

40G QSFP+ SR4 300m Optical Transceiver

PN: VQ-40SR4CP-EA

Product Overview

Vitex VQ-40SR4CP-EA is designed for use in 40G connections over multimode fiber. They integrate a four channel VCSEL array and four channel PIN photodiode array, each channel can operate at 10.3125 Gbps up to 300m using OM3 or 400m using OM4 MMF. They are compliant with the QSFP+ MSA and IEEE 802.3ba 40GBASE-SR4 standards.

Features

- Compliant with IEEE Std 802.3ba, 40G Ethernet SR4
- Compliant with QSFP+ MSA
- Management interface specifications per SFF-8436
- Single MPO connector receptacle
- 4 channels 850nm VCSEL array
- 4 channels PIN photo detector array
- Up to 10.3Gb/s per channel data links
- Single +3.3V power supply
- Class 1 laser safety certified
- Commercial operating temperature: 0 °C to 70 °C
- Up to 300m on OM3 MMF and 400m on OM4 MMF
- RoHS6 Compliant

Applications

- 40GBASE-SR4 Ethernet
- Infiniband QDR and DDR interconnects
- Data Center

Ordering Information

Part Number	Description
VQ-40SR4CP-EA	40G QSFP+ SR4, 400m MMF, 850nm, MPO12, C-temp

General Specifications

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	
Storage Temperature	T_s	-40		85	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	
Relative Humidity	RH	5		95	%	
Supply Voltage (Maximum)	V_{CC}	-0.5		4.0	V	
Supply Voltage (Recommended)	V_{CC}	3.135	3.3	3.465	V	
Operating Case Temperature	TC	0	25	70	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	
Data Rate PER Channel			10.3125		Gbps	

Optical – Transmitter

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	Remarks
Launch Optical Power	P_o	-7.6		+2.4	dBm	1
Center Wavelength Range	λ_c	840	850	860	nm	
Extinction Ratio	EX	3			dB	2
Spectral width (RMS)	$\Delta\lambda$			0.65	nm	
Transmitter and Dispersion Penalty	TDP			3.5	dB	
Optical Return Loss Tolerance	ORLT			12	dB	
Eye Diagram	IEEE Std 802.3ba compatible					

1. The optical power is launched into SMF.
2. Measured with a PRBS 2³¹-1 test pattern @ 10.3125Gbps.

Optical – Receiver

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	Remarks
Center Wavelength	λ_c	840	850	860	nm	
Receiver Sensitivity (P_{avg})	S			-9.5	dBm	1
Damage Threshold	P_{OL}	3.4			dBm	1
Optical Return Loss	ORL	12			dB	
LOS De-Assert	LOS_D			-11	dBm	
LOS Assert	LOS_A	-30			dBm	
LOS Hysteresis		0.5			dB	

1. Measured with PRBS 2³¹-1 test pattern, 10.3125 Gb/s, BER<10⁻¹².

Electrical – Transmitter

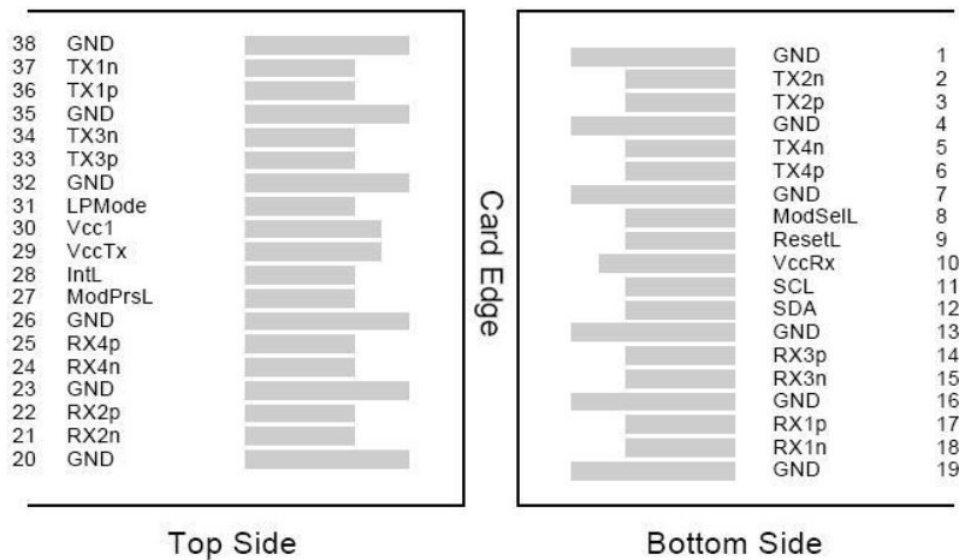
Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	Remarks
Module Supply Current	I_{CC}			430	mA	
Power Dissipation	P_D			1.5	W	
Input Differential Impedance	Z_{IN}		100		Ω	
Differential Data Input Swing	$V_{IN, P-P}$	180		900	mV _{P-P}	

Electrical – Receiver

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit	Remarks
Output Differential Impedance	Z_O		100		Ω	
Differential Data Output Swing	$V_{OUT, P-P}$	300		850	mV _{P-P}	1
Data Output Rise Time, Fall Time	t_r, t_f	28	-	-	ps	2

- Internally AC coupled but requires an external 100 Ω differential load termination.
- 20 – 80 %

Electrical Connector Layout



Electrical Pin Definition

PIN #	Symbol	Description	Remarks
1	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
2	Tx2-	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	
3	Tx2+	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	
4	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
5	Tx4-	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	
6	Tx4+	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	
7	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1

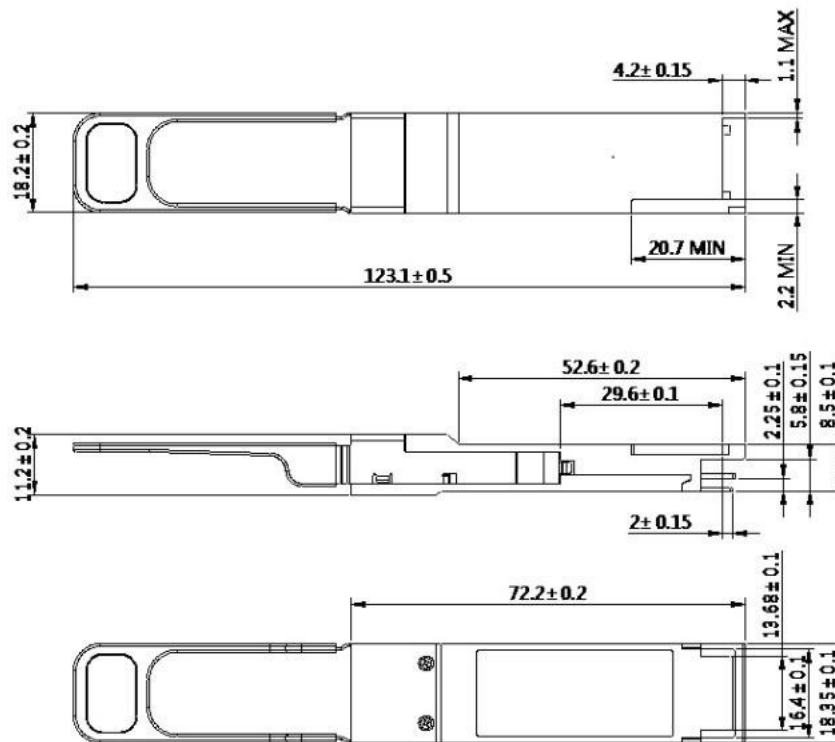
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8	ModSelL	Module Select	2
9	ResetL	Module Reset	2
10	VccRx	3.3V Power Supply Receiver	
11	SCL	2-Wire serial Interface Clock	2
12	SDA	2-Wire serial Interface Data	2
13	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
14	Rx3+	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	
15	Rx3-	Receiver Inverted Data Output	
16	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
17	Rx1+	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	
18	Rx1-	Receiver Inverted Data Output	
19	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
20	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
21	Rx2-	Receiver Inverted Data Output	
22	Rx2+	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	
23	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
24	Rx4-	Receiver Inverted Data Output	1
25	Rx4+	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	
26	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
27	ModPrsl	Module Present	
28	IntL	Interrupt	2
29	VccTx	3.3V power supply transmitter	
30	VccI	3.3V power supply	
31	LPMODE	Low Power Mode	2
32	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
33	Tx3+	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	
34	Tx3-	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	
35	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1
36	Tx1+	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	
37	Tx1-	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	
38	GND	Transmitter Ground (Common with Receiver Ground)	1

1. The module signal grounds are isolated from the module case.
2. This is an open collector/drain output that on the host board requires a 4.7K Ω to 10K Ω pull-up resistor to VccHost.

Mechanical Dimension



Revision History

Date	Rev	Description
04/09/2023	1.0	Release version
02/13/2025	2.0	New branding guidelines

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