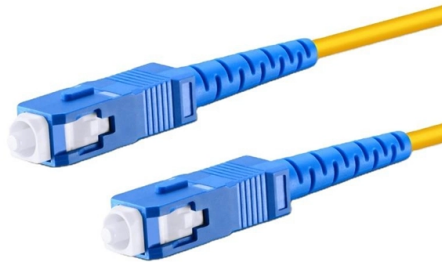


# Are all optical splitter ports the same



## Overview

Optical splitters own different port configurations, generally represented as  $M \times N$ , indicating that this optical splitter has  $M$  input terminal (s) and  $N$  output terminals. A fiber broadband provider typically determines and overall split ratio for the network, such as  $1 \times 32$  or  $1 \times 64$ , and uses combinations of splitters to meet that ratio with each PON port.  $1 \times 32$  splits were common in North America for G-PON architectures. As XGS-PON continues to be adopted, some service. Optical splitters are the key passive component that enables “sharing” of OLT resources: Cost Efficiency: A single OLT port can serve 8–64 ONTs via a splitter, reducing the number of OLTs, fibers, and deployment labor needed. The optical splitter plays a critical role in applications such as passive optical networks (PONs), telecommunications networks, fiber-to-the-home (FTTH) installations, and more.

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The splitters are stand-alone, not co-located with other splitters. In this scenario, the splitter is most often located in a closure or pedestal in the outside plant.

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A split ratio describes how many output ports a splitter has, and how evenly the input optical power is distributed across those ports. For example, a 1:32 splitter takes 1 input signal and

Exploring the World of Fiber Optic Splitter Devices

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Optical splitters are usually used in passive optical networks (PONs) to distribute fiber to individual homes or businesses. There is something different

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