



**CL-Q28-ER4-DR**  
**100G QSFP28 Optical Transceiver Module**  
**RoHS 6 compliant**

**Features**



- Supports 103Gbps & 112 Gbps
- Single 3.3V Power Supply
- Power dissipation < 5W
- Up to 40km over SMF
- Commercial case temperature range of
- -5°C to 70°C
- Four 25Gbps/28Gbps EML LAN-WDM lasers on transmitter side
- APD and TIA array on the receiver side
- 4x25Gbps/28Gbps electrical interface
- Duplex LC receptacles
- I2C interface with integrated Digital Diagnostic
- Monitoring
- Safety Certification: TUV/UL/FDA\*<sup>Note1</sup>
- RoHS Compliant

**Applications**

- 100G 40km applications with FEC on host side
- 100G Datacom & Telecom connections
- OTU4 411-9D1F

PART NUMBER	Monitor	INPUT/OUTPUT	SIGNAL DETECT	TEMPERATURE
CL-Q28-ER4-DR	X	AC/AC	TTL	-5°C to 70 °C
CL-Q28-ER4-DRi	X	AC/AC	TTL	-40°C to 85 °C



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### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Storage Temperature	Ts	-40	+85	°C
Supply Voltage	Vcc	-0.5	3.6	V
Operating Relative Humidity	RH	5	85	%

\*Exceeding any one of these values may destroy the device immediately.

### Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Operating Case Temperature	Tc	-5		70	°C
Power Supply Voltage	Vcc	3.135	3.3	3.465	V
Power Dissipation	P <sub>D</sub>			5	W

### Performance Specifications – Electrical

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit
<b>Transmitter</b>					
Differential data input swing per lane				900	mv <sub>p-p</sub>
Input Impedance (Differential)	Z <sub>in</sub>			10	%
Stressed input parameters					
Eye width		0.46			UI
Applied pk-pk sinusoidal jitter		IEEE 802.3bm Table 88-13			
Eye height		95			mv
DC common mode voltage		-350		2850	mv
<b>Receiver</b>					
Differential output amplitude		200		900	mv <sub>p-p</sub>
Output Impedance (Differential)	Z <sub>out</sub>			10	%
Eye width		0.57			UI
Eye height differential		228			mv
Vertical eye closure				5.5	dB



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Optical Characteristics

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Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max	Unit
<b>Transmitter</b>					
Signaling Speed per Lane	BR <sub>AVE</sub>		25.78		Gbps
Data Rate Variation		-100		+100	ppm
Lane_0 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C0}$	1294.53	1295.56	1296.59	nm
Lane_1 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C1}$	1299.02	1300.05	1301.09	nm
Lane_2 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C2}$	1303.54	1304.58	1305.63	nm
Lane_3 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C3}$	1308.09	1309.14	1310.19	nm
Spectral Width (-20dB)	$\Delta\lambda$			1	nm
Total Average Output Power	P <sub>o</sub>			12.5	dBm
Average Launch Power per Lane <sup>*(Note4)</sup>	P <sub>each</sub>	-2.5		6.5	dBm
Optical Modulation Amplitude (OMA), each lane <sup>*(Note5)</sup>	P <sub>each</sub> (OMA)	0.5		6.5	dBm
Average launch power of OFF transmitter per lane	P <sub>off</sub>			-30	dBm
Side-mode suppression ratio	SMSR	30			dB
Transmitter dispersion penalty , each lane <sup>*(Note6)</sup>	TDP			2.0	dB
Difference in launch power between any two lanes (OMA)				4	dB
Optical Return Loss Tolerance				20	dB
Transmitter reflectance <sup>*(Note7)</sup>				-26	
Extinction Ratio	ER	4.5			dB
Transmitter eye mask definition {X1, X2, X3, Y1, Y2, Y3} <sup>*(Note8)</sup>		{0.25, 0.4, 0.45, 0.25, 0.28, 0.4}			



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Receiver					
Signaling Speed per Lane	BR <sub>AVE</sub>		25.78		Gbps
Data Rate Variation		-100		+100	ppm
Receiver overload per Lane	Psat	-3			dBm
Lane_0 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C0}$	1294.53	1295.56	1296.59	nm
Lane_1 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C1}$	1299.02	1300.05	1301.09	nm
Lane_2 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C2}$	1303.54	1304.58	1305.63	nm
Lane_3 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C3}$	1308.09	1309.14	1310.19	nm
Average Receive Power per Lane*(Note9)	Rx_pow	-20.5		-3.5	dBm
Damage threshold per lane(min) *(Note10)	Pdamage			-2.5	dBm
Receive Sensitivity in OMA per Lane*(Note11)	Rx_sens			-18.5	dBm
Stressed Receiver Sensitivity (OMA) per Lane*(Note12)	RX <sub>SRS</sub>			-16	dBm
Receive Sensitivity in OMA per Lane*(Note13)	Rx_sens			-14.8	dBm
Stressed Receiver Sensitivity (OMA) per Lane*(Note14)	RX <sub>SRS</sub>			-13	dBm
Receiver Reflectance	ORL			-26	dB
LOS Assert	LOSA	-35			dBm
LOS De-Assert	LOSD			-25	dBm
LOS Hysteresis		0.5			dB

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Transmitter					
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Lane_1 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C1}$	1299.02	1300.05	1301.09	nm
Lane_2 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C2}$	1303.54	1304.58	1305.63	nm
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Spectral Width (-20dB)	$\Delta\lambda$			1	nm
Total Average Output Power	P <sub>o</sub>			12.5	dBm



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Average Launch Power per Lane <sup>*(Note4)</sup>	Peach	-2.5		6.5	dBm
Optical Modulation Amplitude (OMA), each lane <sup>*(Note5)</sup>	Peach (OMA)	0.5		6.5	dBm
Average launch power of OFF transmitter per lane	Poff			-30	dBm
Side-mode suppression ratio	SMSR	30			dB
Transmitter dispersion penalty , each lane <sup>*(Note15)</sup>	TDP			2.0	dB
Difference in launch power between any two lanes (OMA)				4	dB
Optical Return Loss Tolerance				20	dB
Transmitter reflectance <sup>*(Note7)</sup>				-26	
Extinction Ratio	ER	4.5			dB
Transmitter eye mask definition {X1, X2, X3, Y1, Y2, Y3} <sup>*(Note16)</sup>			G.959.1 Compliant		
<b>Receiver</b>					
Signaling Speed per Lane	BR <sub>AVE</sub>		27.95		Gbps
Data Rate Variation		-20		+20	ppm
Receiver overload per Lane	Psat	-3			dBm
Lane_0 Center Wavelength	$\lambda_{C0}$	1294.53	1295.56	1296.59	nm
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Average Receive Power per Lane <sup>*(Note9)</sup>	Rx_pow	-20.5		-3.5	dBm
Damage threshold per lane(min) <sup>*(Note10)</sup>	Pdamage			-2.5	dBm
Equivalent Sensitivity per Lane <sup>*(Note17)</sup>	Rx_sens			-18	dBm
Receiver Reflectance	ORL			-26	dB
LOS Assert	LOSA	-35			dBm
LOS De-Assert	LOSD			-25	dBm



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LOS Hysteresis		0.5			dB
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Note4: 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.

Note5: Even if the TDP < 1.0dB, the OMA (min) must exceed 0.5 dBm.

Note6: Measured at 103Gbps & BER = 5\*10<sup>-5</sup>.

Note7: Transmitter reflectance is defined looking into the transmitter.

Note8: Vertical eye closure penalty, stressed eye J2 Jitter, stressed eye J4 Jitter, and SRS eye mask definition are test conditions for measuring stressed receiver sensitivity. They are not characteristics of the receiver.

Note9: 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.

Note10: The receiver shall be able to tolerate, without damage, continuous exposure to an optical signal having this average power level.

Note11: Receiver sensitivity (OMA), each lane (max) at 5\*10<sup>-5</sup> BER is a normative specification.

Note12: Measured with conformance test signal at TP3 for BER = 5\*10<sup>-5</sup>.

Note13: Measured at 103Gbps & pre FEC BER = 1\*10<sup>-12</sup>.

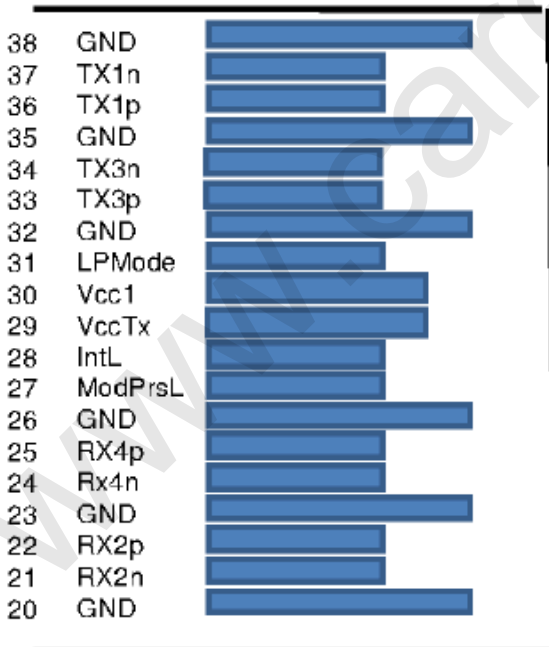
Note14: Measured with conformance test signal at TP3 for BER = 1\*10<sup>-12</sup>.

Note15: Measured at 112Gbps & pre FEC BER = 1.8\*10<sup>-4</sup>.

Note16: Filtered, measured with a PRBS 2<sub>31</sub>-1 test pattern @27.95Gbps.

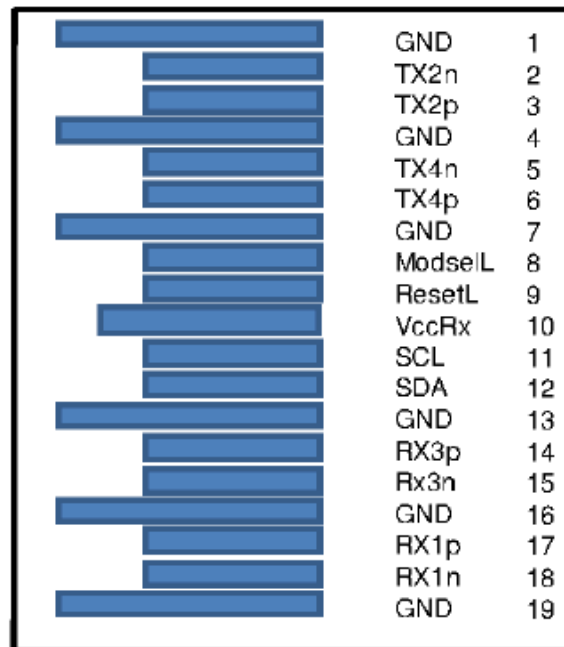
Note17: Specified at a pre FEC BER of 1.8\*10<sup>-4</sup>.

**QSFP28 Transceiver Electrical Pad Layout**



**Top Side**  
**Viewed From Top**

Module Card Edge



**Bottom Side**  
**Viewed From Bottom**



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Pin Arrangement and Definition

Pin	Logic	Symbol	Description	Plug Sequence	Notes
1		GND	Ground	1	1
2	CML-I	Tx2n	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	3	
3	CML-I	Tx2p	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	3	
4		GND	Ground	1	1
5	CML-I	Tx4n	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	3	
6	CML-I	Tx4p	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	3	
7		GND	Ground	1	1
8	LVTTL-I	ModSelL	Module Select	3	
9	LVTTL-I	ResetL	Module Reset	3	
10		VccRx	+3.3V Power Supply Receiver	2	2
11	LVC MOS- I/O	SCL	2-wire serial interface clock	3	
12	LVC MOS- I/O	SDA	2-wire serial interface data	3	
13		GND	Ground	1	1
14	CML-O	Rx3p	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	3	
15	CML-O	Rx3n	Receiver Inverted Data Output	3	
16		GND	Ground	1	1
17	CML-O	Rx1p	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	3	
18	CML-O	Rx1n	Receiver Inverted Data Output	3	
19		GND	Ground	1	1
20		GND	Ground	1	1
21	CML-O	Rx2n	Receiver Inverted Data Output	3	
22	CML-O	Rx2p	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	3	
23		GND	Ground	1	1
24	CML-O	Rx4n	Receiver Inverted Data Output	3	
25	CML-O	Rx4p	Receiver Non-Inverted Data Output	3	
26		GND	Ground	1	1
27	LVTTL-O	ModPrsL	Module Present	3	
28	LVTTL-O	IntL	Interrupt	3	
29		VccTx	+3.3V Power supply transmitter	2	2
30		Vcc1	+3.3V Power supply	2	2
31	LVTTL-I	LPMODE	Low Power Mode	3	
32		GND	Ground	1	1
33	CML-I	Tx3p	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	3	



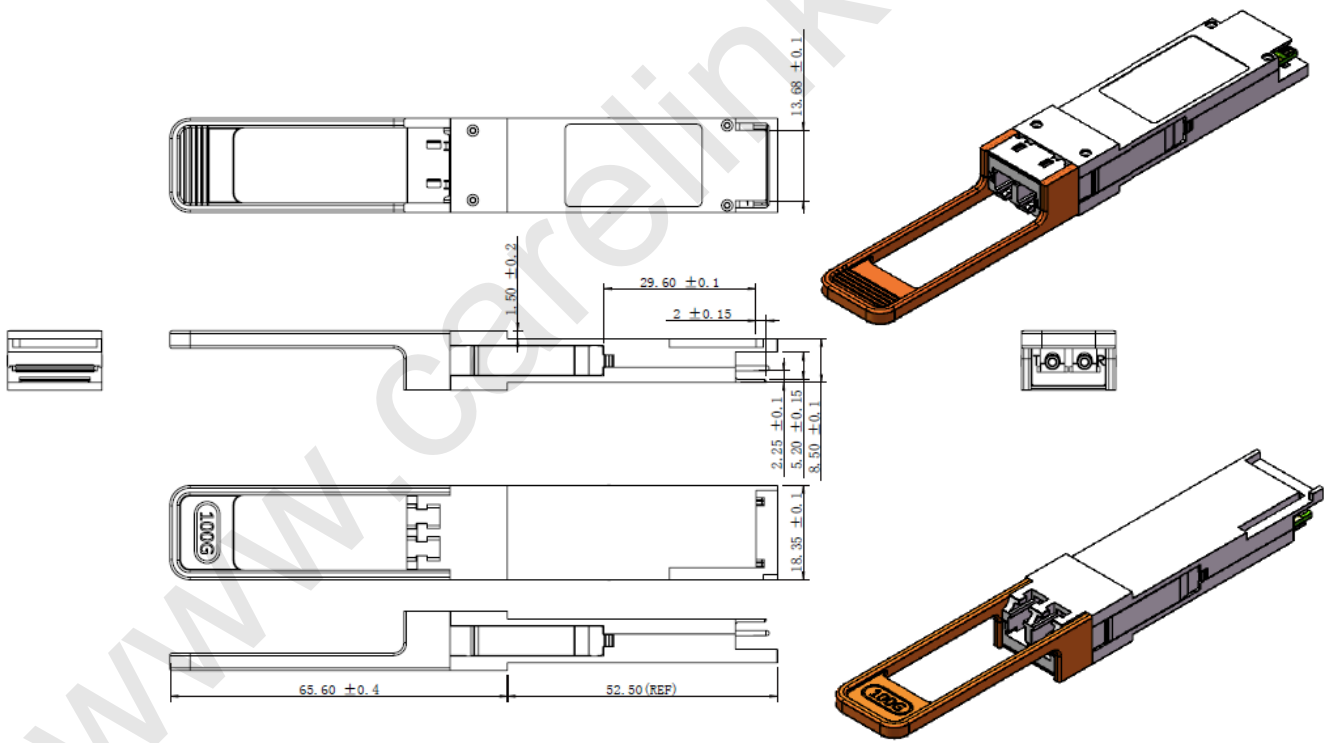
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34	CML-I	Tx3n	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	3	
35		GND	Ground	1	1
36	CML-I	Tx1p	Transmitter Non-Inverted Data Input	3	
37	CML-I	Tx1n	Transmitter Inverted Data Input	3	
38		GND	Ground	1	1

1: GND is the symbol for signal and supply (power) common for the QSFP28 module. All are common within the QSFP28 module and all module voltages are referenced to this potential unless otherwise noted. Connect these directly to the host board signal-common ground plane.

2: Vcc Rx, Vcc1 and Vcc Tx are the receiver and transmitter power supplies and shall be applied concurrently. Vcc Rx Vcc1 and Vcc Tx may be internally connected within the QSFP28 Module in any combination. The connector pins are each rated for a maximum current of 1000mA.

**Mechanical Specifications**



\*This 2D drawing only for reference, please check with Carelink before ordering.