



Brief instruction *FLEXtra*[®] FO 650

Version

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Application and functional description

The FLEXtra® FO is primarily a normal PROFIBUS repeater with the capability of expansion by 2 (with FO-2) or 5 (with FO-5) additional optical MPI/PROFIBUS segments.

It translates an electrical MPI/PROFIBUS interface into an optical MPI/PROFIBUS interface and vice-versa.

It regenerates the edge steepness, level and duty cycle of signals. In addition it brings the advantages of optical signal transfer to the MPI/PROFIBUS network.

FLEXtra® FO 650-2:

Connector type BFOC, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-2AA01

Connector type SMA, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-2BA01

Connector type Versatile Link, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-2CA01

FLEXtra® FO 650-5:

Connector type BFOC, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-5AA01

Connector type SMA, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-5BA01

Connector type Versatile Link, 650 nm, POF/PCF 700-996-5CA01



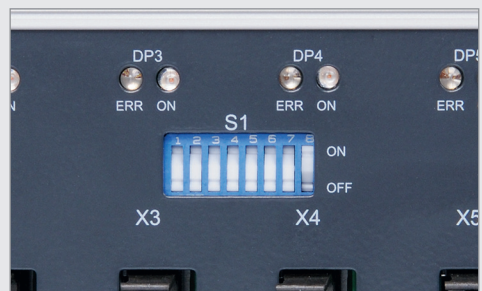
1. The FLEXtra® FO is suitable for mounting on a DIN rail. It is engaged as shown in the picture.



2. A DIP switch is installed for deactivating the repeat function on the individual ports.

Furthermore, the DIP switch DIP 4 (FO-2) or DIP 7 (FO-5), can be used as the ON / OFF switch for all segments.

With optical ports, switching off a port does not mean that the send diode (Tx) is switched off, rather that the port can no longer receive data at the Rx input. Hence the repeater function of the port is deactivated.



3. If port X1 of the FLEXtra® FO is at the start or end of a segment then termination on the PROFIBUS connector must be switched on (ON).

If port X1 of the FLEXtra® FO is in the middle of a segment then termination on the PROFIBUS connector must be switched off (OFF).

The PROFIBUS is connected to the FLEXtra® FO via the SUB-D female connector. Connection of the optical segment is, dependent on type, via BFOC, SMA or Versatile Link connectors.

Termination is not required for the optical ports.



4. Connect the optical fibre cables to ports X2–X5 of the device. The following fibres can be used:

- **Polymeric Optical Fibre (POF):**

- 980/1000 μm
- Wavelength: 650 nm
- Loss approx 160 db/km

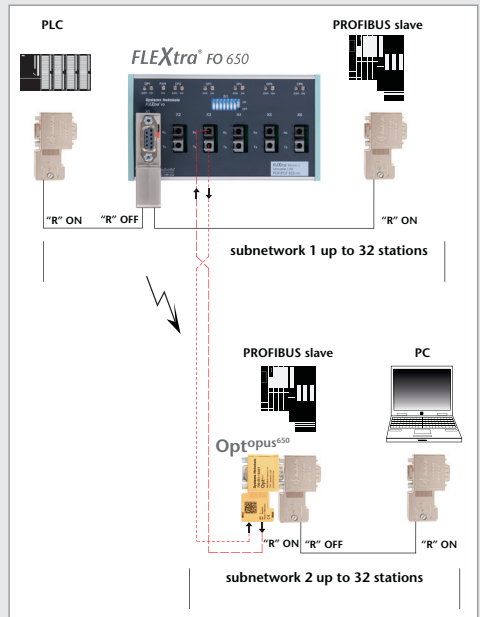
- **Polymer Cladded Fibre (PCF):**

- 200/230 μm
- Wavelength: 650 nm
- Loss approx 10 db/km

Note: If raw cable is to be used, please carry out steps A to C (PTO).

Connect the optical ports via a CROSS-OVER connection i.e. TxD fibre of the other end to the RxD connector of the FLEXtra® FO.

Connect RxD fibre of the other end to the TxD connector of the FLEXtra® FO.



Technical Data FLEXtra® FO 650-2

Dimensions in mm (D x W x H)	35 x 70 x 72
Weight	approx. 125 g
Power supply	
• Voltage	+18 ... 30 V DC
• Electrical isolation	500 V
• Current consumption	
· incl. 5V-consumer load	max. 200 mA
· incl. 24V-consumer load	max. 400 mA

Technical Data FLEXtra® FO 650-5

Dimensions in mm (D x W x H)	35 x 137 x 72
Weight	ca. 250 g
Power supply	
• Voltage	+18 ... 30 V DC
• Electrical isolation	500 V
• Current consumption	
· incl. 5V-consumer load	max. 400 mA
· incl. 24V-consumer load	max. 600 mA

Technical Data both FLEXtra® FO

Output voltage port X1	
• Voltage 1	5 V, max. 150 mA
• Voltage 2	+18 ... 30 V DC, max. 200 mA (like supply voltage)
Permitted ambient conditions	
• Ambient temperature in operation	0 °C ... +60 °C
• Transport and storage temperature	-25 °C ... +75 °C
PROFIBUS interface	
Transmission rate	9.6 19.2 45.45 93.75 187.5 500 Kbps 1.5 3 6 and 12 Mbps automatic detection
Protocol PROFIBUS DP	according to EN 61 158-2:2011-09
Connection socket	
Port X1	SUB-D 9-pin
Port X2–X5	BFOC, SMA, Versatile Link
Special features	Quality assurance according to ISO 9001:2008
Maintenance	maintenance-free, no battery
Optical interface	
Wavelength	650 nm
Numerical aperture transmit diode	0.50
Launchable optical output power / receiver sensitivity	
• POF 980/1000 μm	-7.5 dBm/-20 dBm
• PCF 200/230 μm	-18 dBm/-22 dBm
Over modulation limit receiver	-3 dBm
Bridgeable range	
• POF 980/1000 μm (160 dB/km)	up to 65 m
• PCF 200/230 μm (10 dB/km)	up to 250 m

A) Cutting the fibre

Slide the fibre into an opening of the cutting tool and press the blade down.

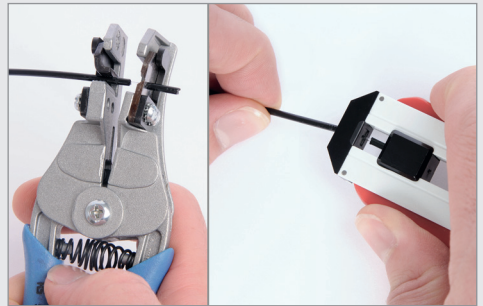
Note: each opening of the cutting tool may only be used for one cut of a cable.

**B) Removing the Fibre Cladding**

The length of fibre cladding to be removed is dependent on the type of fibre.

Versatile Link: approx. 3 mm
SMA: approx. 6 mm
BFOC: approx. 11 mm

Note: Only use the specially designed tool (not a copper cable stripper) as otherwise the cladding of the cable can be damaged leading to higher losses in the connector and thereby to reduced range of the cable.

**C) Connecting the connector to the fibre**

BFOC/SMA connector:

Slide the connector over the fibre and screw the connector housing on with the lock nut.

Versatile Link connector:

Slide the connector onto the fibre and press the housing sides together until they lock.

Note: When attaching the connectors, make sure that the fiber ends flush with the connector at the front. The transmit or receive diode may be damaged if the fiber protrudes.

Fixing the fiber too far inward can result in increased attenuation, shortening the transmission range of the system.



SMA connector


























BFOC connector



Versatile Link connector

LED description

	LED			DIP switch	
	PWR	DP 1-6		1-3 (FO-2) 1-6 (FO-5)	deactivated 4 (FO-2) 7 (FO-5)
	-ON-	-ERR-	-ON-		
Baud rate is detected, the FLEXtra® FO is restarted				ON	ON
Automatic restart e.g. in the case of signal loss				ON	ON
FLEXtra® FO ready for operation, baud rate detected				ON	ON
Segment switched off				OFF	ON
Repeat function deactivated for all segments				ON	OFF
Repeat function deactivated for all segments + individual segments				OFF	OFF
Invalid telegrams are received				ON	ON
Port X1: there is a short circuit Port X2–X5: there is a continuous light signal (no data is being received)				ON	ON
Data is being received				ON	ON

Legend



LED flashes slowly



LED ON



LED flashes quickly



LED OFF

Note: if no baud rate is detected, the FLEXtra® FO restarts every 8 seconds. The restart takes approx. 2 seconds.

FLEXtra® FO 2: DIP switch 5 is for future features and is currently not used.

FLEXtra® FO 5: DIP switch 8 is for future features and is currently not used.

Note

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