

## Check the power of the switch s optical module



### Overview

Log in to the switch console to run the privileged EXEC mode of the Cisco switch, use the `fiber-ports-optical-transceiver` command. The Output Power (mWatt) field in the command output indicates the received power of the optical module, and the Input Power (mWatt) field indicates the. When optical modules operate on a switch, it is usually necessary to read the module's internal information to understand its working status—such as connection status and real-time metrics like optical power and temperature. Additionally, identifying module information helps detect coding. The Cisco Small Business Series Switches allow you to plug in a Small Form-factor Pluggable (SFP) transceiver in their optical modules to connect fiber optic cables. Even if an interface appears up, degraded Tx/Rx levels can cause intermittent flapping, packet loss, or err-disabled states. Related Information Video Identify a Huawei-Certified Optical Module Run the `display transceiver [ interface interface-type interface-number | slot slot-id ] [ verbose ]`. In this guide, we will explain what optical signal strength is, how to check it on Cisco IOS using the command line, and how to troubleshoot common light level issues. What are TX and RX Power Levels?

Fiber optic communication relies on light pulses to transmit data.

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