



# StingRay RF over Fibre

## 200 series Optical Fibre to L-band manual gain modules

The SRY-TX-L1-273 and SRY-RX-L1-274 is a manual gain optical transmitter and receiver for RF over Fibre, built in a compact EMC sealed housing which converts L-band (850 to 2450MHz) to 1310nm for transmission over a single mode fibre. It uses a 2-stage optically isolated DFB laser and is suited for transmission up to 10km.

**Other options in the StingRay series:** The StingRay range is also available with additional features such as RF monitoring ports, high linearity, switchable LNB powering & redundancy systems.

### Typical applications:

- General satcoms– teleports, video head-ends, TVRO
- Compact solution for small quantity links such as tactical HQ
- A resilient solution for satellite teleports with transition distances up to 10km

### Fibre Modules



**Manual gain control**  
Up to 65dB total



**-20dB Monitor port** to measure input signal levels



**TX & RX** module options to transmit and receive signals up to 10 km



**Flexibility** modules can be housed in outdoor & indoor chassis

### Chassis Options



**Compact indoor & outdoor** chassis options, which can be part populated



**Remote control & monitoring** via RJ45 Ethernet port with SNMP & web browser interface



**Local control & monitoring** via front panel push buttons & display



**Resilience** from dual redundant hot-swap power supplies, hot-swap fibre modules & fans



*Indoor chassis showing hot-swap power supply modules, fibre modules and fans*



*Outdoor Unit (ODU)*

Please see separate datasheet for 200 series chassis options.





| RF Parameters (TX and RX)                      |                          |                                                                                                                                    |                                                     |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Model Number                                   |                          | SRY-TX-Y-273-xxxx                                                                                                                  | SRY-RX-Y-274-xxxx                                   |
| Frequency Range                                |                          | 850-2450 MHz                                                                                                                       |                                                     |
| Flatness                                       | 950-1950 MHz             | $\pm 1.0$ dB (Test Condition: Full TX & RX link, 1m fibre, Input -10dBm, Output -10dBm)                                            |                                                     |
|                                                | Any 500 MHz 950-1950 MHz | $\pm 0.6$ dB (Test Condition: Full TX & RX link, 1m fibre, Input -10dBm, Output -10dBm)                                            |                                                     |
|                                                | 850-2450 MHz             | $\pm 1.5$ dB (Test Condition: Full TX & RX link, 1m fibre, Input -10dBm, Output -10dBm)                                            |                                                     |
|                                                | Any 36 MHz 950-1950 MHz  | $\pm 0.25$ dB (Test Condition: Full TX & RX link, 1m fibre, Input -10dBm, Output -10dBm)                                           |                                                     |
|                                                | Any 36 MHz 850-2450 MHz  | $\pm 0.4$ dB (Test Condition: Full TX & RX link, 1m fibre, Input -10dBm, Output -10dBm)                                            |                                                     |
| Flatness 1+1 link                              | 950-1950 MHz             | $\pm 1.0$ dB (Test Condition: With splitter SRY-DIV-L1-289-S5S5 I/P 0dBm, Switch SRY-SW-L1-271-S5S5 O/P 0dBm, 1m fibre link)       |                                                     |
|                                                | Any 500 MHz 950-1950 MHz | $\pm 0.6$ dB (Test Condition: With splitter SRY-DIV-L1-289-S5S5 I/P 0dBm, Switch SRY-SW-L1-271-S5S5 O/P 0dBm, 1m fibre link)       |                                                     |
|                                                | Any 36 MHz 950-1950 MHz  | $\pm 0.25$ dB (Test Condition: With splitter SRY-DIV-L1-289-S5S5 I/P 0dBm, Switch SRY-SW-L1-271-S5S5 O/P 0dBm, 1m fibre link)      |                                                     |
| Return Loss                                    | 50 ohm SMA               | 18dB typical, 12dB minimum                                                                                                         |                                                     |
|                                                | 50 ohm BNC               | 18dB typical, 12dB minimum                                                                                                         |                                                     |
| Monitor port                                   |                          | -20 dB $\pm 3$ dB                                                                                                                  |                                                     |
| Input P1dB                                     | (See note 1)             | +6dBm Typical, 0dBm Minimum (Test Condition: 1dB compression point. Measured with 1m fibre, 0dB link gain, 1950 MHz)               |                                                     |
| Output IP3                                     | (See note 1)             | 20dBm Typical, 17dBm Minimum (Test Condition: Measured with 1m fibre, 10dB gain, -22 dBm tones at 2150 & 2152 MHz)                 |                                                     |
| IMD3                                           | (See note 1)             | -84dBc, -78dBc Worst Case (Test Condition: Measured with 1m fibre, 10dB gain link, -22 dBm tones at 2150 & 2152 MHz)               |                                                     |
| CNR (in any 36 MHz)                            |                          | -60dB typical, -56dB Worst Case (Test Condition: Measured with 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0 dBm RF o/p total power)              |                                                     |
| Noise Figure (See note 1)                      |                          | 24dB Typical, 27dB Worst Case (Test Condition: Measured with 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0 dBm o/p power N.B. 0db gain)           |                                                     |
| Optical Wavelength                             |                          | 1310 $\pm$ 10 nm                                                                                                                   | 1100 to 1650 nm (Optimised for 1310 nm and 1550 nm) |
| Max RF Input                                   |                          | +0dBm total power (Damage level )                                                                                                  | -                                                   |
| SFDR                                           |                          | 112 dB/Hz <sup>2/3</sup> typ., 108 dB/Hz <sup>2/3</sup> min (Test condition: 1m fibre, 10dB gain, -22dBm tones at 2150 & 2152 MHz) | -                                                   |
| Phase Noise                                    | 10 Hz                    | <-70dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                            |                                                     |
|                                                | 100 Hz                   | <-90dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                            |                                                     |
|                                                | 1 kHz                    | <-100dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                           |                                                     |
|                                                | 10 kHz                   | <-110dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                           |                                                     |
|                                                | 100 kHz                  | <-120dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                           |                                                     |
|                                                | 1 MHz                    | <-130dBc/Hz (Test condition: SRY-LX-L1-273, 1m fibre, 0dBm RF i/p power, 0dBm o/p power)                                           |                                                     |
| Laser Type                                     |                          | DFB (Two stage optical isolator for improved performance)                                                                          | N/A                                                 |
| Optical Power output                           |                          | +6 $\pm$ 2.5dBm                                                                                                                    | N/A                                                 |
| Optical Power in                               |                          | N/A                                                                                                                                | 0 to 4.5dBm                                         |
| Power Consumption                              |                          | 6W                                                                                                                                 | 4W                                                  |
| Manual Gain Control (in 0.25 dB steps)         |                          | +30dB                                                                                                                              | 35dB                                                |
| Range of max i/p level for optimised 0 dB link |                          | -30 to 0dBm (with SRY-RX-L1-274)                                                                                                   | -                                                   |
| RF Output Range                                |                          | -                                                                                                                                  | -30dBm to +5dBm                                     |
| MTBF                                           |                          | >172,000                                                                                                                           | >232,000                                            |
| RF Connectors                                  |                          | BNC 50 $\Omega$ (B5) or SMA 50 $\Omega$ (S5)                                                                                       |                                                     |
| Optical Connectors                             |                          | FC/APC (FA) or SC/APC (SA)                                                                                                         |                                                     |
| Operating Temperature                          |                          | -20 to +60 °C                                                                                                                      |                                                     |
| Storage Temperature                            |                          | -40 to +90 °C                                                                                                                      |                                                     |
| Location                                       |                          | Indoor use                                                                                                                         |                                                     |
| Humidity                                       |                          | 20 to 90% non-condensing. Relative Humidity                                                                                        |                                                     |
| Altitude                                       |                          | 10,000 feet AMSL (Above Mean Sea Level) - Operational<br>30,000 ft AMSL (Above Mean Sea Level) - Storage/Transport                 |                                                     |
| Dimensions                                     |                          | 87.8 x 18 x 150 mm                                                                                                                 |                                                     |
| Weight                                         |                          | 0.35 kg                                                                                                                            |                                                     |

Note 1: All RF measurements are given with T273 RF input to the laser 'RF Out Pwr' set to 0dBm. Higher level here will give better P1dB at the expense of Noise.