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OPERATING MANUAL

**TWO PORT FIBER COUPLED
ACOUSTO-OPTIC MODULATOR ASSEMBLY**

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SECTION I
INSPECTION PROCEDURE

Examine the shipping carton for damage. If the shipping carton or packing material is damaged it should be kept for the carrier's inspection. Notify the carrier and NEOS Technologies. Check the contents of the shipment for completeness, mechanical damage, and then test the equipment electronically. Operating procedures are contained in Section V. If the contents are incomplete, or the equipment does not pass the electrical testing please notify NEOS Technologies.

If there is any problem with the use of this equipment, or if the equipment fails to function as expected contact NEOS Technologies, do not try to trouble shoot or repair this equipment. Consult with a NEOS service engineer. If the equipment needs repair or replacement, contact NEOS Technologies, Inc for a Return Authorization Number.

SECTION II

DESCRIPTION

TWO PORT FIBER COUPLED ACOUSTO-OPTIC MODULATOR ASSEMBLY

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The two port fiber coupled acousto-optic modulator (AOM) assembly consists of a highly efficient acousto-optic modulator assembly that is fiber coupled with single mode fibers for input and output. The AOM is designed for operation at 1.55 μm . Its operation is independent of optical polarization. The standard fiber connector used is the FC/PC with the FC/APC or SC/APC as optional. The AOM is not direction sensitive, so either fiber can be used for input or output. The modulation rise time is 50 ns maximum.

Normally the standard configuration is to couple the diffracted (+) plus first order out of the AOM, however, optional configurations are possible upon request to couple the (-) minus first order or the zero order out of the AOM. The plus first order output will have the light frequency shifted UP by 80 MHz from the light frequency applied at the input. If the minus first order output is requested, it will have the light frequency shifted DOWN by 80 MHz from the light frequency applied at the input. If the zero order output is requested, it will remain un-shifted. If either of the first order light is coupled out of the AOM, the low loss mode will be when the RF driver is turned on. If the zero order light is coupled out of the AOM, the low loss mode will be when the RF driver is off.

NEOS manufactures a matching RF driver designed to optimize performance. If, however, another RF drive source is used, the RF power should never exceed 2.0 watts at a frequency of 80 MHz. If damage results due to overpowering the AOM, the warranty will be void. The selection of a digitally controlled 80 MHz RF driver such as the NEOS 21080-2DS allows the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO to be used as a switch and/or as a frequency shifter. The selection of an analog controlled 80 MHz RF driver such as the NEOS 21080-2AS allows the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO to be used as an attenuating switch and / or as a frequency shifter.

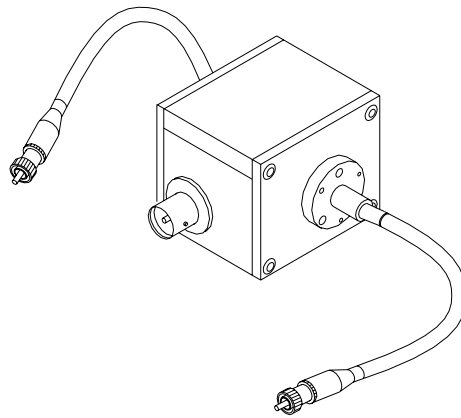
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DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS

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<u>PARAMETER</u>	<u>SPECIFICATION</u>
Interactive Material	TeO ₂
Acoustic Mode	Longitudinal
Operating Wavelength	1520 nm to 1570 nm
Window Configuration	AR Coated
Operating Frequency	80 MHz
Back Reflection	-30 dB
Throughput loss	4 dB max
Contrast Ratio	40 dB minimum
Light Polarization	Random
Acoustic Aperture Size	1 mm
Rise Time	50 ns
RF Power Level	1.5 watts typical
Impedance	50 ohms
VSWR	<1.2:1 @ 80 MHz
Package:	53B0946
Connectors	FC/PC
With 3mm Single Mode 9/125 Fiber, 1 meter long	
Optional Connectors:	FC/APC or SC/APC
Acceptance Test Procedure:	42A14135
Acceptance Test Results form:	52A14137
Recommended Drivers:	
Analog Driver System: 21080-2AM	Digital Driver System: 21080-2DS
Analog Driver Module: 21080-2AM	Digital Driver Module: 21080-2DM

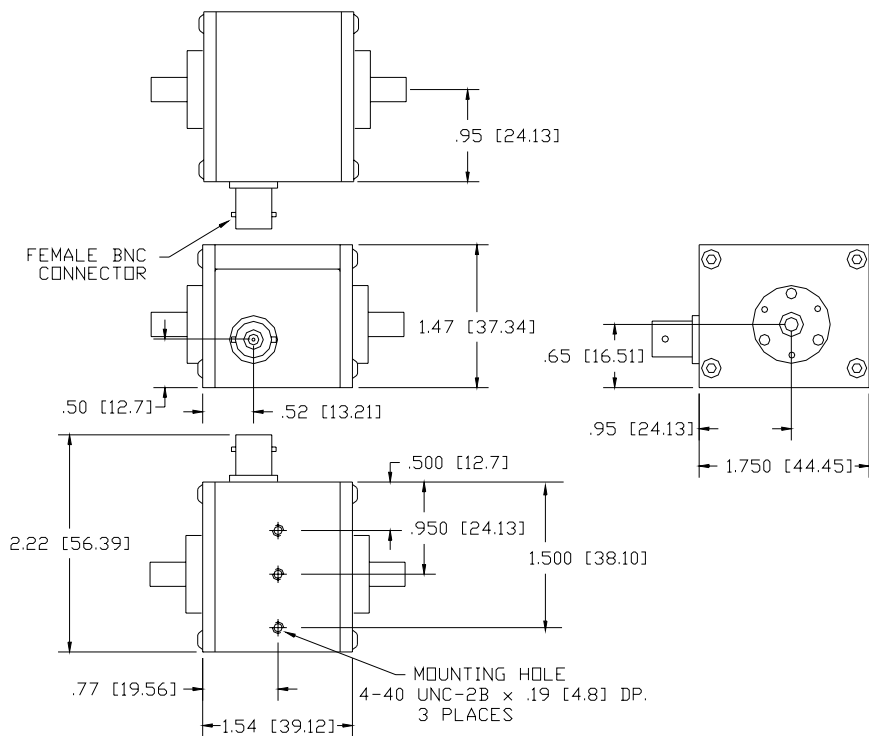
SECTION IV

OUTLINE DRAWING



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Dimensions are in inches

Tolerances:

Decimal: .xx = .01 .xxx = .005

Dimensions in [] are in mm.

Millimeter: .xx = .25mm .xxx = .127mm

Angle: = ± 30'

SECTION V

OPERATING PROCEDURE

When attaching a mating fiber to the fibers on the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO, be sure the connector end is clean. Cleaning the connector ends with a cotton swab damp with acetone will ensure there will be a low loss, dirt free connection. The use of index matching fluid is recommended if minimal connection loss is needed. Rotating the ferrule of one of the connectors will also help in aligning the fibers correctly and in turn minimize loss.

Attach the 80 MHz RF driver to the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO with a 50 ohm cable. Do not exceed 2.0 watts. See the Acceptance Test Report for each specific device for the settings required for the RF drive power for testing and use of the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO. See the driver manual for other information on input signals required for operation.

If either of the first order light is coupled out of the AOM, the low loss mode will be when the RF driver output is on. If the zero order light is coupled out of the AOM, the low loss mode will be when the RF driver output is off.

The operation of the 23080-1-1.55-LTD-FO normally requires no adjustment or internal cleaning. Do not try to make any adjustment of the fiber flange, nor try to disassemble the device as this action will void the warranty.