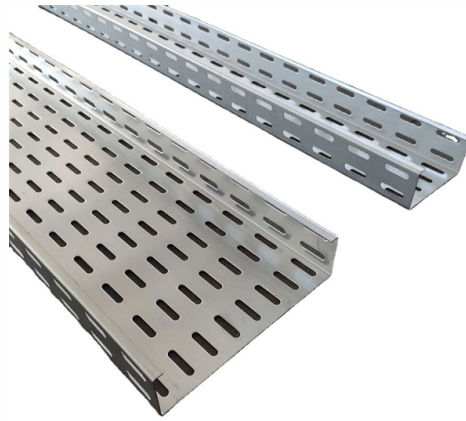


Switch reports optical module power



Overview

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 transmit power. The transceiver information displayed depends on the show interfaces transceiver [port-list] . This guide gives a practical, CLI-focused workflow for checking SFP health and diagnostics on Cisco switches, shows the exact commands you'll use, explains what the numbers mean, and compares OEM (Cisco) vs third-party modules so you can pick the right SFP module supplier for reliability and cost. This article provides instructions on how to view the Optical Module Status on your switch through the Command Line Interface (CLI). Even if an interface appears up, degraded Tx/Rx levels can cause intermittent flapping, packet loss, or err-disabled states. Checking optical power helps pinpoint issues. By checking module health, compatibility, and digital diagnostics, you can quickly confirm correct installation, detect optical problems, and maintain accurate hardware inventory. Connectrix: How to troubleshoot Fibre Channel node to switch port or SFP communication problems by elimination. See Dell KB article 28863: Connectrix: How to.

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