

**Applications:**

- optical sensing
- optical coherence tomography
- optical measurements

**Features:**

- flat spectrum with very small Fabry-Perot modulation depth
- maximum parasitic secondary coherence subpeaks intensity below -20 dB (10 log)

**Packages:** Butterfly

**Additional & customized:**

- PD monitors
- PM fiber pigtails, polarized or pseudo-depolarized\* output
- FC/APC terminated pigtails

\* Light is launched into the fiber with its polarization oriented at 45° to the birefringent axes

**Specifications (Nominal Emitter Stabilization Temperature +20 °C)**

Parameter	Min	Typ.	Max
Output power ex SM fiber, mW	0.75	1.0	–
Forward current, mA	–	550	650
Forward voltage, V	–	1.8	2.2
Peak wavelength, nm	–	1180	–
Spectrum width, nm	25	30	–
Residual spectral modulation depth, %	–	2.0	5.0
Secondary coherence subpeaks, dB (10 log)	–	-25	-20
Polarization ratio	–	3.0	–
Operating temperature (case), °C	-55	–	+60
Cooler current, A	–	–	2.5
Cooler voltage, V	–	–	3.8

The following part numbers should be used when **ordering**:

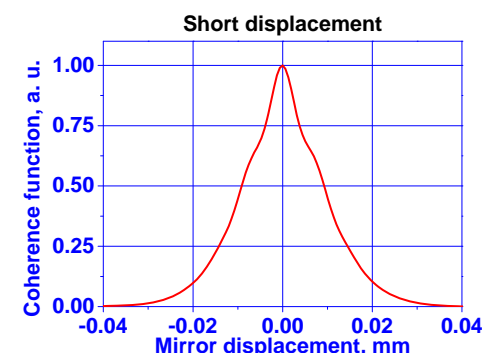
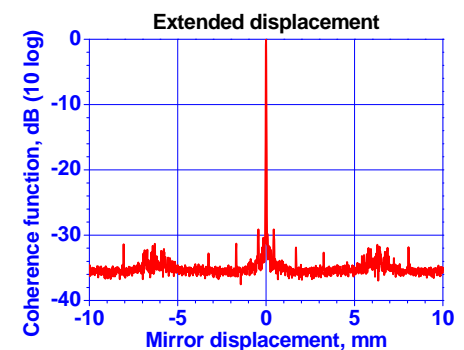
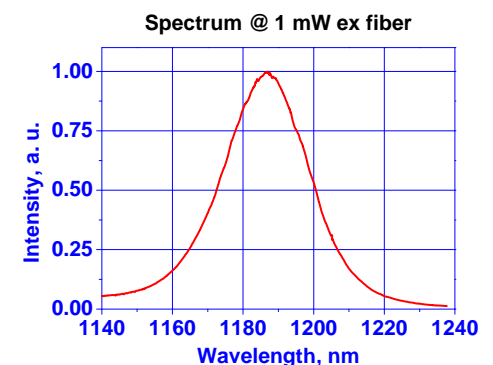
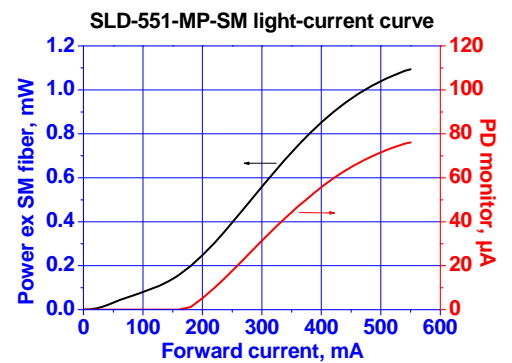
SLD-551-MP-(c)-(d)-(e),  
where:

- (c) – package type,
- (d) – SM (isotropic) or PM (polarization maintain),
- (e) – PD (monitoring photodiode).

Example: SLD-551-MP-DBUT-SM-PD.

All specifications are subject to change without notice.

**PERFORMANCE EXAMPLES**



Mirror displacement = Optical path difference / 2