

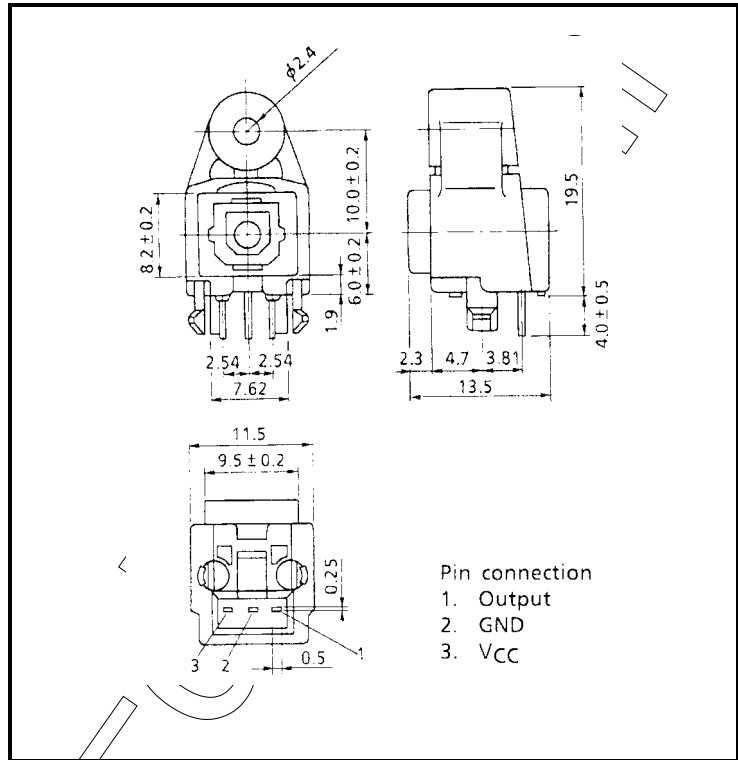
FIBER OPTIC RECEIVING MODULE

**TORX178B**

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FOR DIGITAL AUDIO INTERFACE

Unit: mm

- Conforms to JEITA Standard CP-1201 (For Digital Audio Interface including Fiber Optic inter-connections).
- A self-tapping hole for easy attachment to Audio Equipment panels.



**1. Maximum Ratings (Ta = 25°C)**

Characteristics	Symbol	Rating	Unit
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>	-40 to 70	°C
Operating Temperature	T <sub>opr</sub>	-20 to 70	°C
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	-0.5 to 7	V
High Level Output Current	I <sub>OH</sub>	-1	mA
Low Level Output Current	I <sub>OL</sub>	5	mA
Soldering Temperature	T <sub>sol</sub>	260 (Note 1)	°C

Note 1: Soldering time ≤ 10 seconds (At a distance of 1 mm from the package).

**2. Recommended Operating Conditions**

Characteristics	Symbol	Min	Typ.	Max	Unit
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	4.75	5.0	5.25	V

### 3. Electrical and Optical Characteristics (Ta = 25°C, VCC = 5 V)

Characteristics	Symbol	Test Condition	Min	Typ.	Max	Unit
Data Rate		NRZ code (Note 2)	0.1	—	6	Mb / s
Transmission Distance		Using APF (Note 3), Using TOTX178A	0.2	—	5	m
Pulse Width Distortion (Note 4)	$\Delta tw$	Pulse Width = 165 ns Pulse Cycle = 330 ns $C_L = 10 \text{ pF}$ Using TOTX178A	-30	—	30	ns
Maximum Receivable Power (Note 5)	$P_{MAX}$	6 Mb / s, Using APF	-14.5	—	—	dBm
Minimum Receivable Power (Note 5)	$P_{MIN}$	6 Mb / s, Using APF	—	—	-24	dBm
Current Consumption	$I_{CC}$			22	40	mA
High Level Output Voltage	$V_{OH}$		3.6	4.0	—	V
Low Level Output Voltage	$V_{OL}$			0.2	0.4	V

Note 2: When non-modulated signal (optical all high or all low level signal) is inputted, output signal is unstable.

When modulated optical high level signal is received, output signal is high. When modulated optical low level signal is received, output signal is low. The duty factor must be maintained between 25 to 75%.

Note 3: All Plastic Fiber (970 / 1000  $\mu\text{m}$ ).

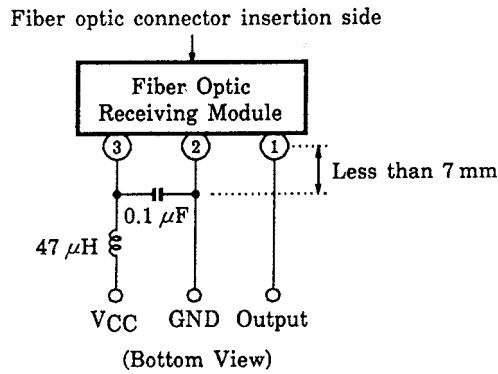
Note 4: Between input of transmitting module and output of TORX178B.

Note 5:  $BER \leq 10^{-9}$ , peak value.

### 4. Mechanical Characteristics (Ta = 25°C)

Characteristics	Symbol	Test Condition	Min	Typ.	Max	Unit
Insertion Force		Using TOCP172, Initial value	—	—	39.2	N
Withdrawal Force		Using TOCP172, Initial value	5.9	—	39.2	N
Torque for Self-Tap		Using self-tapping screw (M3 $\times$ 8)	58.8	—	98	N·cm

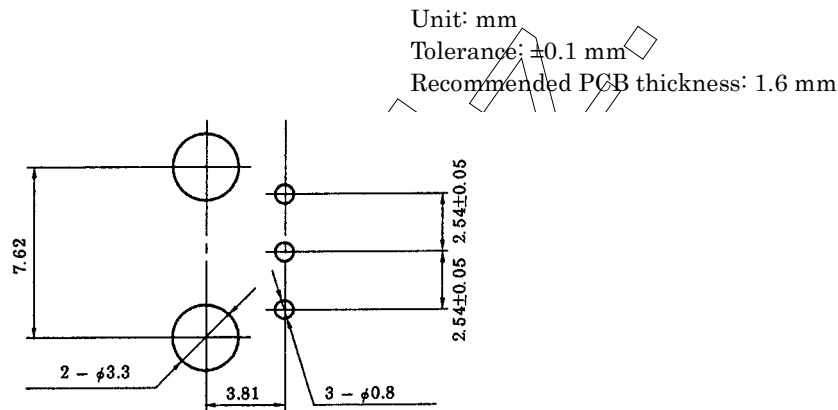
**5. Application Circuit**



**6. Required Optical Fiber with Fiber Optic Connectors**

TOCP172-□□B

**7. Board layout hole pattern (for reference)**



**8. Precautions during use**

- (1) Maximum rating  
The maximum ratings are the limit values which must not be exceeded during operation of device. None of these rating value must not be exceeded. If the maximum rating value is exceeded, the characteristics of devices may never be restored properly. In some extreme cases, the device may be permanently damages.
- (2) Soldering  
Optical modules are comprised of internal semiconductor devices. However, in principle, optical modules are optical components. During soldering, ensure that flux does not contact with the emitting surface or the detecting surface. Also ensure that proper flux removal is conducted after soldering. Some optical modules come with a protective cap. The protective cap is used to avoid malfunction when the optical module is not in use. Note that it is not dust or waterproof.  
As mentioned before, optical modules are optical components. Thus, in principle, soldering where there may be flux residue and flux removal after soldering is not recommended. Toshiba recommend that soldering be performed without the optical module mounted on the board. Then, after the board has been cleaned, the optical module should be soldered on to the board manually.  
If the optical module cannot be soldered manually, use non-halogen (chlorine-free) flux and make sure, without cleaning, there is no residue such as chlorine. This is one of the ways to eliminate the effects of flux. In such a cases, be sure to check the devices' reliability.

## (3) Noise resistance

It is believed that the use of optical transfer devices improve noise resistance. In theory, optical fiber is not affected by noise at all. However, receiving modules which handle signals whose level is extremely small, are susceptible to noise.

TOSLINK improve noise resistance to use a conductive case. However, the current signal output by the optical receiving modules' photodiode is extremely small. Thus, in some environments, shielding the case may not achieve sufficient noise resistance.

For systems which incorporate TOSLINK, Toshiba recommend testing using the actual device to check its noise resistance.

Use a simple noise filter on TOSLINK fiber optic transceiving module's power line. If the ripple in the power supply used is significant, reinforce the filter.

The optical module is to be used in an area which is susceptible to radiated noise, increase the shielding by covering the optical module and the power line filter with a metallic cover.

## (4) Vibration and shock

This module is plastic sealed and has its wire fixed by resin. This structure is relatively resistant to vibration and shock. In actual equipment, there are sometime cases in which vibration, shock, or stress is applied to soldered parts or connected parts, resulting in lines cut. A care must be taken in the design of equipment which will be subject to high levels of vibration.

## (5) Support pins

The TORX178B has support pins in order to fix itself to the PCB temporary. Please make the hole for these pins in the PCB under the condition for described in board layout hole pattern.

## (6) Panel attachment

TORX178B has hole for panel attachment. Please be sure to attach it to panel with self-tapping screw.

## (7) Solvent

When using solvent for flux removal, do not use a high acid or high alkali solvent. Be careful not to pour solvent in to the optical connector ports. If solvent is inadvertently poured in to them, clean it off using cotton tips.

## (8) Protective cap

When the TORX178B is not in use, attach the protective cap.

## (9) Supply voltage

Use the supply voltage within the recommended operating condition ( $V_{CC} = 5 \pm 0.25 \text{ V}$ ). Make sure that supply voltage does not exceed the maximum rating value of 7 V, even for an instant.

## (10) Interface

The TORX178B has a TTL interface. It can be interfaced with any TTL-compatible C-MOS IC.

## (11) Output

If the receiver output is at low and is connected to the power supply, or if the output is high and is connected to GND, the internal IC may be destroyed.

## (12) Soldering condition

Solder at 260°C or less for no more than ten seconds.

## (13) Precautions when disposing of devices and packing materials.

When disposing devices and packing materials, follow the procedures stipulated by local regulations in order to protect the environment against contamination.

## (14) Precautions during use

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