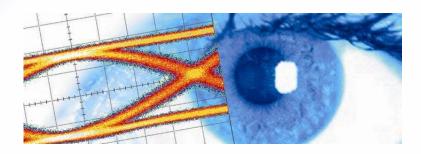


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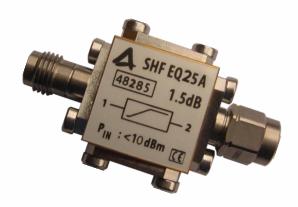
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Datasheet SHF EQ25 A

Broadband Linear Equalization Filter







The SHF EQ25 A is a RoHS compliant passive broadband linear equalizationing filter with a small form factor. It is designed to compensate for linearly increasing insertion loss in the signal transmission path. The Nyquist frequency of the filter has been chosen to be around 25 GHz, covering signal baud rate in the region of 50 to 56 Gbaud. Typical applications include compensation for distortions due to the loss of bandwidth of a DUT, and additional insertion loss due to the inclusion of RF cable(s) in the signal path.

This filter is suitable for both NRZ and PAM4 data formats in the region of 50 to 56 GBaud.

The filter has a DC coupled transmission path. So it can transfer a DC voltage for the DUT. The compensation path to GND is AC coupled. Due to this fact, the compensation operates down to ~ 50 kHz, capable of handling data sequence length of up to 2^{31} -1 PRBS.

Available Configurations

- 1.5 dB¹
- 3 dB¹

Specifications - SHF EQ25 A

Parameter	Unit	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Conditions	
Absolute Maximum Ratings							
Maximum RF Input	dBm V	P _{in max}			10 2	peak to peak voltage	
DC Voltage at RF Input	V				±12		
DC Voltage at RF Output	V				±12		
DC Current	Α				0.5		
Case Temperature	T_{case}	°C	10	25	60		
Mechanical Characteristics							
Input Connector						1.85mm (V) female ²	
Output Connector						1.85mm (V) male ²	

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¹ Defined as the filter peaking value from low to the Nyquist frequency of 25 GHz.



Specifications - SHF EQ25 A Option 1.5 dB

Parameter	Unit	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Conditions	
Electrical Characteristics (At 25°C case temperature, unless otherwise specified)							
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 LOW}	2.4		2.8	at 1 GHz	
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 PEAK}	0.8		1.4	at 25 GHz	
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 HIGH}	0.5		2.5	25 40 GHz	
Input Reflection	dB	S ₁₁			-9 -10	40 MHz 25 GHz 25 GHz 40 GHz	
Output Reflection	dB	S ₂₂			-9 -10	40 MHz 25 GHz 25 GHz 40 GHz	

Specifications - SHF EQ25 A Option 3 dB

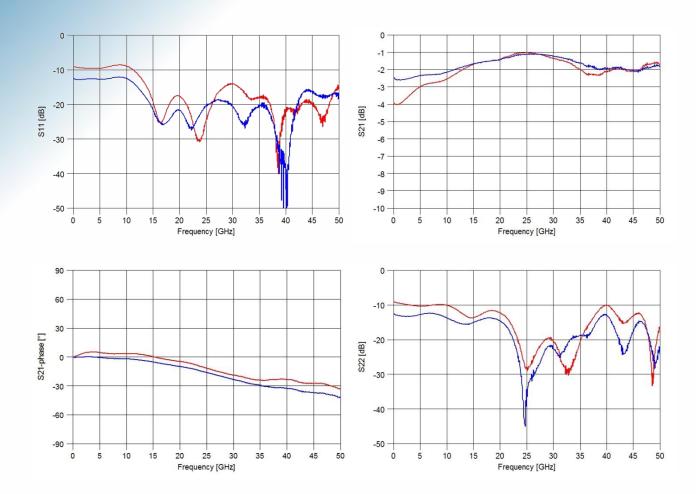
Parameter	Unit	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Conditions	
Electrical Characteristics (At 25°C case temperature, unless otherwise specified)							
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 LOW}	3.8		4.2	at 1 GHz	
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 PEAK}	0.8		1.4	at 25 GHz	
Insertion Loss	dB	S _{21 HIGH}	0.5		2.5	25 40 GHz	
Input Reflection	dB	S ₁₁			-7 -10	40 MHz 25 GHz 25 GHz 40 GHz	
Output Reflection	dB	S ₂₂			-7 -9	40 MHz 25 GHz 25 GHz 40 GHz	





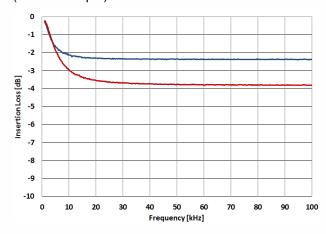
Typical S-Parameters and Phase Response

blue: EQ25 A-1.5 dB red: EQ25 A-3 dB



Low Frequency Response < 100 kHz

(no DC on Input)



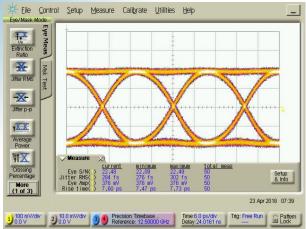




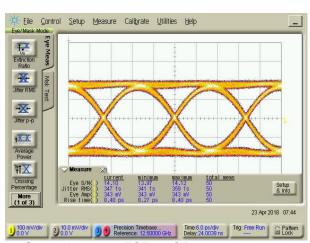
Binary Eye Diagrams with EQ25 A-1.5 dB

Example to show compensation for ~ 1.5 dB transmission loss at Nyquist frequency. DUT is 0.5 m Totoku TCF280QR with typical insertion loss of 1.5 dB at 25 GHz.

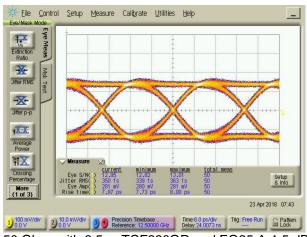
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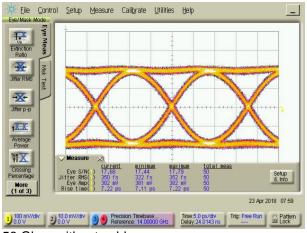
50 Gbps without cable



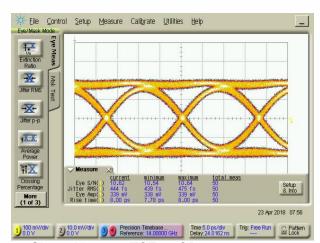
50 Gbps with 0.5 m TCF280QR



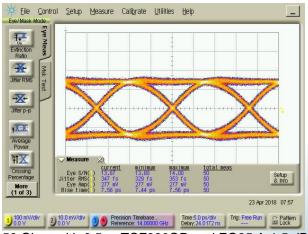
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56 Gbps without cable



56 Gbps with 0.5 m TCF280QR



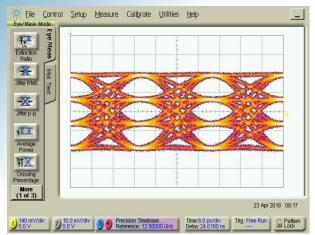
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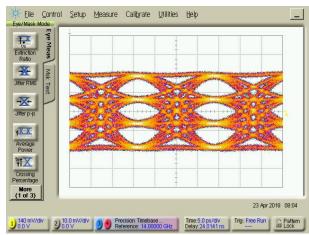


4-Level Eye Diagrams with EQ25 A-1.5 dB

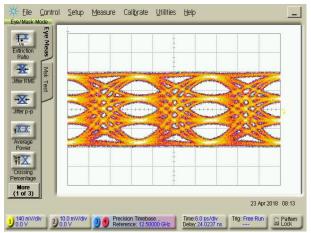
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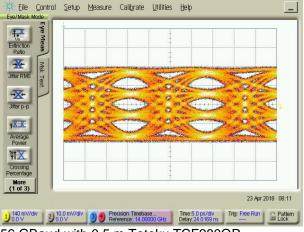
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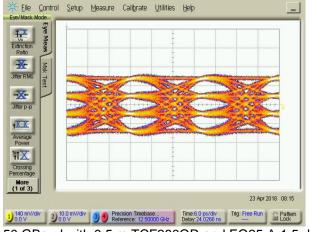
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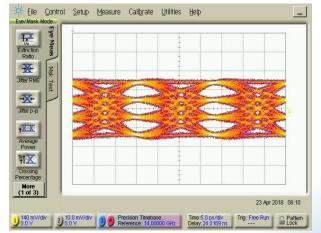
50 GBaud with 0.5 m Totoku TCF280QR



56 GBaud with 0.5 m Totoku TCF280QR



50 GBaud with 0.5 m TCF280QR and EQ25 A-1.5 dB



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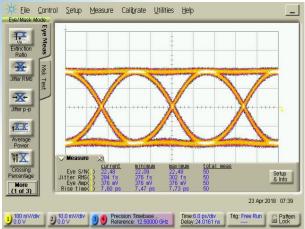




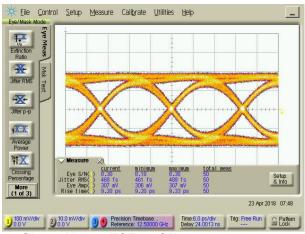
Binary Eye Diagrams with EQ25 A-3 dB

Example to show compensation for ~ 3 dB transmission loss at Nyquist frequency. DUT is 1 m Totoku TCF280QR with typical insertion loss of 3 dB at 25 GHz.

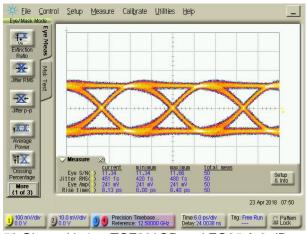
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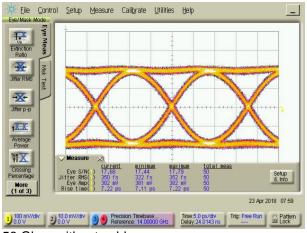
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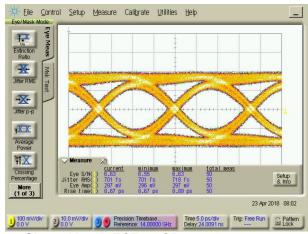
50 Gbps with 1 m TCF280QR



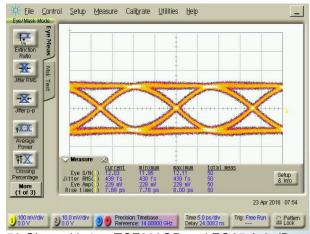
50 Gbps with 1 m TCF280QR and EQ25 A-3 dB



56 Gbps without cable



56 Gbps with 1 m TCF280QR



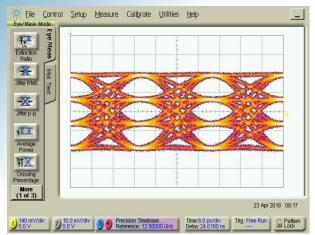
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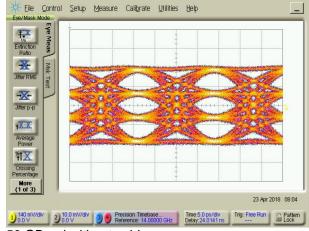


4-Level Eye Diagrams with EQ25 A-3 dB

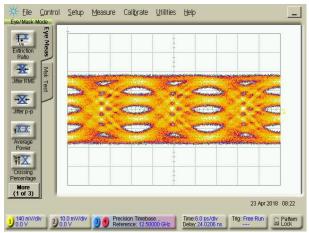
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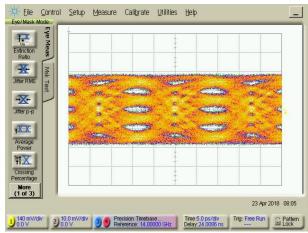
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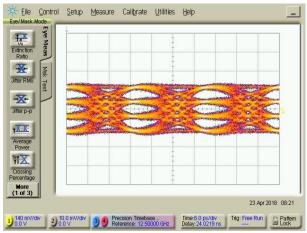
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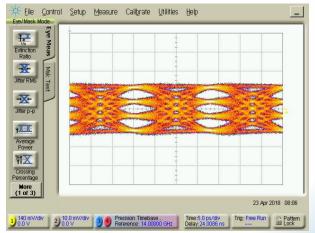
50 GBaud with 1 m Totoku TCF280QR



56 GBaud with 1 m Totoku TCF280QR



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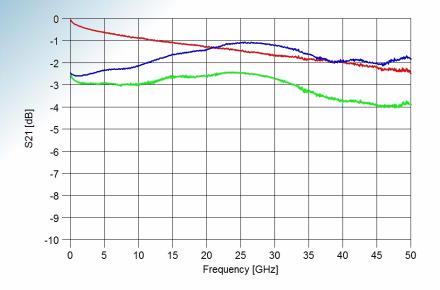


56 GBaud with 1 m TCF280QR and EQ25 A-3 dB



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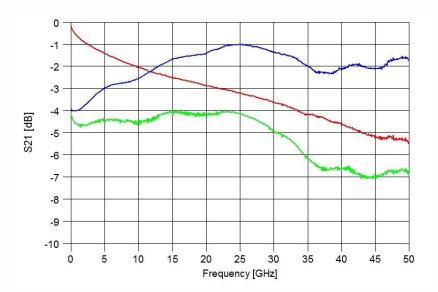
Frequency Response of 0.5 m cable and EQ25 A-1.5 dB



blue: EQ25 A-1.5 dB red: 0.5 m cable

green: 0.5 m cable and EQ25 A-1.5 dB

Frequency Response of 1 m cable and EQ25 A-3 dB



blue: EQ25 A-3 dB red: 1 m cable

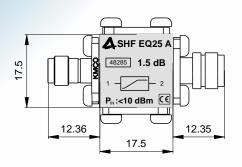
green: 1 m cable and EQ25 A-3 dB

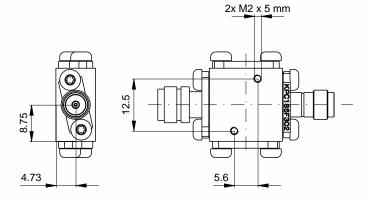




Mechanical Drawing







all dimensions in mm

Input connector: 1.85mm (V) female Ouput connector: 1.85mm (V) male

