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# Benchtop/Rackmount Programmable Switches SB/SC/SCG Series 



## Applications

- Fiberoptic component testing and measurement
- System testing
- Research and development (R\&D)
- Mass reconfiguration of large numbers of inputs/outputs with SCG series (D configuration)
- Connection of multiple wavelength sources to any one of a number of devices with SCG series (F configuration)
- Network monitoring


## Safety Information

- Complies to CE requirements plus UL3101-1 and CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 1010.1

Key Features
SB and SC series

- SB series can accommodate up to 48 channels and offer up to two input channels
- SC series can accommodate up to 180 channels and offer up to four input channels
- Low IL, 0.4 dB typical
- Excellent repeatability, $+/-0.003 \mathrm{~dB}$ typical
- High return loss (RL) > 65 dB typical
- GPIB and RS-232 remote control


## SCG series

- Offer up to 45 input channels and 90 output channels
- Mass input reconfiguration possible
- Low IL, 0.5 dB typical for D configuration
- High RL > 65 dB typical
- Excellent repeatability, $+/-0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ typical
- Replaces multiple switch elements with one switch instrument

The JDSU SB, SC, and SCG series of Benchtop/Rackmount Programmable Switches can be controlled using the front panel keys and a numeric pad or via GPIB and serial RS-232 interface. The SCG series ganged input switches allow a single switch instrument to replace multiple switch elements while maintaining low loss. In this series of switches, the inputs are ganged together in a particular sequence and are thus able to offer three different modes of operation.
The SB, SC, and SCG series switches are available in four basic configurations:

- C configuration - is a single common input model ( $\mathrm{SB}, \mathrm{SC} \mathrm{)}$
- D configuration - provides simultaneous connection of a bank of input fibers to output fibers (SB, SC, SCG)
- E configuration - allows any input to be connected to any output while other inputs/outputs are aligned to subsequent/adjacent channels. The switch is non-blocking in this mode and other inputs/outputs are aligned (SB, SC, SCG)
- F configuration - enables one of the inputs to be aligned with an output in a blocking sense, with a result in reduction of available output channels and a low-loss M x N blocking switch. (SB, SC, SCG)

Operation of these switches is based upon JDSU's proven expanded beam lens technology, which utilizes a precision stepper-motor to align optical channels. The use of collimating lenses minimizes insertion loss (IL) and improves repeatability and performance. Internal temperature control of the switching mechanism ensures excellent operational stability.

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Both single-mode (SM) and multimode (MM) versions of the SB, SC, and SCG series switches are available. The series features the high level of performance required for multi-unit testing in $\mathrm{R} \& \mathrm{D}$ and in manufacturing environments. The compact, portable SB switch and the standard rackmount enclosure SC and SCG switches are highly suited for applications in telecommunications, manufacturing, and test environments.

JDSU's SB, SC and SCG switches are known in the fiberoptic industry for their low IL and excellent repeatability. In addition to the many standard options available, we also customize switches in this series to meet your specific application needs.

## Configurations



1x N Switching: C Configuration (SB and SC)
The $1 x N$ configuration allows a single common input to be switched to any of the outputs.


Sequential Switching: E Configuration (SB/SC/SCG)
The MxN configuration aligns any input with any output, while other inputs are aligned to adjacent outputs.


Ganged Switching: D Configuration (SB/SC/SCG)
The MxN configuration allows for mass reconfiguration of optical paths. It provides simultaneous connections of a bank of inputs to outputs, and replaces several 1 xN with single switch element.


Blocking Switching: F Configuration (SB/SC/SCG)
The MxN configuration allows any one of a bank of inputs to connect with any output with only one active connection at a time.

| SB Model Specifications |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Parameter ${ }^{1}$ | Single Common C Configuration |  | Multiple Common <br> D Configuration |  | Multiple Common $E$ and $F$ Configurations |  |
|  | Typical | Maximum | Typical | Maximum | Typical | Maximum |
| Insertion loss (IL) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Single-mode (SM) | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB |
| Multimode (MM) | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB |
| Return loss (RL) ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SM standard/analog | $\geq 65 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 60/65 dB | $\geq 65 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 60/65 dB | 65 dB | 60 dB |
| $\mathrm{MM}^{3}$ standard/analog | $25 / 35 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 20/30 dB | 25/35 dB | 20/30 dB | $>25 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 20 dB |
| Polarization dependent loss (PDL) SM | 0.02 dB | 0.05 dB | 0.02 dB | 0.05 dB | 0.03 dB | 0.07 dB |
| IL stability ${ }^{4}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Repeatability ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sequential switching | $\pm 0.003 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Random switching | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.025 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.02 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.04 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.02 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.04 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Crosstalk (maximum) SM |  |  | -80 |  |  |  |
| Maximum input power (optical) |  |  | 300 m |  |  |  |
| Lifetime |  |  | $>80$ millio | ycles |  |  |
| Switching time |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| One channel | 300 ms |  |  |  |  |  |
| Each additional channel | 12 ms |  |  |  |  |  |
| Power supply | 100 to $240 \mathrm{~V}, 50$ to 60 Hz |  |  |  |  |  |
| Power consumption | 100 V A maximum |  |  |  |  |  |
| Control | Local and remote via GPIB and serial RS-232 interfaces |  |  |  |  |  |
| Drivers for external switch modules | Four open collector drivers with maximum 100 mA sink current |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operation temperature | 0 to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage temperature | - 40 to $70{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Humidity | maximum $95 \% \mathrm{RH}$ from 0 to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ non-condensing |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions (W x H x D) | $21.2 \times 8.9 \times 35.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| with rackmount kit (optional) ${ }^{6}$ | $48.3 \times 8.9 \times 35.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Weight | 3.75 kg |  |  |  |  |  |

1. Excluding connectors. All optical measurements taken after temperature has been stabilized for one hour, at ambient (room) conditions.
2. RL specification based on 1 m pigtail length.
3. Values shown for $62.5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ diameter maximum fiber core.
4. Drift of any channel relative to reference channel at $\pm 3^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ deviation of ambient temperature over a seven-day period.
5. Measured between two consecutive readings over 100 cycles.
6. ED000899-A-00 standard rackmount kit, ED000899-A-01 Japan rackmount kit. Requires two kits to mount two units side-by-side.

Please specify part number when ordering (if needed).

| SC and SCG Models Specifications |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Parameter ${ }^{1}$ | Single Common C Configuration (SC model only) |  | Multiple Common <br> D Configuration Typical <br> Maximum |  | Multiple Common E and F Configurations Typical Maximum |  |
|  | Typical | Maximum |  |  |  |  |
| IL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SM | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB |
| SC with 3 and 4 inputs and SCG models | - | - | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB | 0.7 dB | 1.5 dB |
| MM | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.4 dB | 0.7 dB | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB |
| SC with 3 and 4 inputs and SCG models | - | - | 0.5 dB | 1.0 dB | 0.7 dB | 1.5 dB |
| $\overline{\mathrm{RL}}{ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SM standard/analog | $\geq 65 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 60/65 dB | $\geq 65 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $60 / 65 \mathrm{~dB}^{3}$ | $\geq 65 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 60 dB |
| $\mathrm{MM}^{4}$ standard/analog | $25 / 35 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 20/30 dB | $25 / 35 \mathrm{~dB}^{3}$ | $20 / 30 \mathrm{~dB}^{3}$ | $>25 \mathrm{~dB}$ | 20 dB |
| PDL SM | 0.02 dB | 0.05 dB | 0.02 dB | 0.05 dB | 0.03 dB | 0.07 dB |
| IL stability ${ }^{5}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.03 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Repeatability ${ }^{7}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sequential switching | $\pm 0.003 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.005 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Random switching | $\pm 0.01 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.025 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.02 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.04 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.02 \mathrm{~dB}$ | $\pm 0.04 \mathrm{~dB}$ |
| Crosstalk (maximum) SM | -800 mW |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum input power (optical) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lifetime | $>80$ million cycles ( $>10$ million cycles on SCG) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Switching time |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| One channel (SCG model) | 300 ms ( 420 ms ) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Each additional channel (SCG model) | $12 \mathrm{~ms} \mathrm{(20} \mathrm{ms)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Power supply | 100 to $240 \mathrm{~V}, 50$ to 60 Hz |  |  |  |  |  |
| Power consumption | 100 V A maximum |  |  |  |  |  |
| Control | Local and remote via GPIB and serial RS-232 interfaces |  |  |  |  |  |
| Drivers for external switch modules | Four open collector drivers with maximum 100 mA sink current |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operation temperature | 0 to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage temperature | -40 to $70{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Humidity | Maximum $95 \% \mathrm{RH}$ from 0 to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ non-condensing |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions (W x H x D) single (double height ${ }^{\text {) }}$ | $48 \times 13 \times 37 \mathrm{~cm}$ ( $48 \times 26.6 \times 37 \mathrm{~cm}$ ) excluding handles |  |  |  |  |  |
| Weight single (double height ${ }^{6}$ ) | 9 kg (14 kg) |  |  |  |  |  |

1. Excluding connectors. All optical measurements taken after temperature has been stabilized for one hour, at ambient (room) conditions.
2. RL specification based on 1 m pigtail length.
3. Analog version available on one and two input SC model switches ( C and D configurations).
4. Values shown for $62.5 \mu \mathrm{~m}$ diameter maximum fiber core.
5. Drift of any channel relative to reference channel at $\pm 3^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ deviation of ambient temperature over a seven-day period.
6. Applies to SC model only.
7. Measured between two consecutive readings over 100 cycles.

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## SB Switch Configuration

| Configuration | C | D | E | F |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | $\mathbf{1 x N}$ | $\mathbf{2 x N}$ | $\mathbf{2 x N}$ | $\mathbf{2 x N}$ |
| Output Channel <br> Counts (N) | 2 to 48 | 4 to 44 | 2 to 44 | 2 to 20 |


| SC Switch Configuration |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Configuration | C | D | D | D | E | E | E | F | F | F |
|  | 1 xN | 2xN | $3 \times N$ | 4xN | 2xN | 3 xN | 4xN | 2xN | $3 \times N$ | 4xN |
| Output Channel Counts (N) | 2 to 180 | 4 to 180 | 6 to 180 | 8 to 180 | 2 to 180 | 3 to 180 | 4 to 180 | 2 to 90 | 3 to 60 | 4 to 45 |

## SCG Switch Configurations

## Configuration Restrictions

D: Up to $45 \times 90$ such that 'number of outputs' [ N ] is divisible by 'number of inputs' [M]
E: Up to 45 inputs [ M ] and up to 84 outputs [ N ], such that $\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{N}$ is not more than 90
F: Up to 13 inputs [M] and up to 14 outputs [ N ], such that $\mathrm{Mx}(\mathrm{N}+1)$ is not more than 93


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## Ordering Information

SB Model Sample: SB2E10141+27XF000FP


SB Switch Package Information

| Connector Type | Chassis Size | Switch Configuration | Max Channel Counts (input + output) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bulkhead | $2 U$ bench top | $C, D, E$ | 24 |
| Bulkhead | $2 U$ bench top | $F$ | 22 |
| Pigtail | $2 U$ bench top | $C, D$ | 49 |
| Pigtail | $2 U$ bench top | $F$ | 22 |

If the configurations available do not meet your performance requirements, please contact our global sales and customer service team to discuss the potential for specialized solutions.

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SC Model Sample: SC2D30043+22XB009FP


1. Bulkheads and pigtails cannot be mixed in the same panel unless custom ordered.
2. Single height: 84 output channel maximum. Double height: 180 output channel maximum.
3. For reverse direction, use bidirectional.

SC Switch Package Information

| Connector Type | Chassis Size | Switch Configuration | Max Channel Counts (input + output) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bulkhead | $3 \cup 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E$ | 60 |
| Pigtail | $3 \cup 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E$ | 85 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $3 \cup 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 2 \times N$ | 46 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $3 \cup 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 3 \times N$ | 29 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $3 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 4 \times N$ | 24 |
| Bulkheads | $6 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E$ | 120 |
| Pigtails | $6 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E$ | 181 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $6 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 2 \times N$ | 92 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $6 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 3 \times N$ | 63 |
| Bulkhead / Pigtail | $6 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $F 4 \times N$ | 49 |



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## SCG Model Sample: SCG06D20241+27XF000FP



| Code | Input Port Type $^{1}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Bulkheads on front $^{2}$ |
| 2 | Bulkheads on back $^{2}$ |
| 4 | Pigtails on back |

1. The inputs and outputs must exit on opposite sides. (For example, if inputs exit from the front, then the outputs must exit from the rear.)
2. For exact layout of bulkheads and labeling, contact JDSU.
3. For reverse direction, use bidirectional.

SCG Switch Package Information

| Connector Type | Chassis Size | Switch Configuration | Max Channel Counts (input + output) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bulkhead | $3 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E, F$ | 60 front panel; 60 rear panel |
| Pigtail | $3 U 19^{\prime \prime}$ rack mount | $C, D, E, F$ | 90 front panel; 90 rear panel |



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