higher, the stronger. | |
| | Indicator | | |
| 8 | 2 kHz Indicator Lights up if the wave frequency is 2 kHz. | | |
| 9 | 1 kHz Indicator Lights up if the wave frequency is 1 kHz. | | |
| 10 | 270 Hz Indicator | Lights up if the wave frequency is 270 Hz. | |
| 11 | Low Battery Indicator | Lights up when there is not enough power. | |
| 12 | Adjusting Key | Self-calibrates. | |







Back & Side



| 1 | Serial Number |
|---|------------------|
| 2 | Clamping Trigger |
| 3 | Battery Plate |



Maintenance

- 1. All the specifications of **PROLITE-30B** series are tested with cleaned Corning SMF-28TM/SMF-D pure non-dispersion coated fiber. The testing performance will be affected when using different brands or types of fibers with various coating color.
- 2. Please do not bend the fiber excessively; which may lead to misjudgment on traffic or even breaking the fiber.

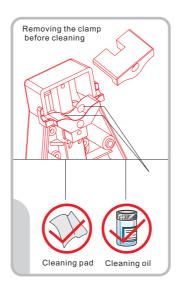








- 3. Keep the optical receiver clean and use cleaning oil when testing bare fiber to achieve the best performance.
- **4.** To clean the optical assembly, remove the clamp and gently clean the prism and optical windows using cleaning pads and cleaning oil. Do not immerse the plunger assembly in alcohol.





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