Huawei Switch Fiber Optic Connection Method



Overview

Connect optical fibers to the optical modules on the device, matching the numbers on the optical fibers to those on the ports.

Key Takeaways

Huawei switch fiber optic interfaces can be connected using optical modules, fiber jumpers, or active optical cables (AOCs), with proper selection of fiber type, connector, and interface configuration. Types of Fiber Connections1. Active Optical Cables (AOCs): AOCs are fixed-length optical fibers with optical modules at both ends and can be directly connected to the optical ports of Huawei switches.

They are suitable for short-distance connections and can replace separate optical modules and fiber jumpers. 2. Fiber Jumpers: Fiber jumpers connect an optical module to a fiber terminal box.

The type of fiber jumper must match the optical module: use single-mode fiber jumpers for single-mode modules and multimode fiber jumpers for multimode modules. The length should be determined based on onsite cabling distance, and the connector type must match the interface type. 3.

Fiber Pigtails: Fiber pigtails are used to connect optical fibers to optical modules in fiber terminal boxes, typically for short-distance connections. They are available in single-mode and multimode types.

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Optical Module Considerations

Ensure compatibility between fiber type and optical module. Single-mode fibers cannot be used with multimode modules and vice versa. Do not use an optical module with a higher rate than the interface supports (e.g., avoid using a 10G module on a 1G port),.

Check the wavelength, received, and transmitted optical power using commands like display transceiver interface xgigabitethernet 0/0/2 verbose to ensure normal operation.

Combo Interface Configuration

Huawei switches with Combo interfaces allow a single logical interface to operate in either electrical or optical mode, but not both simultaneously. To switch to optical mode: Enter system view on the switch. Execute the command combo enable fiber to activate the optical interface.

Use undo combo enable fiber to revert to the electrical interface. Ensure the same configuration is applied on the peer device. After switching, insert a compatible GE SFP optical module to establish the connection.

Interface Split and High-

Bandwidth Connections

For high-bandwidth interfaces (e.g., 40GE on CX320 switches), the interface can be split into multiple low-bandwidth interfaces. Connections can be made using: 1-to-4 high-speed cables or 1-to-4 AOCs without optical modules. 1-to-4 optical modules and fiber for remote 10GE interfaces, ensuring wavelength compatibility.

Best Practices

Wear an anti-static wrist strap when handling optical modules. Verify that the fiber type, connector type, and module type match the switch interface. Perform a loopback test if the port does not light up to check for fiber or module issues.

For stacking switches using optical ports, follow the logical port connection rules (chain for two switches, ring for three or more),. By following these methods, Huawei switch fiber optic interfaces can be connected reliably, ensuring proper data transmission and network stability.

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Connecting Second-Generation Hybrid Cable

Connect the jumper to the corresponding ports on the HDF and hybrid optical-electrical switch. During the connection, ensure that the port numbers on the HDF are the same as those on the switch.

Optical Fiber

The Huawei-developed optical modules of CE series switches support two types of optical connectors: lucent connectors or local connectors (LCs) and Multi-fiber Push On (MPO) connectors.

Connecting Huawei switch to fiber optic cable

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□□ Overview GPON (Gigabit Passive Optical Network) is an advanced fiber-optic communication technology defined by the ITU-T G.984 standard. It delivers high-speed internet, voice (VoIP), and

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Select stack cables before connecting them. For details about the stack cables that apply to different ports on different switch models, see Stack Support and Version Requirements in the product

Installing Optical Modules and Connecting Optical Fibers

This document describes hardware installation procedures of the S12700 series switches, troubleshooting methods for common hardware faults, and switch maintenance instructions.

Optical Fiber

An active optical cable (AOC) is a fixed-length optical fiber with optical modules at both ends. It can be directly connected to an optical port on a device. In short-distance connection scenarios, AOCs can

Connecting Optical Fibers

Before deploying optical fibers, test optical fiber connectivity. Before connecting cables, take ESD protection measures, for example, wear ESD gloves or an ESD wrist strap. Keep signal cables more

Assembling a Hybrid Cable 2.0

Assembling a Hybrid Cable 2.0 Context A hybrid cable is composed of optical fibers and copper cores. It is mainly used to connect a switch to an AP so that the switch can provide PoE power and transmit

Installing an Optical Module

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The optical fiber is used for carrying signals on Gigabit networks or networks with a higher packet rate. The optical fiber connects to the SFP+ or SFP interface on the NIP through an optical module. You

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