

Best Paper Award in Industry Innovation Nomination

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Ultra-Low-Loss Fusion Splicing of Anti-Resonant Hollow-Core Fiber Enabled by Dual-Beam CO₂ Laser Processing

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Dual-beam CO₂ laser splicing of anti-resonant hollow-core fibres achieves record-low 0.01 dB insertion loss and 263.1 gf mechanical strength, overcoming arc-splicing thermal limits to enable scalable hollow-core fibre integration in optical networks.

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Mode-Hop-Free Electro-Optic Synchronous Tuning in an Integrated Vernier Laser

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We demonstrate a hybrid integrated Vernier laser on lithium tantalate on insulator with electro-optic synchronous tuning, achieving a 34.2 GHz chirp bandwidth at 1 MHz chirp rate with under 1% root-mean-square nonlinearity without predistortion.

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A 4×128 Gbps 7.8pJ/b Compact Integrated Transmitter with Silicon Slow-Light Modulator

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A 4-channel high-speed hybrid-integrated transmitter for LPO is designed in 90 nm SiGe BiCMOS and 300 nm SiPh, consisting of a linear driver wire-bonded to a co-design silicon slow-light MZM. Measurement results demonstrate 128 Gbps per channel PAM-4 optical eye diagrams.

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Monolithic SiN Passive Front-End for Polarization-Insensitive CWDM Applications

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We present a monolithic SiN passive platform for CPO, integrating ECs, PSRs, CWDM filters, and VCs in a 400-nm SiN layer via 12-inch CMOS. Wafer results: EC 1.7 dB (0.3 dB PDL), PSR PER 16.6 dB (loss 0.2 dB), CWDM loss 1.2 dB (crosstalk -14 dB), VC 44.1 mdB. SiN enables heater-free operation.

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Online Scheduling of Path-Coupled Key for Heterogeneous Services in Optical Satellite Networks

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Physical-layer key generation supplies link-local keys but suffers intermittent, path-coupled availability. We propose an SLA-aware online scheduler integrating credit allocation, reservation, and virtual queues, reducing security-sensitive PLKG-support miss rates from 94.2% to 50.3% in simulation.

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14.6-Tb/s GMI with 400G-per-channel Direct-Detection Optical Interconnects over 25-km AR-HCF

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We leverage the ultralow nonlinearity of anti-resonant hollow-core fiber to unlock launch power bottleneck for XPM-free massively-parallel DWDM transmission, enabling 400G-per-channel Kramers-Kronig direct detection with 17.4-Tb/s line rate and 14.6-Tb/s GMI-estimated capacity over 25 km.

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MoSE: Mode-Switching Expander for Mixed LLM Training and Inference

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We propose MoSE, a mode-switching optical expander that reallocates a fixed-degree edge budget between P-D-biased and uniform topologies, reducing communication cost for mixed LLM inference and training without additional ports or routing-policy changes.

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Low-Complexity 1-Order IIR Notch Filter for Efficient DC Leakage Frequency Estimation and Removal with 8.4-dB Tolerance Gain in 200G Upstream Coherent TDM-PON

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We propose a DC leakage tracking and removal scheme with accurate frequency estimation and low-complexity notch filter for 200G upstream coherent TDM-PON. 6-dB power budget gain and 8.4-dB DC leakage tolerance improvement are experimentally achieved.

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First Real-time 128Tb/s and 256Tb/s Unrepeated Field Trial using 400Gbps and 800Gbps OTN transponders over Field-deployed 137.76-km Ultra-low-loss Multi-core Fiber Link

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First real-time unrepeated 137.76-km field trial over field-deployed ultra-low-loss large-effective-area 4-core fiber cable using 400Gbps and 800Gbps backbone OTN transponders is demonstrated, which achieves bit rates of 128Tb/s and 256Tb/s respectively.

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Real-time $24\lambda \times 1.6$ Tb/s Transmission over 960km G.652.D Fiber on Super C Band Using 230 Gbaud 64-QAM-PCS Signals

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We demonstrate a real-time 1.6-Tb/s 230-Gbaud dual-subcarrier WDM system over 960-km G.652.D fiber using EDFAs. All 24 channels achieve error-free operation with 1.2-dB OSNR margin ($\sigma=0.28$), marking the first demonstration to simultaneously achieve 1.6 Tb/s and 900 km.

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Low-Complexity Cascaded Error Feedback Noise Shaping with Residual In-Band Noise Suppression Achieving Over 10 dB SNR Gain for Fronthaul

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We propose a low-complexity 2-bit cascaded error feedback noise shaping (CEFNS) scheme. By using simple-structured FIR filters, a 2-GHz 65536-QAM signal is delivered at 69.2 dB SNR, showing ~10 dB gain over single-stage 2-bit EFNS.

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Coherent Receiver Utilizing Real-Time OPLL with Doppler Shift Resistance for Low-power Consumption Inter-satellite Laser Communication

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This paper designs a coherent receiver based on a delay-XOR phase frequency detector. It tracks a 100 MHz/s Doppler ramp rate, achieving -36.5 dBm sensitivity for 40 Gbps QPSK at the FEC BER threshold of $3.8e-3$.

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SIRT-Based Tomographic Reconstruction of Refractive Index Profiles in Specialty Sensing Fibers with Non-Circular Claddings

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We propose a tomographic method based on a simultaneous iterative reconstruction technique with phase-domain alignment for refractive index profiling of non-circular cladding fibers. By eliminating the circular symmetry assumptions required by conventional methods, it achieves accurate reconstruction of D-shaped fibers under mechanical jitter, with superior accuracy for sensor metrology.

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Fully On-Chip Ultra-Wideband Simultaneous Measurement of Doppler-Frequency-Shift and Angle-of-Arrival System

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We demonstrate a fully on-chip ultra-wideband microwave photonic system for the simultaneous measurement of DFS and AOA, achieving precise measurements with DFS errors within ± 0.03 Hz and AOA errors within $\pm 2^\circ$ for a range of $-90^\circ - 90^\circ$ in 2–40 GHz frequency band.

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All-Optical Suppression of Exciton Fine-Structure Splitting in a Semiconductor Quantum Dot under Continuous-Wave Two-Photon Resonant Excitation

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We suppress quantum dot fine-structure splitting via optical Stark effect under continuous-wave two-photon excitation, reducing it to 0.26 μeV . This all-optical approach holds promise for realizing high-fidelity entangled photon sources without external fields.

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