

### RQDD-400G-EDR4

# 400Gbps QSFP-DD EDR4 2KM EML MPO transceiver

### 1. General description

RQD-400G-EDR4 is a 400 Gbps Quad Small Form Factor Pluggable-Double Density (QSFP-DD) optical transceiver designed for 2km optical communication applications.

### 2. Features

- ◆ IEEE 802.3bs Specification compliant
- QSFP-DD MSA compliant
- 4x106.25 Gbps PAM4 optical interface
- 8x53.125 Gbps PAM4 electrical interface
- I2C interface with integrated DDM
- Up to 2km transmission distance on single mode fiber (SMF) with FEC
- upply voltage: 3.3 V
- Maximum power consumption: 12 W
- MTP/MPO-12 connector
- Operating case temperature: 0 to 70 ° C
- RoHS compliant

# 3. Applications

- 400G Ethernet
- Datacenter enterprise networking

## 4. Functional description

The module incorporates 4 parallel channels on 1310 nm center wavelength operating at 100 Gbps per channel. The transmitter path incorporates a quad channel electroabsorption modulated laser (EML) driver together with 4 parallel EMLs. On the receiver path, 4 photodiodes (PDs) are connected with a quad channel transmission impedance amplifier (TIA) to convert the parallel 400 Gbps optical input into 4 channels of parallel 100Gbps PAM4 electrical signals. A digital signal processor (DSP) is used to convert 8 channels of 25 GBaud PAM4 signals into 4 channels of 50 GBaud PAM4 signals and also an 8-channel retimer and forward error corrector (FEC) block are integrated in this DSP. The electrical interface is compliant with IEEE 802.3bs and QSFP-DD MSA in the





transmitting and receiving directions, and the optical interface is compliant to QSFP-DD MSA with MTP/MPO-12 connector.

A single +3.3 V power supply is required to power up this product. As per MSA specifications, the module offers 7 low speed hardware control pins: SCL, SDA, ModSelL, ResetL, LPMode/TxDis, ModPrsL and IntL/RxLOSL. SCL and SDA are a 2-wire serial interface between the host and module using the I2C protocol. SCL is defined as the serial interface clock signal and SDA as the serial interface data signal. Both signals are opendrain and require pull-up resistors to +3.3 V on the host side. The pull-up resistor value should be 4.7 kohms to 10 kohms.

ModSelL is an input pin. When held low by the host, this product responds to 2-wire serial communication commands. ResetL is a signal that allows the host to reset the module. A low level on the ResetL signal for longer than the minimum pulse length initiates a complete module reset, returning all user module settings to their default state. LPMode/TxDis is an input signal from the host operating with active high logic. If this pin is "high", the module enters a low-power state. ModPrsL is used to indicate whether the module is plugged in on the connector, ModPrsL is pulled low when inserted and released to high when it is physically absent from the host connector. IntL/RxLOSL pin is used as interruption. When "Low", it indicates a possible module operational fault, such as alarm and warning.

## 5. Absolute maximum ratings

It has to be noted that the operation in excess of any individual absolute maximum ratings might cause permanent damage to this module.

| Parameter                            | Symbol | Min  | Max | Unit | Note |
|--------------------------------------|--------|------|-----|------|------|
| Storage Temperature                  | TS     | -40  | 85  | °C   |      |
| Operating Case Temperature           | TOP    | 0    | 70  | °C   |      |
| Power Supply Voltage                 | vcc    | -0.5 | 3.6 | V    |      |
| Relative Humidity (non-condensation) | RH     | 0    | 85  | %    |      |

# 6. Recommended operating conditions

| Parameter                  | Symbol | Min | Typical | Max | Unit | Note |
|----------------------------|--------|-----|---------|-----|------|------|
| Operating Case Temperature | TOP    | 0   |         | 70  | °C   |      |



| Power Supply Voltage     | vcc | 3.135 | 3.3 | 3.465                | V  |   |
|--------------------------|-----|-------|-----|----------------------|----|---|
| Power Consumption        |     |       |     | 12                   | W  |   |
| Supply Current           | Icc |       |     | 3.64                 | А  |   |
| Pre-FEC Bit Error Ratio  |     |       |     | 2.4x10 <sup>-4</sup> |    |   |
| Post-FEC Bit Error Ratio |     |       |     | 1x10 <sup>-12</sup>  |    | 1 |
| Link Distance            | D   |       |     | 2                    | km | 2 |

### Notes:

- 1. FEC provided by host system.
- 2. FEC required on host system to support maximum distance.

# 7. Optical specifications

| Parameter  | meter Symbol Min Typical Max                      |           | Unit      | Note   |       |           |
|--|---|-----------|-----------|--------|-------|-----------|
| Center Wavelength  | λc  | 1304.5    | 1310      | 1317.5 | nm    |           |
|  | Tr  | ansmitter |           |        |       |           |
| Data Rate, each Lane                                       |   | 53.1      | 25±100 pp | m      | GBaud |           |
| Modulation Format  |   |           | PAM4      |        |       |           |
| Side-mode Suppression Ratio                                | SMSR  | 30        |           |        | dB    | Modulated |
| Average Launch Power, each  Lane                           | P <sub>AVG</sub> -2.4 4                           |           | dBm       | 1      |       |           |
| Outer Optical Modulation Amplitude (OMA outer), each Lane  | itude (OMA outer), each P <sub>OMA</sub> -0.3 4.2 |           | dBm       | 2      |       |           |
| Launch Power in OMA outer minus TDECQ, each Lane           |   | -1.7      |           |        | dBm   |           |
| Transmitter and Dispersion Eye Closure for PAM4, each Lane | TDECQ   | 3.4       |           | dB     |       |           |
| Extinction Ratio   | ER  | 3.5       |           |        | dB    |           |

| RIN <sub>21.4</sub> OMA                                      | RIN              |          |           | -136 | dB/Hz |   |  |  |  |
|--|------------------|----------|-----------|------|-------|---|--|--|--|
| Optical Return Loss Tolerance                                | TOL              |          |           | 21.4 | dB    |   |  |  |  |
| Transmitter Reflectance                                      | TR               |          |           | -26  | dB    |   |  |  |  |
| Average Launch Power of OFF Transmitter, each Lane           | P <sub>off</sub> |          |           | -15  | dBm   |   |  |  |  |
|  | F                | Receiver | ,         |      |       |   |  |  |  |
| Data Rate, each Lane   |                  | 53.1     | 25±100 pp | m    | GBaud |   |  |  |  |
| Modulation Format  |                  |          | PAM4      |      |       |   |  |  |  |
| Damage Threshold, each Lane                                  | THd              | 5        |           |      | dBm   | 3 |  |  |  |
| Average Receive Power  |                  | -6.4     |           | 4.5  | dBm   | 4 |  |  |  |
| Receive Power (OMA outer), each  Lane                        |                  |          |           | 4.7  | dBm   |   |  |  |  |
| Receiver Sensitivity (OMA outer), each Lane                  | SEN              |          |           | -4.9 | dBm   | 5 |  |  |  |
| Stressed Receiver Sensitivity (OMA outer), each Lane         | SRS              |          |           | -2.4 | dBm   | 6 |  |  |  |
| Receiver Reflectance   | RR               |          |           | -26  | dB    |   |  |  |  |
| LOS Assert   | LOSA             | -30      |           |      | dBm   |   |  |  |  |
| LOS De-assert  | LOSD             |          |           | -10  | dBm   |   |  |  |  |
| LOS Hysteresis   | LOSH             | 0.5      |           |      | dB    |   |  |  |  |
| Stressed Conditions for Stress Receiver Sensitivity (Note 7) |                  |          |           |      |       |   |  |  |  |
| Stressed Eye Closure for PAM4 (SECQ), Lane under Test        |                  |          | 3.4       |      | dB    |   |  |  |  |
| OMA outer of each Aggressor<br>Lane                          |                  |          | 4.2       |      | dBm   |   |  |  |  |

Notes:



1. Average launch power, each lane (min) is informative and not the principal indicator of signal

strength. A transmitter with launch power below this value cannot be compliant; however, a value above this does not ensure compliance.

- 2. Even if the TDECQ<1.4 dB, the OMA outer (min) must exceed the minimum value specified here.
- 3. The receiver shall be able to tolerate, without damage, continuous exposure to an optical input signal having this average power level.
- 4. Average receive power, each lane (min) is informative and not the principal indicator of signal strength. A received power below this value cannot be compliant; however, a value above this does not ensure compliance.
- 5. Receiver sensitivity (OMA outer), each lane (max) is informative and is defined for a transmitter with SECQ of 0.9 dB.
  - 6. Measured with conformance test signal for BER=2.4x10<sup>-4</sup>.
- 7. These test conditions are for measuring stressed receiver sensitivity. They are not characteristics of the receiver.

## 8. Electrical specifications

The following electrical characteristics are defined over the recommended operating environment unless otherwise specified.

| Parameter                                       | Test<br>Point | Min                              | Typical      | Max     | Unit | Note |
|---|---------------|----------------------------------|--------------|---------|------|------|
|   | Transm        | itter (each Lan                  | e)           |         |      |      |
| Signaling Rate, each Lane                       | TP1           | 26.56                            | 625±100 ppm  | l       | GBd  |      |
| Differential peak-peak Input  Voltage Tolerance | TP1a 900      |                                  |              | mVpp    | 1    |      |
| Differential Termination Mismatch               | TP1           |                                  |              | 10      | %    |      |
| Differential Input Return Loss                  | TP1           | IEEE 802.3-20                    | dB           |         |      |      |
| Differential to Common Mode Input Return Loss   | TP1           | IEEE 802.3-2017 Equation (83E-6) |              |         | dB   |      |
| Module Stressed Input Test                      | TP1a          | See IEEE 8                       | 302.3bs 120E | E.3.4.1 |      | 2    |



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|---|------|-------------------------------|-------------|---------|-------|---|--|
| Single-ended Voltage Tolerance<br>Range (Min)       | TP1a | -0.4 to 3.3                   |             |         | V     |   |  |
| DC Common Mode Input Voltage                        | TP1  | -350                          |             | 2850    | mV    | 3 |  |
|   | Rece | iver (each Land               | e)          |         |       |   |  |
| Signaling Rate, each Lane                           | TP4  | 26.56                         | 25±100 ppm  | 1       | GBaud |   |  |
| Differential Peak-to-Peak Output  Voltage           | TP4  |                               |             | 900     | mVpp  |   |  |
| AC Common Mode Output  Voltage, RMS                 | TP4  |                               |             | 17.5    | mV    |   |  |
| Differential Termination Mismatch                   | TP4  |                               |             | 10      | %     |   |  |
| Differential Output Return Loss                     | TP4  | IEEE802.3-2                   | 017Equation | (83E-2) |       |   |  |
| Common to Differential Mode  Conversion Return Loss | TP4  | IEEE802.3-2017Equation(83E-3) |             |         |       |   |  |
| Transition Time, 20% to 80%                         | TP4  | 9.5                           |             |         | ps    |   |  |
| Near-end Eye Symmetry Mask Width (ESMW)             | TP4  |                               | 0.265       |         | UI    |   |  |
| Near-end Eye Height, Differential                   | TP4  | 70                            |             |         | mV    |   |  |
| Far-end Eye Symmetry Mask Width (ESMW)              | TP4  | 0.2                           |             |         | UI    |   |  |
| Far-end Eye Height, Differential                    | TP4  | 30                            |             |         | mV    |   |  |
| Far-end Pre-cursor ISI Ratio                        | TP4  | -4.5                          |             | 2.5     | %     |   |  |
| Common Mode Output Voltage (Vcm)                    | TP4  | -350                          |             | 2850    | mV    | 3 |  |

## Notes:

- 1. With the exception to IEEE 802.3bs 120E.3.1.2 that the pattern is PRBS31Q or scrambled idle.
- 2. Meets BER specified in IEEE 802.3bs 120E.1.1.



3. DC common mode voltage generated by the host. Specification includes effects of ground offset voltage.

# 9. Digital diagnostic functions

The following digital diagnostic characteristics are defined over the normal operating conditions unless otherwise specified.

| Parameter                                | Symbol       | Min  | Max | Unit | Note                                   |
|--|--------------|------|-----|------|--|
| Temperature Monitor  Absolute Error      | DMI_Temp     | -3   | 3   | °C   | Cover full operating temperature range |
| Supply Voltage Monitor  Absolute Error   | DMI _VCC     | -0.1 | 0.1 | V    | Cover full operating temperature range |
| Channel RX Power Monitor  Absolute Error | DMI_RX_Ch    | -3   | 3   | dB   |  |
| Channel Bias Current  Monitor            | DMI_lbias_Ch | -10% | 10% |      |  |
| Channel TX Power Monitor  Absolute Error | DMI_TX_Ch    | -3   | 3   | dB   |  |

# 10. Edge connector and pinout description

The electrical pinout of the QSFP-DD module is shown in Figure 1 below.

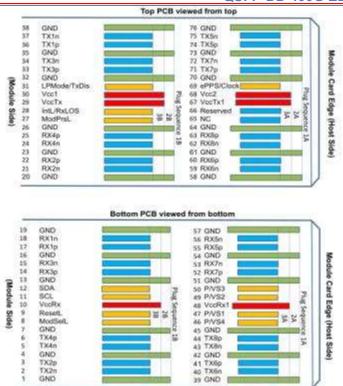


Figure 1. MSA compliant connector.

| PIN | Logic      | Symbol  | Description                          | Note |
|-----|------------|---------|--------------------------------------|------|
| 1   |            | GND     | Ground                               | 1    |
| 2   | CML-I      | Tx2n    | Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |      |
| 3   | CML-I      | Tx2p    | Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |      |
| 4   |            | GND     | Ground                               | 1    |
| 5   | CML-I      | Tx4n    | Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |      |
| 6   | CML-I      | Tx4p    | Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |      |
| 7   |            | GND     | Ground                               | 1    |
| 8   | LVTTL-I    | ModSelL | Module Select                        |      |
| 9   | LVTTL-I    | ResetL  | Module Reset                         |      |
| 10  |            | VccRx   | +3.3V Power Supply Receiver          | 2    |
| 11  | LVCOMS-I/O | SCL     | 2-Wire Serial Interface Clock        |      |
| 12  | LVCOMS-I/O | SDA     | 2-Wire Serial Interface Data         |      |



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| 13 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 14 | CML-0   | Rx3p             | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |   |
| 15 | CML-0   | Rx3n             | Receiver Inverted Data Output        |   |
| 16 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 17 | CML-0   | Rx1p             | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |   |
| 18 | CML-0   | Rx1n             | Receiver Inverted Data Output        |   |
| 19 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 20 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 21 | CML-0   | Rx2n             | Receiver Inverted Data Output        |   |
| 22 | CML-0   | Rx2p             | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |   |
| 23 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 24 | CML-0   | Rx4n             | Receiver Inverted Data Output        |   |
| 25 | CML-0   | Rx4p             | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |   |
| 26 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 27 | LVTTL-0 | ModPrsL          | Module Present                       |   |
| 28 | LVTTL-0 | IntL/<br>RxLOS   | Interrupt/optional RxLOS             |   |
| 29 |         | VccTx            | +3.3 V Power Supply Transmitter      | 2 |
| 30 |         | Vcc1             | +3.3 V Power Supply                  | 2 |
| 31 | LVTTL-I | LPMode/<br>TxDis | Low Power Mode/Optional TX Disable   |   |
| 32 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |
| 33 | CML-I   | Тх3р             | Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |   |
| 34 | CML-I   | Tx3n             | Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |   |
| 35 |         | GND              | Ground                               | 1 |



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|         | ML-I Tx1p Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |               |
|         | ML-I Tx1n Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |               |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | ML-I Tx6n Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |               |
|         | ML-I Tx6p Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |               |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | ML-I Tx8n Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |               |
|         | ML-I Tx8p Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |               |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | Reserved For future use                        | 3             |
|         | VS1 Module Vendor Specific 1                   | 3             |
|         | VccRx1 +3.3V Power Supply Receiver             | 2             |
|         | VS2 Module Vendor Specific 2                   | 3             |
|         | VS3 Module Vendor Specific 3                   | 3             |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | /IL-0 Rx7p Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output   |               |
|         | /IL-0 Rx7n Receiver Inverted Data Output       |               |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | /IL-0 Rx5p Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output   |               |
|         | /IL-0 Rx5n Receiver Inverted Data Output       |               |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | GND Ground                                     | 1             |
|         | /IL-0 Rx6n Receiver Inverted Data Output       |               |
|         |  |               |

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|----|-------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| 60 | CML-0 | Rx6p     | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |                |
| 61 |       | GND      | Ground                               | 1              |
| 62 | CML-0 | Rx8n     | Receiver Inverted Data Output        |                |
| 63 | CML-0 | Rx8p     | Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output    |                |
| 64 |       | GND      | Ground                               | 1              |
| 65 |       | NC       | Not Connect                          | 3              |
| 66 |       | Reserved | For future use                       | 3              |
| 67 |       | VccTx 1  | +3.3 V Power Supply transmitter      | 2              |
| 68 |       | Vcc2     | +3.3 V Power Supply                  | 2              |
| 69 |       | Reserved | For future use                       | 3              |
| 70 |       | GND      | Ground                               | 1              |
| 71 | CML-I | Tx7p     | Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |                |
| 72 | CML-I | Tx7n     | Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |                |
| 73 |       | GND      | Ground                               | 1              |
| 74 | CML-I | Тх5р     | Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Output |                |
| 75 | CML-I | Tx5n     | Transmitter Inverted Data Input      |                |
| 76 |       | GND      | Ground                               | 1              |

#### Notes:

- 1. QSFP-DD uses common ground (GND) for all signals and supply power. All the common within the QSFP-DD module and all module voltages are referenced to this potential unless otherwise noted. Connected theses directly to the host board signal common ground plane.
- 2. VccRx, VccRx1, Vcc1, Vcc2, VccTx, and VccTx1 shall be applied concurrently. Requirements defined for the host side of the Host Card Edge Connector are listed in Table 4. VccRx, VccRx1, Vcc1, Vcc2, VccTx, and VccTx1 may be internally connected within the module in any combination. The connector Vcc pins are each rated for a maximum current of 1000 mA.
- 3. All Vendor Specific, Reserved and No Connect pins may be terminated with 50 ohms to ground on the host. Pad 65 (Not Connect) shall be left unconnected within the module. Vendor



Specific and Reserved pads shall have an impedance to GND that is greater than 10 kOhms and less than 100 pF.

## 11.Recommended power supply filter

A single +3.3V power supply is required to power up this product.

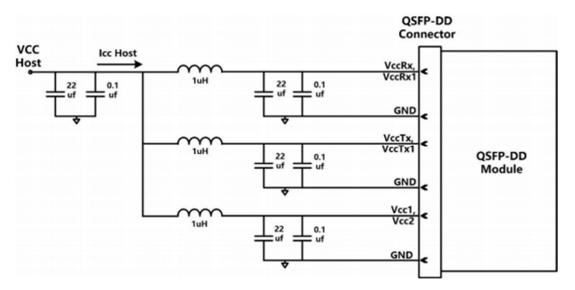


Figure 2. Recommended power supply filter.

### 12.ESD

This transceiver is specified as ESD threshold 1kV for high speed data pins and 2kV for all other electrical input pins, tested per MIL-STD-883, Method 3015.4 /JESD22-A114- A (HBM). However, normal ESD precautions are still required during the handling of this module. This transceiver is shipped in ESD protective packaging. It should be removed from the packaging and handled only in an ESD protected environment.

### 13.Laser safety

This is a Class 1 Laser Product according to EN 60825-1:2014. This product complies with 21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11 except for deviations pursuant to Laser Notice No.50, dated (June 24, 2007).

Caution: use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.

# 14. Transceiver block diagram

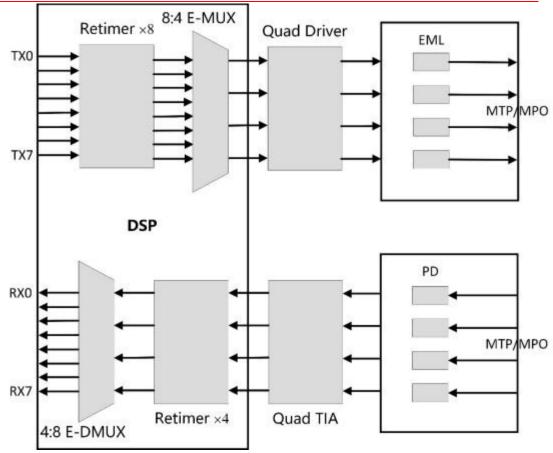


Figure 3. Transceiver block diagram.

# 15.Mechanical dimensions

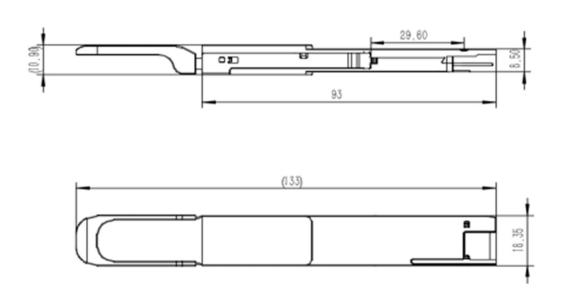


Figure 4. Mechanical outline.



# 16.Ordering information

| Part Number    | Product Description          |
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