BiPass I/O High-Speed Solutions

BiPass I/O High-Speed Solutions with low-insertionloss copper twinax cables serve as a PCB alternative to enable efficient and reliable implementation of 56 and 112 Gbps PAM-4 protocols

Features and Advantages

BiPass serves as an alternative to expensive PCB traces and retimers

Delivers a 56 Gbps PAM-4 solution ready for immediate implementation. Provides high performance and lower insertion loss for greater channel margins as compared to PCB traces

	FR4	Megtron 6	Twinax
IL per Inch	1.7	0.8	0.25
IL for 4 inches	6.7	3.2	1
IL for 8 inches	13.3	6.3	2
IL for 12 inches	20	9.5	3
IL for 18 inches	30	14.2	4.5

Insertion loss analysis @ 12.5 GHz, comparing FR4 and Megtron 6 printed circuit boards to twinax cables (as used in BiPass Cable Assemblies)

Low-insertion loss as compared to PCB traces, which is critical for PAM-4 protocol

Delivers high 56 Gbps PAM-4 performance as compared to PCB traces. Eliminates the need for expensive board materials and retimers

Press-fit power-to-board option available Enables belly-to-belly configurations



BiPass Press-Fit QSFP+-to-NearStack Assembly



BiPass QSFP+-to-NearStack-and-Pico-Clasp Assembly

> BiPass QSFP+ and QSFP-DD Assemblies Mate With Standard Optical Transceivers and Passive Copper Cables

> > Standalone cable assemblies are 100 percent tested

Ensures reliability. Eliminates the need for customers to conduct tests

NearStack High-Speed Connector

Capable of 112 Gbps PAM-4 protocol Offers cutting-edge performance

Larger circuit sizes: up to 42 differential pairs possible Reduces PCB real estate. Increases density



8-DP Connector Shown



0.60mm pitch and tight stacking on 9.00-by-19.00mm grid (high density with 30.2 differential pairs per square inch) Alleviates space constraints by taking up less PCB real estate

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BiPass Solutions: QSFP+-to-NearStack-and-Power/ Signal-Connector Assemblies in Tray

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Customized Tray Solution Example: 12.8 Terabit 1 RU

Twinax cables enable routing to minimize airflow impedance Improves thermal management and design flexibility. Delivers low insertion loss and, therefore, superior signal integrity performance



Tray Assemblies

NearStack

Connectors

Fully integrated, custom-designed wire management trays available Offers a complete solution. Eases engineering resources. Simplifies the manufacturing process

Applications

Data Center Solutions

Data center switches

Data center servers

Data center routers

Telecommunications/Networking

Top-of-the-rack switches

Core routers

Vertically Orientated Tray Solution With Below-Board Near-ASIC Termination

Ordering Information

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Easily customized to individual front-panel configurations Separate low-power/signal connector frees I/O cage from PCB enabling vertical integration and greater port density