

GORE™ QSFP

COPPER CABLE ASSEMBLIES

Summary

GORE™ QSFP Copper Cable Assemblies provide superior signal fidelity over long distances using the smallest, most flexible cable. These high performance assemblies are engineered to be compliant with all the latest IBTA/IEEE specifications, and to perform beyond the standard InfiniBand QDR data rate (up to 10 Gbps/channel). For the emerging 40 Gbps Ethernet market, 40GBASE-CR4 assemblies are also available - Inquire directly with Gore.

GORE™ CABLE

GORE™ QSFP Copper Cable Assemblies incorporate the latest cable technologies, unique materials, and semi-automatic manufacturing to produce high quality assemblies for interconnects ideally suited for InfiniBand applications. The use of advanced low-loss dielectric materials and GORE™ EYE-OPENER+® Conductor Technology results in exceptional signal fidelity and improved bend radius over longer distances in small cross-sectional areas.

| Part Number | Gauge | Max Length* @ 10 Gbps | Cable Diameter Nominal |
|-------------|--------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| QSNX000-L | 24 AWG | 9 meters | 9.02 mm |
| QSNX600-L | 26 AWG | 7 meters | 7.11 mm |
| QSNX800-L | 28 AWG | 5 meters | 6.48 mm |
| QSNX300-L | 30 AWG | 4 meters | 5.46 mm |
| QSN3200-L | 32 AWG | 3 meters | 4.32 mm |

^{*}Based on 17 dB loss at 5 GHz using appropriate cable series and conductor Inquire for proper selection of "11 dB class performance" cables



FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- "Best-in-Class" jitter performance
- Meets all QSFP, IBTA and IEEE specification requirements
- RF/microwave PCB for less loss and dispersion (i.e., less jitter)
- Longer lengths due to lower loss and superior signal integrity
- Less common-mode conversion than competing twinax cables
- 40 Gbps link (10 Gbps/channel)
- Proven copper cable reliability
- Smaller diameter for easy handling, routing, and improved air flow for higher system reliability
- GORE™ EYE-OPENER+® Conductor Technology
- Low near-end crosstalk (NEXT)
- Enhanced EMI shielding for low emissions
- RoHS compliant

GORE OFFERINGS

| QSN3000 Series | Silver-plated conductor - For shortest length (lowest loss) smaller gauge cables (typical lengths ≤ 3 meters) | |
|----------------|---|--|
| QSN5000 Series | HLN8XXX designated cable using GORE™ EYE-OPENER+® Conductor - Higher signal fidelity and significantly reduced jitter | |
| QSN7000 Series | Highest bandwidth cable (QSFP10XX) using GORE™ EYE-OPENER+® Conductor - Used for longest lengths or modemanding applications | |
| QSN8000 Series | 40 Gbps Ethernet specification optimized (not InfiniBand optimized) - Highest bandwidth cable using industry standard SPC conductor | |

Example Part Number: QSN7600-5 - 26 AWG GORE™ EYE-OPENER+® Conductor - 5 meter length

Hybrid Cables Available: QSIBNXXXX-L - QSFP to MicroGiGaCN[™] (IB-4X) connector

MicroGiGaCN is a trademark of Fujitsu General Group

W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc.

EYE-OPENER+, GORE and designs are trademarks of W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc. ©2009 W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc

North America 1 (800) 445-GORE (4673)

+49 9144 6010 +44 1382 561511 International 1 (302) 292-5100 **China: Beijing** +86 10 6408 8060

China: Shanghai +86 21 6247 1999 **China: Shenzhen** +86 755 8359 8262

