

## ACION™ 3422 Optical Node

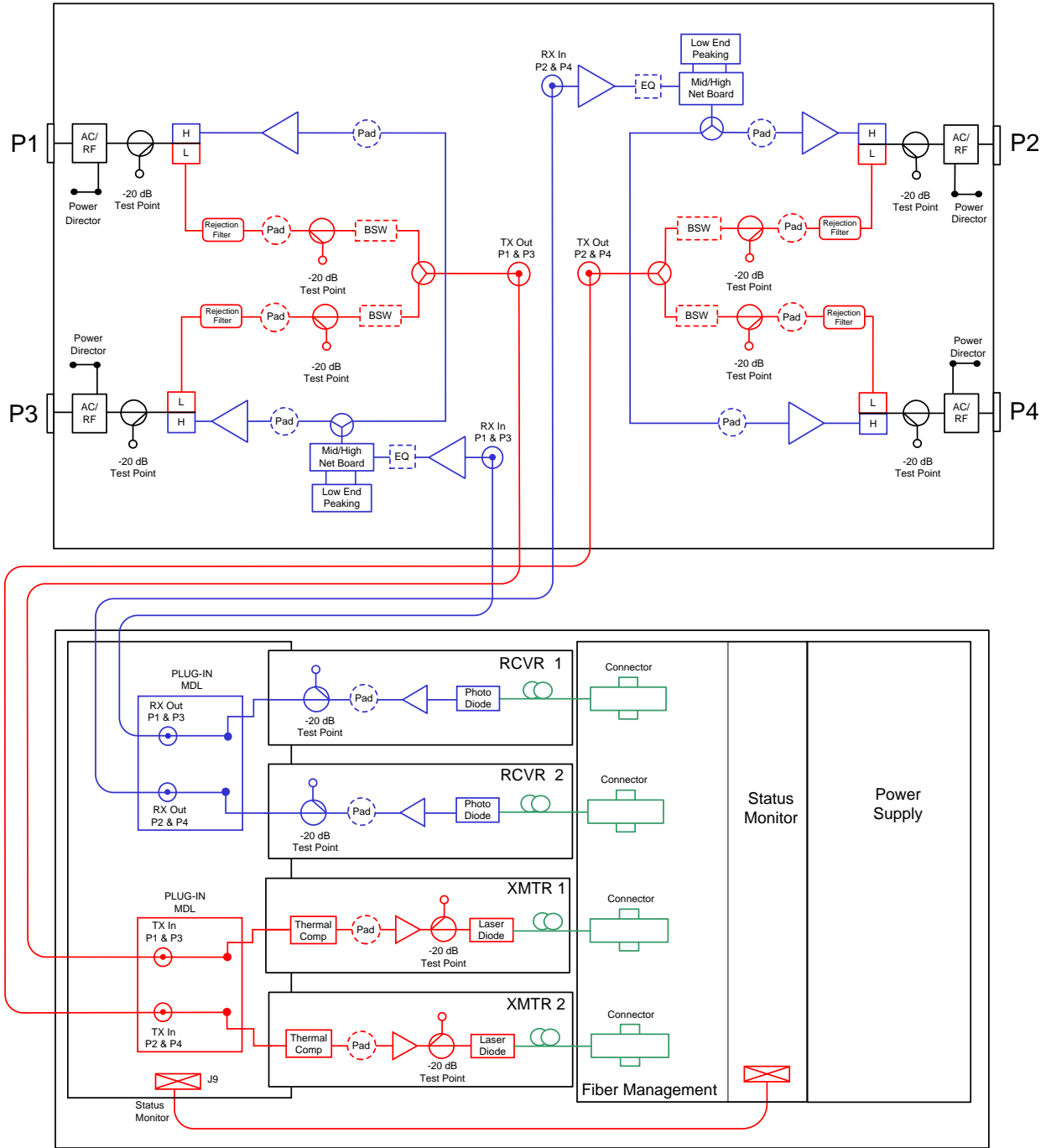
### 2x2 Fully Segmentable

The ACI Communications' ACION 3422 1GHz is a 4-output 2x2 fully segmentable optical node that is capable of providing up to 52.2 dBmV output at 1002 MHz and has an optical input level range from -3 dBm to +2 dBm. The node can have up to two optical receivers and two optical transmitters.

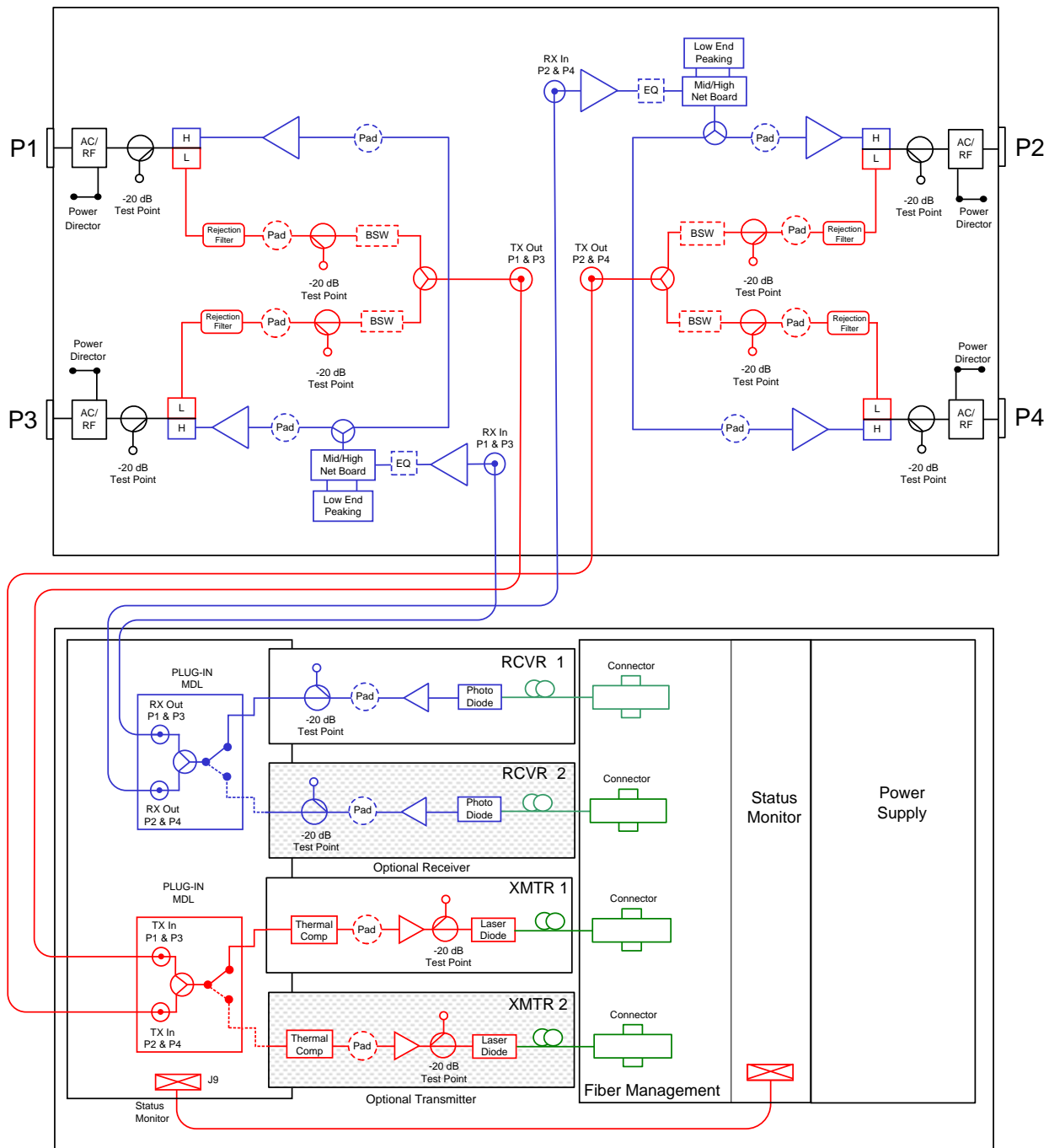
### Features

- ◆ Four driven output ports
- ◆ Compact size for a 2x2 segmentable node
- ◆ -20.0 dB directional coupler test points
- ◆ 15 amp power passing
- ◆ Plug-in bridger switching for managing the reverse path @ 0, -3.0, -6.0, -12.0 dB and open with active status monitoring (optional)
- ◆ Standard push on "F" connectors can be used on all test points
- ◆ FP, DFB, CWDM, DWDM & Digital transmitters available
- ◆ Redundant receiver & Transmitter (optional 1:4 only)
- ◆ 85/105 MHz split option
- ◆ Plug-in forward and reverse configuration modules allows for easy field reconfiguration to add or remove segmentation as needed
- ◆ 85% efficient 40/90 VAC switch-mode power supply with built-in Triac surge protection
- ◆ Internal Mux / De-Mux (Optional)
- ◆ Pad adjustable linear equalizers (Optional)
- ◆ Powder coated housing for extra corrosion protection

# Block Diagrams



ACION 3422 Block Diagram (Forward and Reverse Segmented Optical Node 1002 MHz)



ACION 3422 Block Diagram (Non-Segmented Optical Node 1002 MHz)

# Specifications

ACION 34224-Output (Forward and Reverse Segmentable Optical Node 1002 MHz)						
STATION PARAMETERS						
	CONDITIONS	UNITS	SPECIFICATION			NOTES
Housing passband		MHz	5 to 1002			
Input current capacity	Any port, worst case	Amperes	15			
Frequency range		MHz	5 - 10	11-750	751 - 1002	
Hum modulation	Time domain @ rated current above	-dBc	55	70	65	
Station passband		MHz	54 to 1002			
Return loss- Ports 1 to 4	Worst case	-dB	16.5			Typical 18.0
Frequency range		MHz	54-870	871-1002		
Port to Port Isolation	Typical	-dB	70	60		
Test Points						
Test point type	Directional coupler	N / A	DC			
Test point level(s)		-dB	20.0			
Test point accuracy	Forward TP	±dB	0.5			
Frequency range	Reverse TP	MHz	5 to 40			
Test point accuracy	Reverse TP	±dB	0.5			
Frequency Range						
Station passband		MHz	54 to 1002			
Station flatness - feeder out		±dB	0.75			
Station Gain						
			Minimum	Minimum		
Configuration			1:4	1:2 (X2)		
Gain - feeder	@ 1002 MHz	dB	33	37		
Gain control type		N / A	Plug-in pads			
Gain control range		dB	15.0			
Gain control steps	Pad value steps	dB	0.5			
Station Slope						
Slope control type	Linear equalizers	dB	Plug-in Equalizers			
Slope control range		dB	-12.0 to +13.0			
Slope control steps	Equalizer value steps	dB	1.0 linear steps			
Operational Specifications						
Operational level - feeders	@ 1002 MHz	dBmV	52.2			
Operational slope	@ 54 / 550 / 750 / 870 / 1002 MHz	dB	0 / 9.0 / 12.6 / 14.8 / 17.2			
Operational optical input range		dBm	-3 to +2			Recommended optical input level 0 dBm
Station Output Levels with a -3 dBm optical input						
Distribution out	@ 54 / 550 / 750 / 870 / 1002 MHz	dBmV	35.0 / 44.0 / 47.6 / 49.8 / 52.2			
Station Noise Figure - values for RF portion of node only. Complete values dependent on optical link.						
			* No slope	17.2 dB slope	* LEQ1= 0 dB	
Noise figure (NF)	@ 54 MHz	dB	9.5	16.0		
Noise figure (NF)	@ 550 MHz	dB	9.5	11.0		
Noise figure (NF)	@ 1002 MHz	dB	9.5	11.0		
Station Distortions - values for RF Portion of node only. Complete values dependent on optical link.						
550 MHz analog channel loading, 79 channels + 450 MHz digital channel loading, 256 QAM at -6 dBc relative to its associated visual carrier						
Reference levels	@ 54 / 550 / 650 / 870 / 1002 MHz	dBmV	35.0 / 44.0 / 47.6 / 49.8 / 52.2			
		N / A	Worst Case	Typical		
Composite Triple Beat (CTB)		-dBc	70	72		
Cross Modulation (XMOD)		-dBc	64	66		
Composite Second Order (CSO -)	(Vc +0.75 & -1.25 MHz only)	-dBc	69	71		
Composite Second Order (CSO +)	(Vc +1.25 MHz only)	-dBc	69	71		
CIN		-dBc	65	67		
Station Group Delay						
Group delay	Channel 2 (std)	nSec / 3.58 MHz	30		Typical 25	
Group delay	Channel 3	nSec / 3.58 MHz	16			
Group delay	Channel 4	nSec / 3.58 MHz	10			
Group delay	Channel 5 & >	nSec / 3.58 MHz	3			

**ACION 3422 4-Output**  
(Forward and Reverse Segmentable Optical Node 1002 MHz)

REVERSE SPECTRUM:						
	CONDITIONS	UNITS	SPECIFICATIONS		NOTES	
<b>Reverse - General</b>						
Station passband		MHz	5 to 42			
Station flatness		±dB	1.0			
Bridger switch control (optional)		-dB	0, 3.0, 6.0, 12.0 & open			
Port to Port Isolation	Typical	-dB	65			
<b>Reverse - Station Gain (RF section only)</b>						
Configuration			4:1	2:1 (X2)		
Gain	Minimum	dB	6.0	5.0		
Gain control type		N / A	Plug-in pads			
Gain control steps	Pad value steps	dB	0.5			
<b>Reverse - Station Input Levels</b>						
RF station input to node for 40 dBmV @ Laser TP	Minimum	dBmV	17			
<b>Reverse - Noise Figure</b>						
Configuration			4:1	2:1 (X2)		
Station Noise Figure (w/EQ)		dB	16.5	12.0		
<b>Reverse - Station Distortions @ 23 dBmV</b>						
Composite Second Order (CSO)	6 NTSC channel loading	-dBc	75			
Composite Triple Beat (CTB)	6 NTSC channel loading	-dBc	80			
Cross Modulation (XMOD)	6 NTSC channel loading	-dBc	80			
<b>Reverse - Noise-to-Power Ratio (NPR/Dynamic Range)</b>						
Analog OTX	Noise loading	dB	Typical >40.0 / 13.0		@ 10.0 dB optical loss (6.0 dB fiber +4.0 dB flat loss) @ -51 dBmV/Hz	
Digital Return TDR			Typical >40.0 / 18.0			
MER	6 NTSC Channel Loading	dB	≥ 38.0		QAM 64 or QAM 256	
BER	6 NTSC Channel Loading	dB	≤1x10 <sup>-9</sup>		QAM 64 or QAM 256	
<b>Reverse - Station Group Delay</b>						
Group delay	5 MHz	nSec / 1.5 MHz	36			
Group delay	7 MHz	nSec / 1.5 MHz	16			
Group delay	10 MHz	nSec / 1.5 MHz	4			
Group delay	35 MHz	nSec / 1.5 MHz	8			
Group delay	38.5 MHz	nSec / 1.5 MHz	25			
<b>Power Requirements:</b>						
Station configuration (Over temperature range of -40°F to +140°F (-40°C to +60°C) @ 90 VAC)			1X4 (1RX & 1TX)	2X2 (2RX & 2TX)		
Power requirements	Worst case	W	67.5	79.8		
<b>AC Voltage</b>						
Input ranges		VAC	40 - 90			
<b>Current Draw</b>						
@ 40 VAC	Maximum	A	1.97	2.28		
@ 50 VAC	Maximum	A	1.66	1.90		
@ 60 VAC	Maximum	A	1.43	1.64		
@ 70 VAC	Maximum	A	1.30	1.48		
@ 80 VAC	Maximum	A	1.18	1.33		
@ 90 VAC	Maximum	A	1.05	1.22		
<b>Environmental</b>						
Operating temperature		°F (°C)	-40 to +140 (-40 to +60)			
RF output stability over temperature		±dB	0.5			
<b>Physical</b>						
Dimensions (H X W X D)		In. (cm)	6.75 X 14.25 X 9 (17.15 X 36.20 X 22.86)			
Weight		lbs. (kg)	18.25 (8.28)			

# Ordering Matrix

## ACION 3422 Configuration Sheet

Customer: \_\_\_\_\_

Created By: \_\_\_\_\_ Order Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### ORDERING MATRIX

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Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<b>PART NUMBER</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>N</b>																	

- 3  **BASIC CONFIGURATION** 8  **RECEIVER REDUNDANCY (Basic configuration A or B only)**
- A = FWD 1:4 REV 4:1 nonsegmented  
 1 Transmitter or 1 Digital Single Transmitter Installed  
 1 Receiver installed  
 Analog TX and RX redundancy capable
- B = FWD 1:4 REV 2:1 (X2) Reverse segmented  
 2 Analog or 1 Digital Dual Transmitter installed  
 1 Receiver installed  
 RX redundancy capable
- C = FWD 1:2 (X2) REV 4:1 Forward segmented  
 1 Transmitter or 1 Digital Single Transmitter Installed  
 2 Receivers installed  
 Analog TX redundancy capable
- D = FWD 1:2 (2X) REV 2:1 (X2) Forward & Return segmented  
 2 Analog or 1 Digital Dual Transmitter installed  
 2 Receivers installed  
 Not TX or RX redundancy capable
- 4  **DIPLEX FREQUENCY SPLIT**
- 4 = 42/53      6 = 65/85  
 5 = 55/70      8 = 85/105
- 5  **OPTICAL CONNECTOR TYPE**
- 1 = SC/APC      3 = FC/APC  
 2 = SC/UPC      4 = FC/UPC
- 6  **TRANSMITTER 1 - Primary 4:1 or Ports 1 & 3 for 2:1 (X2) Analog Transmitters**
- 7  **TRANSMITTER 2 - Secondary 4:1 or Ports 2 & 4 for 2:1 (X2) Analog Transmitters**
- TYPE FP & DFB**
- 0 = None  
 D = Uncooled 1310 nm 1.0 mW FP  
 H = Uncooled 1310 nm 2.0 mW FP W/ISOLATOR  
 J = Uncooled 1310 nm 1.0 mW DFB  
 R = Uncooled 1310 nm 2.0 mW DFB  
 B = Uncooled 1310 nm 3.0 mW DFB  
 C = Uncooled 1550 nm 2.0 mW DFB  
 Z = Uncooled 1550 nm 4.0 mW DFB
- TYPE DFB CWDM 2.0 mW**
- A = Uncooled 1471 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 G = Uncooled 1491 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 V = Uncooled 1511 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 L = Uncooled 1531 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 W = Uncooled 1551 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 M = Uncooled 1571 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 N = Uncooled 1591 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 T = Uncooled 1611 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW)  
 U = Uncooled 1431 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW) E-Band  
 Y = Uncooled 1451 nm DFB CWDM (2.0 mW) E-Band
- TYPE DFB CWDM 3.0 mW**
- F = Uncooled 1471 nm DFB CWDM (3.0 mW)  
 I = Uncooled 1491 nm DFB CWDM (3.0 mW)  
 Q = Uncooled 1551 nm DFB CWDM (3.0 mW)  
 K = Uncooled 1591 nm DFB CWDM (3.0 mW)  
 P = Uncooled 1611 nm DFB CWDM (3.0 mW)
- TYPE DFB CWDM 4.0, 5.0 & 6.0 mW**
- 9 = Uncooled 1551 nm DFB CWDM (4.0 mW)  
 8 = Uncooled 1551 nm DFB CWDM (5.0 mW)  
 5 = Uncooled 1591 nm DFB CWDM (5.0 mW)  
 6 = Uncooled 1611 nm DFB CWDM (5.0 mW)  
 3 = Uncooled 1471 nm DFB CWDM (6.0 mW)  
 4 = Uncooled 1491 nm DFB CWDM (6.0 mW)
- TYPE ANALOG DWDM: ITU Grid: C-Band, 100 GHz Spacing**
- 2 = Enter "2" in position 6 and "0" in position 7  
 See positions 16 & 17 on following page for wavelength options
- DIGITAL TRANSMITTER OPTIONS FOR POSITIONS 6&7:**
- 70 = Non DWDM Digital Transmitter  
 DA = DWDM Digital Transmitter 80KM With 45MHz Single RF Input  
 DB = DWDM Digital Transmitter 80KM With 45MHz Dual RF Inputs  
 DC = DWDM Digital Transmitter 80KM With 85MHz Single RF Input  
 DD = DWDM Digital Transmitter 80KM With 85MHz Dual RF Inputs  
 See position #18 and #19 on following page for options
- 9  **CWDM/DWDM Mux/DeMux or WDM (For a 1X2 Mux or WDM use positions 9 & 11)**
- CWDM or DWDM DeMux Downstream Wavelength # 1**
- CWDM or DWDM DeMux Downstream Wavelength # 2**
- CWDM Mux Upstream Wavelength #1**
- CWDM Mux Upstream Wavelength #2**
- 0 = None  
 A = 1271 nm      K = 1451 nm      W = 1310 nm  
 B = 1291 nm      L = 1471 nm      Y = 1550 nm  
 C = 1311 nm      M = 1491 nm  
 D = 1331 nm      N = 1511 nm  
 E = 1351 nm      P = 1531 nm  
 F = 1371 nm      R = 1551 nm  
 G = 1391 nm      T = 1571 nm  
 H = 1411 nm      U = 1591 nm  
 J = 1431 nm      V = 1611 nm
- 10
- 11
- 12
- 13  **HOUSING TYPE (See Note 1)**
- P = Powder Coated (Complete Station)  
 K = Powder Coated (Upgrade kit without housing base)
- 14  **STATUS MONITORING**
- 0 = None  
 M = Status Monitoring upgradeable (With Bridger switching)  
 D = Dccsis HMS Transponder
- 15  **CUSTOM**
- 0 = None  
 2 = Port 1 bypassed, Port 2 forward gain lowered by 10 dB  
 5 = 15 dB Slope at 1002 MHz (Fixed Value LEQ's)  
 A = 15.0 dB Slope at 1002 MHz (Pad Adjustable LEQ's)  
 B = 17.2 dB Slope at 1002 MHz (Pad Adjustable LEQ's)  
 X = Determined by Product Management
- 16
- 17  **DWDM TRANSMITTER 1 Primary 4:1 or Ports 1 & 3 for 2:1 (X2)**
- DWDM TRANSMITTER 2: Secondary 4:1 or Ports 2 & 4 for 2:1 (X2)**
- DWDM: ITU Grid: C-Band, 100 GHz Spacing**
- Blank = No DWDM or Digital Return Transmitters
- 0 = For a Digital Return Transmitter use "0" for #16 & #17
- H = Channel 21 - 1560.61 nm (10.0 mW)  
 R = Channel 22 - 1559.79 nm (10.0 mW)  
 J = Channel 23 - 1558.98 nm (10.0 mW)  
 P = Channel 24 - 1558.17 nm (10.0 mW)  
 K = Channel 25 - 1557.36 nm (10.0 mW)  
 C = Channel 26 - 1556.56 nm (10.0 mW)  
 D = Channel 28 - 1554.94 nm (10.0 mW)  
 L = Channel 29 - 1554.13 nm (10.0 mW)  
 E = Channel 30 - 1553.33 nm (10.0 mW)  
 M = Channel 31 - 1552.52 nm (10.0 mW)  
 F = Channel 32 - 1551.72 nm (10.0 mW)  
 N = Channel 33 - 1550.92 nm (10.0 mW)  
 G = Channel 34 - 1550.12 nm (10.0 mW)

# Ordering Matrix (Continued)

18	19
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**DIGITAL RETURN TRANSMITTER MODULE**

**18 & 19 Blank = None**

**Use 18 for Single RF, NON DWDM WAVELENGTH**

- C = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1310 nm DFB, 40 km
- D = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1471 nm CWDM, 80 km
- E = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1491 nm CWDM, 80 km
- F = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1511 nm CWDM, 80 km
- G = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1531 nm CWDM, 80 km
- H = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1551 nm CWDM, 80 km
- J = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1571 nm CWDM, 80 km
- K = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1591 nm CWDM, 80 km
- L = 45 MHz, Single RF, Single 1611 nm CWDM, 80 km

- 1 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1310 nm DFB, 40 km
- 2 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1471 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 3 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1491 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 4 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1511 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 5 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1531 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 6 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1551 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 7 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1571 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 8 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1591 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 9 = 85 MHz, Single RF, Single 1611 nm CWDM, 80 km

**Use 18 & 19 for Dual RF, NON DWDM WAVELENGTH**

- AD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1310 nm DFB, 40 km
- BD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1471 nm CWDM, 80 km
- CD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1491 nm CWDM, 80 km
- DD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1511 nm CWDM, 80 km
- ED = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1531 nm CWDM, 80 km
- FD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1551 nm CWDM, 80 km
- GD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1571 nm CWDM, 80 km
- HD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1591 nm CWDM, 80 km
- JD = 45 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1611 nm CWDM, 80 km

- 1D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1310 nm DFB, 40 km
- 2D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1471 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 3D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1491 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 4D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1511 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 5D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1531 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 6D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1551 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 7D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1571 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 8D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1591 nm CWDM, 80 km
- 9D = 85 MHz, Dual RF, Single 1611 nm CWDM, 80 km

**Use 18 & 19 for DWDM Channel**

- 19 = Channel 19 - 1562.23nm
- 20 = Channel 20 - 1561.42nm
- 21 = Channel 21 - 1560.61nm
- 22 = Channel 22 - 1559.79nm
- 23 = Channel 23 - 1558.98nm
- 24 = Channel 24 - 1558.17nm
- 25 = Channel 25 - 1557.36nm
- 26 = Channel 26 - 1556.55nm
- 27 = Channel 27 - 1555.75nm
- 28 = Channel 28 - 1554.94nm
- 29 = Channel 29 - 1554.13nm
- 30 = Channel 30 - 1553.33nm
- 31 = Channel 31 - 1552.52nm
- 32 = Channel 32 - 1551.72nm
- 33 = Channel 33 - 1550.92nm
- 34 = Channel 34 - 1550.12nm
- 35 = Channel 35 - 1549.32nm
- 36 = Channel 36 - 1548.52nm
- 37 = Channel 37 - 1547.72nm
- 38 = Channel 38 - 1546.92nm
- 39 = Channel 39 - 1546.12nm
- 40 = Channel 40 - 1545.32nm
- 41 = Channel 41 - 1544.53nm
- 42 = Channel 42 - 1543.73nm
- 43 = Channel 42 - 1542.94nm
- 44 = Channel 44 - 1542.14nm
- 45 = Channel 45 - 1541.35nm
- 46 = Channel 46 - 1540.56nm
- 47 = Channel 47 - 1539.77nm
- 48 = Channel 48 - 1538.98nm
- 49 = Channel 49 - 1538.19nm
- 50 = Channel 50 - 1537.40nm
- 51 = Channel 51 - 1536.61nm
- 52 = Channel 52 - 1535.82nm
- 53 = Channel 53 - 1535.04nm
- 54 = Channel 54 - 1534.25nm
- 55 = Channel 55 - 1533.47nm
- 56 = Channel 56 - 1532.68nm
- 57 = Channel 57 - 1531.90nm
- 58 = Channel 58 - 1531.12nm
- 59 = Channel 59 - 1530.33nm
- 60 = Channel 60 - 1529.55nm
- 61 = Channel 61 - 1528.77nm
- 62 = Channel 62 - 1527.99nm
- 63 = Channel 63 - 1527.22nm
- 64 = Channel 64 - 1526.44nm

**NOTES:**

- 1 The ACION 3422 upgrade kit (option # 13 selection K) will include a fully configured optical top housing assembly and the RF module tray. The upgrade Kit will allow field upgrades of legacy ACION 3000 & ACION 3410 nodes or it can be used as a conversion kit to convert an existing SDA RF amplifier into a fully 2X2 segmentable optical node.



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