FTBx-2250
BROADBAND SOURCE

Compact, rugged and highly reliable—an essential lab testing building block.

**KEY FEATURES**

SLED CWDM range (1460 to 1625 nm)

- Fixed output power
- Optimized for power stability
- High spectral density

**RELATED PRODUCTS**

- Platform LTB-8
- Power meter FTBx-1750
- Optical switch FTBx-9150
- Variable attenuator FTBx-3500

Feature(s) of this product is/are protected by one or more of: US design patent D798,171 and equivalent(s) in other countries; and US design patent D842,144.
BROAD SPECTRAL RANGE, IMPRESSIVE POWER

The high-power, SLED-based FTBx-2250 broadband source family covers the bands needed for telecommunications applications. The highly stable FTBx-2250 is ideal for broadband applications, coarse wavelength-division multiplexing (CWDM) network testing, and passive optical networks (PON) component manufacturing and testing, as well as fiber-optic sensing and spectroscopy. FTBx-2250 module must be inserted inside an LTB-8 platform to operate.

Single output source

For CWDM testing, the SCLi option, covering the S, C and L bands, enables accurate characterization of fiber links and their passive components, with a very cost-effective test setup. Presence of an optical isolator makes the output of the SCLi source highly stable.

Designed for component testing

EXFO’s FTBx-2250 offers enough power along the spectrum to measure high-level insertion loss. By combining the FTBx-2250 with an optical spectrum analyzer (OSA), you can efficiently qualify your components during development or perform pass/fail testing during production.

High spectral-density stability

High spectral density stability is essential to ensure that the test setup produces accurate measurements, time and again. The more stable the spectrum, the less often a reference trace has to be acquired. This translates into better productivity.

After a reference trace is acquired with the OSA, it can be subtracted to all subsequent traces. With no device under test (DUT) in the system, the resulting traces, centered around the averaged value, present the typical spectral fluctuations of the source.

### SPECIFICATIONS

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<th>Parameter</th>
<th>FTBx-2250-SCLI-1</th>
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<tr>
<td>Mean wavelength (nm)</td>
<td>1550 ± 25</td>
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<td>Output power (dBm)</td>
<td>≥ 3</td>
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<td>Peak spectral density (dBm/nm)</td>
<td>-23</td>
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<td>Minimum spectral density (dBm/nm)</td>
<td>-27</td>
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<td>Total power stability (dB)</td>
<td>15 min: ±0.017; 8 hours: ±0.02</td>
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<td>Spectral density stability (dB)</td>
<td>15 min: ±0.035 (typical); 8 hours: ±0.046 (typical)</td>
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<td>Ripple (dB)</td>
<td>0.35</td>
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<td>Fiber type (µm)</td>
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### GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

- **Size (H x W x D)**: 25 mm x 159 mm x 175 mm (1 in x 6 1/4 in x 6 7/8 in)
- **Weight**: 0.35 kg (0.77 lb)
- **Temperature**
  - **Operating**: 0 °C to 40 °C (32 °F to 104 °F)
  - **Storage**: -40 °C to 70 °C (−40 °F to 158 °F)
- **Relative humidity**: 0 % to 80 % non-condensing
- **LTB-8 operation**: Windows 10
- **Instrument drivers**: IVI Drivers, LabVIEW™ drivers and SCPI commands
- **Standard accessories**: User guide

### LASER SAFETY

- **ATTENTION**
- **CAUTION**
- **LASER 1M**
### ORDERING INFORMATION

**FTBx-2250-XX-XX**

**Model**
- **SCLI-1** = Single output SLED, 1460 nm to 1625 nm SLED

**Connector**
- **EI-EUI-28** = UPC/DIN 47256
- **EI-EUI-89** = UPC/FC narrow key
- **EI-EUI-90** = UPC/ST (EI only)
- **EI-EUI-91** = UPC/SC
- **EI-EUI-95** = UPC/E-2000
- **EI-EUI-98** = UPC/LC
- **EA-EUI-28** = APC/DIN 47256
- **EA-EUI-89** = APC/FC narrow key
- **EA-EUI-91** = APC/SC
- **EA-EUI-95** = APC/E-2000
- **EA-EUI-98** = APC/LC

Other wavelengths and configurations may be available upon request. Please call factory.

Example: FTBx-2250-SCLI-1-EA-EUI-89

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