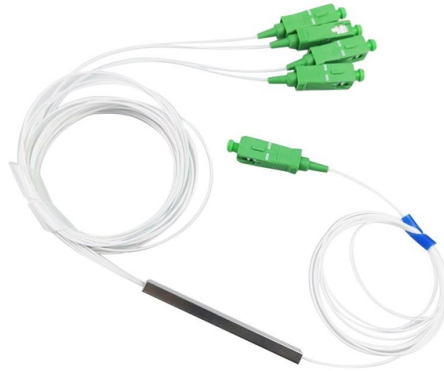


## How to calculate the loss of a beam splitter



### Overview

The formula for the theoretical loss for each output port of a splitter with N output ports is: Theoretical Split Loss (in dB) =  $10 * \log_{10}(N)$  Where: N is the number of output ports the splitter has (e., 2 for a 1x2 splitter, 4 for a 1x4, 8 for a 1x8, 32 for a 1x32, etc. Calculate split loss, excess loss, and terminations for any ratio quickly today. See power budget impact instantly, then download a CSV or PDF summary. Use  $2 \times N$  when two inputs feed the same distribution stage. Common values: 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64. Factors influencing splitter loss include splitter. One of the most valuable uses of optical splitters is to determine splitter loss. It's inherent, unavoidable, and directly related to the number of times you split the signal. Covers GPON (1490 nm / 1310 nm), EPON, and RF video overlay (1550 nm). 5-3 dB depending on split ratio and technology. DISCLAIMER: These calculators are provided for.

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