ConnectorMax Analysis Software

DELIVERING FAST PASS/FAIL ASSESSMENT OF CONNECTOR ENDFACES



ConnectorMax delivers clear-cut pass/fail verdicts, eliminating guesswork in the field and helping you save time and money

KEY FEATURES

Automatic pass/fail analysis in the portable FTB-1, FTB-200 and FTB-500 platforms

Lightning-fast: results in a few seconds through simple one-touch operation

Full test reports for future referencing

Compatible with EXFO's FIP-400 series probes

APPLICATIONS

Connector inspection and certification

Network troubleshooting

IEC/IPC-compliant network acceptance testing



FTB Ecosystem PlatformsFTB-1FTB-200FTB-500



Fiber Inspector Probe FIP-400



Software FastReporter2



OUT WITH GUESSWORK, IN WITH TIME AND MONEY SAVINGS

Delivering fast pass/fail assessment of connector endfaces, EXFO's ConnectorMax Analysis Software is designed to save both time and money in the field. The industry's first platform-based, automated inspection application, ConnectorMax eliminates guesswork, instead providing clear-cut connector endface analysis.

ConnectorMax enables field technicians to analyze defects and scratches and measure their impact on connector performance. Results are then compared against pre-programmed IEC/IPC standards or user-defined criteria, leading to accurate pass/fail verdicts established right on-site.

ConnectorMax therefore helps avoid two time- and money-consuming situations: undetected connector defects that force technicians to later return to the site, and unnecessary replacement of connectors whose slight defects are not enough to get a "fail" verdict.



acceptance criteria.

Defective connector failing acceptance criteria.

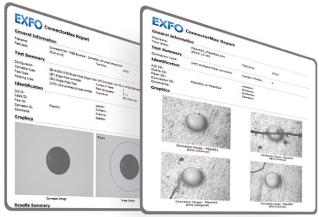
Connector free of any defect.

KEY FEATURES	BENEFITS	ADDITIONAL FEATURES
Housed in the FTB-1, FTB-200 and FTB-500 platforms	All-in-one test solution: processing and reporting done on-site-no need for a PC	Autosave and Reset feature for multiple-pass cleaning procedures
Quick and easy image capture	Full test reports combining statistical and visual data, for future referencing	Autonaming
Clear pass/fail results through simple one-button operation	Simplify and speed up connector assessment in the field	Automatic report documentation in multiple formats
Test procedures that comply with IEC 61300-3-35 and IPC 8497-1 standards	Consistent, repeatable results	Multifiber reporting
Focus meter	Prevents out-of-focus analysis, ensuring consistent results all the time	Full file documentation (job, cable, fiber, connector and location IDs, customer, operator, company, etc.)



Document Your Work

ConnectorMax Analysis Software comes with extensive reporting capabilities enabling you to automatically generate full reports in various formats, including the single-file .mhtml format-right on-site. Advanced reporting and batch processing capabilities are available through our FastReporter data post-processing software, including combined OTDR and FIP reports. For more information, please consult the FastReporter brochure.



Single fiber connector Multifiber connector report.

CONNECTOR MAX SOFTWARE GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Platform Compatibility

FTB-1, FTB-200*, FTB-500

PC Compatibility and System Requirements

To be able to install and run ConnectorMax on your computer, you must meet the minimum requirements below:

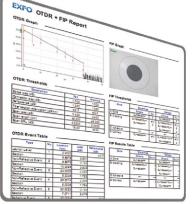
SYSTEM ELEMENT	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS (WINDOWS XP)	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS (WINDOWS VISTA 32 AND 64 BITS)	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS WINDOWS 7 (32 AND 64 BITS)
Processor	Pentium (800 MHz or higher recommended)	Pentium (1.6 GHz or higher recommended)	Pentium (1.6 GHz or higher recommended)
RAM	256 MB (512 MB recommended)	256 MB (1 GB recommended)	512 MB (2 GB recommended)
Disk space	400 MB	400 MB	400 MB
Monitor	EXFO recommends a minimum screen resolution of 800 X 600 and a color quality value of at least 16 bits.		
Other requirements .NET Framework 2.0 SP1 DirectX 9.0 (Windows XP, Vista and Windows 7) USB 2.0 (with Windows XP, Vista and Windows 7)			

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Fiber inspection	Single fiber Multiple fiber (software option)
Analysis	Single fiber (software option)
Reporting format	HTML MHTML

* Compatible with FTB-200 v2.





OTDR and **FIP** report (option available with FastReporter).

Fiber Inspection Probe Compatibility

TIP DESCRIPTION	TIP CODE	INSPECTION COMPATIBILITY	ANALYSIS Compatibility (optional)
Universal patchcord tip for 1.25 mm ferrule	FIPT-400-U12M	Х	Х
LC tip for PC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-LC	Х	Х
FC and SC APC tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-FC-SC-APC	Х	Х
Universal patchcord tip for 2.5 mm APC ferrule	FIPT-400-U25MA	Х	Х
Universal patchcord tip for 1.25 mm APC ferrule	FIPT-400-U12MA	Х	Х
ST tip for UPC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-ST	Х	Х
FC and SC tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-FC-SC	Х	Х
Universal patchcord tip for 2.5 mm PC ferrule	FIPT-400-U25M	Х	Х
SC tip for bulkhead adapter (extended)	FIPT-400-SC-L	Х	Х
MU tip for UPC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-MU	Х	Х
E-2000 tip for PC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-E2000	Х	Х
FC and SC angled tip for bulkhead (60 degree)	FIPT-400-FC-SC-A6	Х	Х
MU-L tip for UPC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-MU-L	Х	Х
D4 tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-D4	Х	Х
Universal patchcord tip for male ferrule	FIPT-400-U20M2	Х	Х
Lemo tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-Lemo	Х	Х
E-2000 tip for APC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-E2000-APC	Х	
OptiTap [™] tip for APC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-OTAP-APC	Х	
MT/APC type OptiTip [™] for male and female connectors	FIPT-400-OTIP-MT-APC	Х	
MT/APC type OptiTip [™] for male connectors	FIPT-400-OTIP-MT-APC/M	Х	
LC tip for APC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-LC-APC	Х	
LC angled tip for bulkhead adapter (60 degree)	FIPT-400-LC-A6	Х	
LX.5 tip for UPC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-LX5	Х	
LX.5 tip for APC bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-LX5-APC	Х	
MTP/APC tip for bulkhead adapter (extended, reversible)	FIPT-400-MTPA2	Х	
MTP2 tip for bulkhead adapter (extended, reversible)	FIPT-400-MTP2	Х	
MTP2 replaceable nozzle for MTP2 (extended, reversible)	FIPT-400-MTP2-TIP	Х	
MTPA replaceable nozzle for MTP2 (extended, reversible)	FIPT-400-MTPA-TIP	Х	
Bulkhead adapter tip	FIPT-400-ADAPTER	х	
SMA tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-SMA	Х	
SMA tip for male connector	FIPT-400-SMAM	Х	
Universal patchcord tip for 1.6 mm PC ferrule	FIPT-400-U16M	Х	
MTRJ tip for bulkhead adapter	FIPT-400-MTRJ	х	
SC tip for APC bulkhead adapter (extended)	FIPT-400-SC-APC-L	Х	

Refer to EXFO's documentation or contact your vendor for additional information on the most recent FIP-400 tips that may not be listed above.



HARDWARE GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

FIP-400 FIBER INSPECTION PROB	E
Size (H x W x D) without tip cap with tip cap	38 mm x 32 mm x 170 mm (1 ¹ / ₂ in x 1 ¹ / ₄ in x 6 ¹¹ / ₁₆ in) 38 mm x 32 mm x 200 mm (1 ¹ / ₂ in x 1 ¹ / ₄ in x 7 ³ / ₄ in)
Weight	0.2 kg (0.44 lb)
Resolution	<2 μm, 0.7 μm (typical)
Field of view	625 μm x464 μm (low magnification) ^a 412 μm x 306 μm (high magnification)
Light source	Blue LED
Lighting technique	Coaxial
Capture button	Present on all models
Connector	EXFO probe port type (8 pin mini-DIN)
Focus control	Adjustable on the probe
Optical magnification	Adjustable, low and high (dual model only)
Temperature operating storage	−10 °C to 50 °C −40 °C to 70 °C
Relative humidity	0 % to 95 % non-condensing

FIBER PROBE VIEWER	
Size (H x W x D)	50 mm x 99 mm x 190 mm (1 $^{15}/_{16}$ in x 3 $^{7}/_{8}$ in x 7 $^{1}/_{2}$ in)
Weight ^b	0.3 kg (0.66 lb)
LCD screen	3.5 in TFT active matrix (320 x 240 pixels)
Power	Rechargeable Li-ion battery or AC adapter/charger
Battery life	3 hours (continuous use)
Charging time	4 hours
Connector	EXFO probe port type (8 pin mini-DIN)

USB CONVERTER	USB 1.1 MODEL	USB 2.0 MODEL
Size (H x W x D)	20 mm x 36 mm x 90 mm (¹³ /16 in x 1 ⁷ /16 in x 3 ⁹ /16 in)	19 mm x 36 mm x 95 mm (³ /4 in x 1 ⁷ / ₁₆ in x 3 ³ /4 in)
Connectors	EXFO probe port type (8 pin mini-DIN)/USB	EXFO probe port type (8 pin mini-DIN)/USB
Capture button	No	Yes
ConnectorMax compatibility	No	Yes

Notes

a. Dual model only.b. Without battery.



ORDERING INFORMATION

Platform

FPSA

Fiber inspection probe analysis software for portable platform

FPSAMF

ConnectorMax kit:

- Single-fiber analysis and reporting
- Multiple-fiber connectors wizard and reporting

Note

a. The FIP-400-USB2, USB 2.0 Converter Module is required and sold separately.

PC FPSA-PC

Fiber inspection probe analysis software for PC or laptop ^a

FPSAMF-PC

- ConnectorMax kit: - Single-fiber analysis and reporting
- Multiple-fiber connectors wizard and reporting

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