

Optical module RoCE function



Overview

The RoCE stack provides hardware acceleration for RDMA (Remote Direct Memory Access) operations, allowing direct memory-to-memory transfers between devices with minimal CPU involvement. Using any of the following IBM RoCE Express adapters, RDMA technology is available on Ethernet. Optical modules typically have an electrical interface on the side that connects to the inside of the system and an optical interface on the side that connects to the outside. The optical module serves as a crucial component in optical fiber communication systems, operating at the physical layer, which is the lowest layer in the OSI model. Its primary function is to achieve optoelectronic conversion by converting electrical signals into optical signals and vice versa. Select such interface modules based on service bandwidth requirements. A 100 Gbit/s RoCE interface module provides two 100 Gbit/s. Currently, there are three types of RDMA: InfiniBand, RoCE (RDMA over Converged Ethernet), and iWARP (Internet Wide Area RDMA Protocol), with the latter two being Ethernet-based technologies. InfiniBand: It is a network designed specifically for RDMA, ensuring reliable transmission at the hardware.

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Optical module is a key optical fibre communication device, its main function is to convert electrical signals into optical signals and transmit data through optical fibre media.

IBM RoCE Express2 and RoCE Express3

An IBM RoCE Express adapter, in conjunction with an OSA card, enables shared memory communications between two CPCs using a shared switch, which is customer supplied.

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There have been multiple variants of the electrical interface of optical modules that have been used over the years. The earliest forms of optical modules had an analog NRZ electrical interface. In the transmit direction, the optical module would directly drive the laser or LED with the analog signal coming from the front system card. In the receive direction, the module would directly drive the receive electrical interface with the o...

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In the receive direction, the module would directly drive the receive electrical interface with the output of the analog optical-to-electrical receiver circuit. As speeds increased, the electrical interface was ...

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100 Gbit/s RoCE Interface Module

Function A 100 Gbit/s RoCE interface module provides two 100 Gbit/s optical ports. The optical module rate must be consistent with that on the interface module label. Otherwise, the ...

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