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# Santac OTF-920 Optical tunable bandpass filter 1525 ~ 1570nm

Santac Optical Attenuators. Resolution: 0.01 nm, Accuracy:  $\pm 0.1$  nm max, Bandwidth:  $0.7 \pm 0.1$  nm or  $0.95 \pm 0.1$  nm (typical).



MODEL

**Santac OTF-920**

CALIBRATION

**Available on request**

CONDITION

**Used**

STATUS

**In stock**

RFQ / SKU

**OTF-920**

LISTING

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## This unit

The Santac OTF-920 is a programmable optical tunable bandpass filter that delivers precise wavelength selection and signal filtering across the C-band telecommunications window. Built on multilayer dielectric interference filters and Santec's patented linear sliding tuning method, it maintains stable bandwidth, insertion loss, and polarization dependent loss across its entire tuning range. The dual-slider configuration enables independent control of two optical channels, supporting continuous 80 nm tuning, split-band operation, or combined wavelength and power management through integrated variable attenuators. Technical Specifications Tuning Range: Slider 1: 1530–1570 nm | Slider 2: 1570–1610 nm | Combined: up to 80 nm Wavelength Resolution: 0.01 nm Wavelength Accuracy:  $\pm 0.1$  nm max Wavelength Repeatability:  $\pm 0.05$  nm max  $-3$  dB Bandwidth:  $0.7 \pm 0.1$  nm or  $0.95 \pm 0.1$  nm (typical)  $-20$  dB Bandwidth:  $< 7.5$  nm or  $< 9.8$  nm (typical) Insertion Loss:  $< 3.5$  dB max Polarization Dependent Loss:  $< 0.1$  dB (SMF) Polarization Mode

Dispersion: 45 dB Maximum Input Power: +20 dBm Filter Type: Multilayer dielectric interference  
Tuning Method: Patented linear sliding technologyKey Features Dual independently tunable sliders  
accommodate bandpass filters or variable attenuators Configurable bandwidth control via  
spectral response summation (example: 2.0 nm typical with dual 1.2 nm filters at 0.8 nm spacing)  
Wavelength-independent optical properties maintain consistent performance across tuning range  
Peak search function enables automatic signal optimization Automatic Power Control (APC) mode  
maintains constant output level Remote control via GPIB and RS-232C interfacesTypical  
Applications Optical communications and wavelength-selective signal processing Optical  
spectrum analysis and filter characterization Fiber optic sensing systems requiring tunable  
bandpass filteringCompatibility & Integration Communication Interfaces: GPIB, RS-232C Optical  
Connector: FC/SPC (front) Weight: 15 lbs (approximate)

## Features & description

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From manufacturer datasheet

### Features

- Linear-sliding multilayer dielectric tunable bandpass filter
- Catalog tuning window for this unit: approximately 1525–1570 nm (single-slider C-band class; Artisan example OTF-920S303: 1525–1573 nm)
- Wavelength resolution: 0.01 nm (published OTF-920 configurations)
- Wavelength accuracy:  $< \pm 0.1$  nm; repeatability:  $< \pm 0.05$  nm
- Max input power:  $< +20$  dBm
- Return loss:  $> 45$  dB
- PMD:  $< 0.1$  ps
- PDL (SMF): typically  $< 0.1$  dB (1-stage examples) to  $< 0.2$  dB (2-stage examples)
- Peak search function; GPIB and RS-232C remote interfaces
- Bandwidth / IL depend on ordered filter type and stage count

## OTF920 Characteristics / Specifications

| PARAMETER                           | VALUE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Model                               | OTF-920                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Manufacturer                        | Santec                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Instrument Type                     | Programmable Optical Tunable Bandpass Filter                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Alias                               | OTF-920; Santac OTF-920 Optical (representative published configurations)                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Tuning Range (this listing)         | 1525 ~ 1570 nm class                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Wavelength Resolution               | 0.01 nm (published OTF-920 configurations)                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Wavelength Accuracy                 | < $\pm 0.1$ nm; repeatability: < $\pm 0.05$ nm                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Wavelength Repeatability            | < $\pm 0.05$ nm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Maximum Input Power                 | < +20 dBm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Return Loss                         | > 45 dB                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| PMD                                 | < 0.1 ps                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| PDL (SMF)                           | < 0.1 dB (typ. 1-stage listings) / < 0.2 dB (typ. 2-stage listings) Example 1-stage profile (dealer-published OTF-920) -3 dB Bandwidth: $0.7 \pm 0.1$ nm (typ) or $0.95 \pm 0.1$ nm (typ) depending on filter code -20 dB Bandwidth: < 7.5 nm (typ) to < 9.8 nm (typ) |
| Insertion Loss                      | < 5.5 dB max Connectors Front fiber connectors per configuration (FC/SPC or FC/APC common) Standard Operating Conditions Observe max +20 dBm input. Verify engraved tuning range and filter-stage code on the unit; bandwidth and IL are configuration-specific.      |
| Catalog tuning window for this unit | approximately 1525–1570 nm (single-slider C-band class; Artisan example OTF-920S303: 1525–1573 nm)                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Max input power                     | < +20 dBm                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Bandwidth                           | are configuration-dependent. Remote control via GPIB and RS-232C is supported. (Catalog brand "Santac" is the Santec OTF-920.)                                                                                                                                        |

# Full OEM specifications

Complete technical content extracted from the manufacturer datasheet. Sparse OEM tables are reconstructed as tables below; other text is preserved as paragraphs.

Specifications

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| PARAMETER       | VALUE                                        |
|-----------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Model           | OTF-920                                      |
| Manufacturer    | Santec                                       |
| Instrument Type | Programmable Optical Tunable Bandpass Filter |
| Alias           | OTF-920; Santac OTF-920                      |

Optical (representative published configurations)

Specifications

| PARAMETER                   | VALUE                                                               |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Tuning Range (this listing) | 1525 ~ 1570 nm class                                                |
| Wavelength Resolution       | 0.01 nm                                                             |
| Wavelength Accuracy         | < ±0.1 nm                                                           |
| Wavelength Repeatability    | < ±0.05 nm                                                          |
| Maximum Input Power         | < +20 dBm                                                           |
| Return Loss                 | > 45 dB                                                             |
| PMD                         | < 0.1 ps                                                            |
| PDL (SMF)                   | < 0.1 dB (typ. 1-stage listings) / < 0.2 dB (typ. 2-stage listings) |

Example 1-stage profile (dealer-published OTF-920)

-3 dB Bandwidth: 0.7 ± 0.1 nm (typ) or 0.95 ± 0.1 nm (typ) depending on filter code

-20 dB Bandwidth: < 7.5 nm (typ) to < 9.8 nm (typ)

Insertion Loss: < 3.5 dB max

Example 2-stage profile (dealer-published OTF-920)

-3 dB Bandwidth: 0.65 ± 0.1 nm (typ); Artisan 0.3 nm (-3 dB) filter-type "03" also documented

-20 dB Bandwidth: < 3.0 nm (typ)

Insertion Loss: < 5.5 dB max

Connectors

Front fiber connectors per configuration (FC/SPC or FC/APC common)

Standard Operating Conditions

Observe max +20 dBm input. Verify engraved tuning range and filter-stage code on the unit; bandwidth and IL are configuration-specific.

Operational Notes

Dual-slider instruments may cover ~1530-1570 nm and ~1570-1610 nm on separate sliders. Match the faceplate range to the catalog 1525-1570 nm listing before use.

### Available from Aumictech

Used and refurbished unit evaluated in-house. Calibration: Available on request. Used · In stock.

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