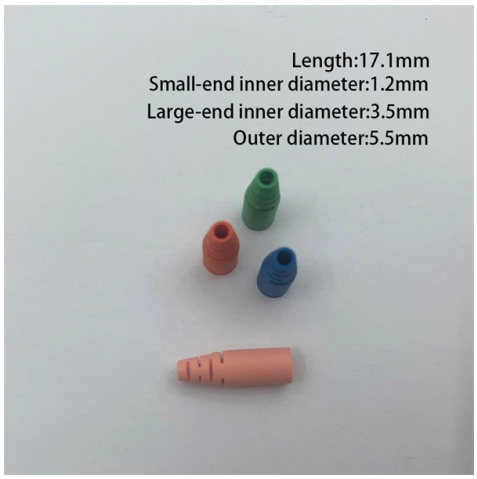
Fiber Optic Collimator Focusing Lens



Overview

Fiber-optic collimators are used to launch the light from an optical fiber into a free space collimated beam with specified beam diameter or spot size.

Key Takeaways

A fiber optic collimator transforms the diverging light from a fiber into a collimated beam, and by adjusting the lens position or using a focusing lens, you can focus the light onto a target or another optical element.

Understanding the Basics

A fiber optic collimator consists of a lens or series of lenses housed in a mechanical assembly that holds the fiber end at the lens's focal point. This setup converts the diverging light from the fiber into a parallel (collimated) beam or, in reverse, focuses light into a fiber. The collimator can be directly attached to bare fibers or connected via standard fiber connectors like FC, SMA, or APC.

Steps to Focus a Lens Using a Fiber CollimatorSelect the Appropriate Collimator and LensChoose a collimator with a lens focal length suitable for your desired beam diameter or spot size. Ensure the collimator's numerical aperture (NA) matches the fiber's NA to avoid overfilling or underfilling the lens.

Mount the Fiber and Collimator

Secure the fiber in the collimator housing or connector interface. For connectorized fibers, simply attach the collimator to the fiber connector; for bare fibers, precise alignment is required.

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Adjust the Lens Position

The fiber end should be positioned at the lens's focal point to achieve collimation. To focus the beam onto a target, adjust the lens-to-target distance according to the lens's focal length. Fine-tuning may be needed to achieve the desired spot size or focus.

Check Beam Quality

Inspect the output beam for collimation or focus quality. For high-precision applications, use aspheric or achromatic lenses to minimize wavefront errors. Ensure the lens and fiber end are clean to prevent scattering or damage, especially in high-power applications.

Lock the Position

Once the desired focus is achieved, lock the collimator or lens assembly to maintain alignment. Many commercial FiberPorts provide translation locking mechanisms for stability.

Additional Considerations

Wavelength Dependence: Lens focal length can shift slightly with wavelength, so use a collimator designed for your operating wavelength.

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Power Applications: Use epoxy-free or air-gap designs to prevent damage from high optical power. Beam Size Control: The collimated beam radius depends on the lens focal length and the fiber's divergence angle. Adjusting these parameters allows control over the focused spot size.

By following these steps, a fiber optic collimator can efficiently focus light from a fiber onto a lens or target, providing a stable and high-quality optical beam for various applications.

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