

Customization Process for Anti-tracking Micro-Plugs in Optical Splitters for Power Systems



AI Overview

The customization of anti-tracking micro-plugs in optical splitters involves precision microassembly, alignment, bonding, and rigorous testing to ensure high performance and reliability in power systems.

Design and Simulation The process begins with designing the micro-plug and splitter geometry to meet specific optical and electrical requirements. This includes defining the splitting ratios, coupling lengths, and minimum feature sizes for adiabatic or Y-junction splitters, which can range from 140 nm to 200 nm for high-precision devices, ensuring low losses and broad bandwidth performance. Simulation tools are used to optimize taper profiles and waveguide gaps to achieve desired splitting ratios and minimize excess loss.

Micro-Assembly and Component Handling Micro-plugs are fabricated as micro-optical components, often using wafer-based techniques or micro-optics methods such as photoresist reflow for microlenses. The components are then cleaned, prepared, and handled using precision micro-assembly systems. Advanced positioning systems, like those from SmarAct, allow for pick-and-place operations combined with sub-micron alignment, ensuring that micro-plugs are accurately positioned relative to optical fibers or splitter waveguides.

Alignment and Bonding Precise optical alignment is critical to prevent tracking and maintain consistent power distribution. Alignment is typically performed using high-resolution imaging and beam profiling systems, which can detect decentering, surface defects, or upside-down placement of micro-components. Once aligned, components are bonded using adhesive bonding, laser-based soldering, or mechanical clamping, depending on the system requirements. Coatin...

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Fabrication process for the optical splitters, a) CNC

Fabrication process for the optical splitters, a) CNC machining into polymer substrate, b) inserting of standard POF waveguide, c) filling up taper region with

Design and optimization of 1×2 N Y-branch optical splitters for ...

The design and optimization of 1×2 N Y-branch optical splitters for telecom applications is presented, using a waveguide channel profile based on a standard silica-on-silicon material platform

Automated precision and micro assembly

We develop and test prototypes of individual production systems and machine components for the automated assembly of miniaturized laser systems, cameras and optical sensors in medium to large

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Note: the cost of running the entire notebook is larger than 1 FlexCredit. Optical power splitters are essential components in integrated photonics. Power splitters

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