



EKINOPS PM_LC4-MP2-A

400G Line Module for ETS Compact Chassis

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KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

- 400G OTN switching and transport capacity in a single-slot
- Multi-rate support from 10Gbps to 200Gbps
- Transparent multi-protocol client support
- Pluggable dual function interfaces—tributary or line
- Hitless Adjustment of ODUFlex (HAO)
- Tunable DWDM or gray optics
- Embedded management & timing functions
- Standard G.709 mapping & FEC

APPLICATIONS

- 10G service aggregation over OTN networks
- Multiprotocol service delivery
- Edge OTN switching and WDM transport
- Network demarcation and interconnection

OVERVIEW

EKINOPS PM_LC4-MP2-A is a multi-rate, multi-protocol service aggregation module for the Ekinops Transport Switch Compact Chassis (ETSc) product family. It consists of SFP+/SFP28, QSFP28 and CFP2 pluggable interfaces with 400Gbps of total line card capacity. As a single-slot, pluggable module for the ETS Compact Chassis platform, the PM_LC4-MP2-A provides support for a wide range of service types and speeds. Because it is fully compatible with the centralized switch fabric, it provides multiple switching options depending on the chassis configuration and functional requirements. It can either interface directly with the centralized switch fabric to create a full, non-blocking configuration, or directly with other modules for through-backplane switching between line card pairs. It can also be used in cross-ponder mode in which ODUk frames are switched locally with all traffic remaining on the card. The cross-ponder configuration is ideal for cost-effectively extending OTN switching and aggregation functions to the network edge for seamless connectivity to the network core.

The PM_LC4-MP2-A provides switching capability from ODU0 to ODU4 including ODUFlex and Hitless Adjustment of ODUFlex (HAO) meaning any service, regardless of protocol or speed, can be managed individually across any OTN-based network, and even across multiple network boundaries. The PM_LC4-MP2-A can operate in one of two modes—either as a 200G total capacity tributary aggregating, grooming and switching client Ethernet, Fibre Channel, SDH/SONET and OTN services, or as a 400G OTN line module. For OTN-based services in tributary mode, the PM_LC4-MP2-A provides two-stage OTN multiplexing, and in line module mode it provides single stage OTN multiplexing.

In tributary mode, twenty SFP+/SFP28 interfaces can support 8G/10G services in addition to 25GbE, 40GbE and STM-256/OC-768. The dual QSFP28 ports support 100GbE and the dual CFP2 interfaces can support either 100/200 Gigabit Ethernet. In OTN line mode, the ports deliver OTUk line rates.

APPLICATIONS

The PM_LC4-MP2-A is designed for efficient aggregation, grooming and switching of 10G services and above at medium to large sites on the network. The PM_LC4-MP2-A can also be used for mobile fronthaul applications to deliver 10G to 400G links between antenna sites and node sites to both aggregate small-cells and provide the capacity required as the mobile network migrates from 4G to 5G. Its coherent transport capabilities support 5G network slicing with the low latency connectivity that the various network functions require to maintain performance.

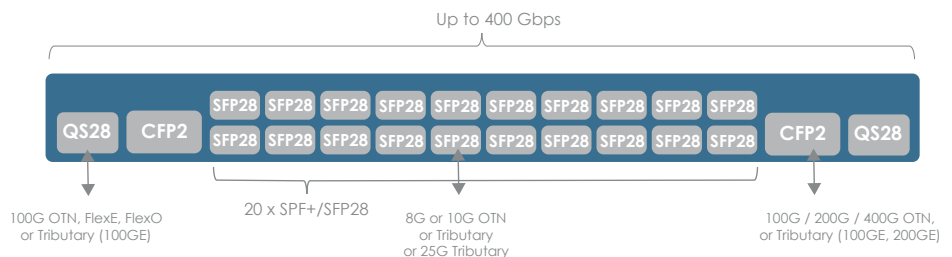


Figure 1: PM_LC4-MP2-A Interfaces



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MANAGEMENT

The PM_LC4-MP2-A contains embedded management and timing functions. Redundant management and timing can be achieved on the Ekinops RM_ETSc2 by populating the chassis with two or more PM_LC4-MP2-A cards.

Ekinops Celestis NMS provides standards-based Telecommunications Network Management (TMN) management functions for the OTN Switch Equipment, Networks and Services. Celestis NMS has a distributed architecture in order to ensure flexibility for managing a variety of network technologies, high availability, high performance and scalability. Celestis NMS applications can be installed in a single standalone server for managing small networks or in multi-server clusters to ensure high availability and scalability when managing large networks.

SDN-ready, Celestis NMS, connects to the PM_LC4-MP2-A via NETCONF while the northbound interface (NBI) is based on REST/JSON and SNMP

SPECIFICATIONS

OPTICAL INTERFACES

Type	No. Ports	Tributary	OTN Line
SFP+	20	10GbE	OTU2/OTU2e; DWDM or B&W
SFP28	20	10/25GbE; OTU2	OTU2/OTU2e; DWDM or B&W
QSFP28	2	100GbE	OTU4; B&W
CFP2	2	100GbE; 200GbE	OTU4/OTUC2/OTUC4; DWDM or B&W

MANAGEMENT

Protocol	NETCONF (YANG model); SNMP
Remote management	GCC

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Module size	1 slot in ETSc2 and ETSc6
Operating temperature	-5°C to +45°C / +23°F to +113°F
Storage temperature	-40°C to +70°C / -40°F to +158°F

ORDERING INFORMATION

PLUGGABLE MODULE (PM)

PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION
PM_LC4-MP2-A	Line Card 400G, 2xCFP2 100G/200G interfaces + 2xQSFP28 40G/100G B/W interfaces + 20xSFP+/SFP28 10G/40G interfaces. Total 400G for OTN or 200G for multiprotocol ports. OTU4 coherent CFP2 WDM interfaces, tunable for 80 Ch ITU-T G.657.1. Client interface 10GE, 25GE, 40GE, 100GE, OTU2/2e, OTU3 and OTU4

EKINOPS CHASSIS

PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION
RM_ETSc2	2RU empty chassis OTN Switching
RM_ETSc6	6RU empty chassis OTN Switching

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