



# FOT-600

NETWORK TESTING—OPTICAL



- Combines a power meter and a light source and comes with your choice of wavelengths
- Memory capacity of 1000 data items; enables data transfer to a PC via USB connection
- Ideal for network-link qualification: pass/fail LED indicator and thresholds
- Error-free testing: automatic wavelength switching,  and no offset nulling required
- Visual fault locator (VFL) option for quick and easy troubleshooting (standard)
- Low cost of ownership: three-year warranty and recommended calibration interval
- Complete reporting software 

## Ideal for Network-Link Qualification

Part of EXFO's 600 handheld series, which includes the FPM-600 Power Meter and the FLS-600 Light Source, the FOT-600 Optical Loss Test Set is the ideal tool for network-link qualification. Designed for first-class ease of use, the FOT-600 features a pass/fail LED indicator; what's more, it lets you set your own thresholds for absolute or relative loss measurements.

Thanks to its memory capacity of 1000 data items and its built-in reporting software, the FOT-600 facilitates data management and enables data transfer to a PC via USB connection. Create and customize a complete test report, including certification of the link with pass/fail information.



## Error-Free Test Features in a Highly Versatile Unit

When using the FOT-600 in Auto-Switching mode, the light source automatically toggles between available wavelengths. The power meter recognizes the wavelength in use and switches to the proper calibration parameter. With a press of a button, you can store results for all wavelengths at once, providing easy and error-free testing.

Thanks to its unique design, the FOT-600 Optical Loss Test Set reduces risk of error and measurement time in typical measurement situations, as the need for an offset nulling is eliminated.

In addition to network-link qualification features, the highly accurate FOT-600 offers over 40 calibrated wavelengths, including all CWDM wavelengths. What's more, it lets you measure power fluctuations with its Hold Min/Max Power function.

## FTTx Ready

EXFO's FOT-600 allows for the testing of passive optical networks (PONs) at 1310 nm, 1490 nm and 1550 nm, the three wavelengths recommended by the ITU-T (G.983.3) for PONs.

## Rugged and Versatile

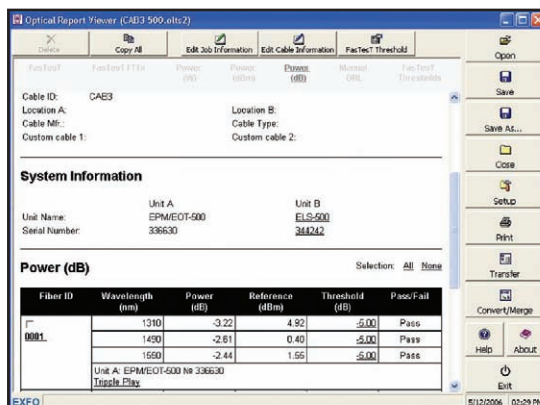
Like all EXFO portable instruments, the FOT-600 is built for top ruggedness and versatility, perfect for the harshest test conditions. It features a keypad/LCD backlight, for easy operation in darker environments. What's more, it is powered by a rechargeable battery.

## Reporting Software NEW

This new software tool enables you to produce professional-looking reports with comprehensive documentation. It also offers these functionalities:

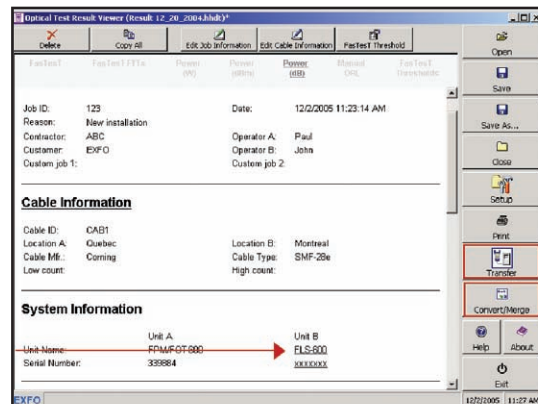
- Two test files can be merged into one test report (see note no. 3)
- Pass/fail thresholds that are active during download are automatically activated and displayed in the Report Viewer
- One-touch storage of results for all wavelengths at once (see note no. 1)
- Unit B configuration information can be input and documented (see note no. 2)
- Data transfer can be launched from the Report Viewer window (see note no. 3)
- A pass/fail threshold can be set for an individual fiber or wavelength (see note no. 4)

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Store test results for all wavelengths at once



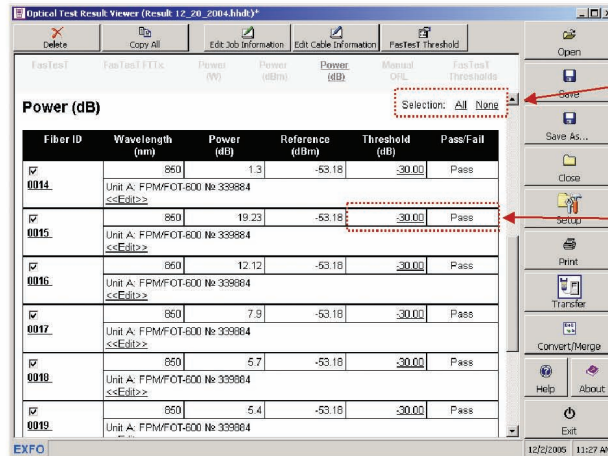
Optical Report Viewer: main window

**2**  
Configure unit B information



**3**  
Launch data transfer and connector merger

Optical Report Viewer: main window



Select all or no results in a specific section

4 Apply a specific threshold each fiber and/or lambda and get a complete pass/fail status (not available with FasTesT results)

Optical Report Viewer: main window

## SPECIFICATIONS <sup>a</sup>

<b>Model</b>	<b>FOT-602X</b>
Detector	GeX
Power range (dBm) <sup>b</sup>	26 to -55
Wavelength range (nm)	800 to 1650
Calibrated wavelengths (nm)	800, 820, 830, 840, 850, 860, 870, 880, 910, 980, 1270, 1280, 1290, 1300, 1310, 1320, 1330, 1340, 1350, 1370, 1390, 1410, 1430, 1450, 1460, 1470, 1480, 1490, 1500, 1510, 1520, 1530, 1540, 1550, 1560, 1570, 1580, 1590, 1600, 1610, 1620, 1630, 1640, 1650, 1060
Power uncertainty <sup>c</sup>	±5 % ± 3 nW
Resolution (dB)	±0.01 (26 dBm to -45 dBm)
Automatic offset nulling <sup>d</sup>	Yes
Display units	dB, dBm, W
Tone detection	270 Hz, 1 kHz and 2 kHz
Auto-switching <sup>e</sup>	Yes
Warm-up period (min) <sup>f</sup>	0
Data storage (items)	More than 1000
Battery life (hours) (typical)	72
Warranty and recommended calibration period (years)	3

<b>Model</b>	<b>23BL</b>
Central wavelength (nm)	1310 ± 20 1550 ± 20
Spectral width (nm) <sup>g</sup>	≤ 5
Output power (dBm)	≥ 1 ≥ 1
Power stability (dB) <sup>h</sup>	15 min ±0.03 8 h ±0.1
Tone generation	270 Hz, 1 kHz, 2 kHz
Automatic wavelength recognition	Yes
Battery life (hours) (typical in Auto mode)	50
Warranty and recommended calibration period (years)	3

## GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Size (H x W x D)	190 mm x 100 mm x 62 mm	(7 1/2 in x 4 in x 2 1/2 in)
Weight	0.48 kg	(1.1 lb)
Temperature		
operating	-10 °C to 50 °C	(14 °F to 122 °F)
storage	-40 °C to 70 °C	(-40 °F to 158 °F)
Relative humidity	0 % to 95 % non-condensing	

## VFL <sup>i</sup>

Emitter type	Laser
Wavelength (nm)	650
Output power (dBm)	3

## STANDARD ACCESSORIES

User guide, Certificate of Calibration, instrument stickers in six languages, AC adapter/charger, connector adapter (FOA-XX), lithium ion battery, shoulder strap, carrying case, USB cable, reporting software.

## SAFETY

21 CFR 1040.10 and IEC 60825-1:1993+A1:1997+A2:2001:  
CLASS 1M LASER PRODUCT  
CLASS 3R LASER PRODUCT FOR VFL



## Notes

- a. Guaranteed unless otherwise specified. All specifications valid at 23 °C ± 1 °C, with an FC connector and at 1550 nm for detector.
- b. In CW mode; sensitivity defined as 6 x rms noise level.
- c. For calibration wavelengths. Valid up to 20 dBm for FOT-602X.
- d. For power > -25 dBm for FOT-602X.
- e. At 850 nm, 1300 nm, 1310 nm, 1490 nm, 1550 nm and 1625 nm; for power > -40 dBm (typical) for FOT-602X.
- f. For a variation of ≤ 0.06 dB at power levels ≥ -25 dBm for FOT-602X.
- g. rms for FP lasers.
- h. After a 15-minute warm-up period, and using an APC connector on the power meter (except for multimode sources, for which a PC connector is used). Expressed as ± half the difference between the maximum and minimum values measured during the period.
- i. Typical values in 62.5/125 μm fiber.

## ORDERING INFORMATION

### FOT-60X-XX-XX-VFL

#### Model ■

FOT-602X-23BL = High-power Ge detector, 1310/1550 nm laser source 9/125 μm

#### Connector Adapter ■

FOA-12 = Biconic  
 FOA-14 = D4, D4/PC  
 FOA-16 = SMA/905, SMA/906  
 FOA-22 = FC (PC/SPC/UPC/APC), NEC-D3  
 FOA-28 = DIN 47256 (LSA): DIN 47256 (PC/APC)  
 FOA-32 = ST (PC/SPC/UPC)  
 FOA-40 = Diamond HMS-0HFS-3 (3.5 mm)  
 FOA-54 = SC (PC/SPC/UPC/APC)  
 FOA-76 = FSMA HMS-10/AG, HFS-10/AG  
 FOA-78 = Radiall EC  
 FOA-84 = Diamond HMS-10, HFS-13  
 FOA-96B = E-2000  
 FOA-98 = LC  
 FOA-99 = MU

#### ■ Visual Fault Locator

VFL = Visual fault locator  
 (universal 2.5 mm connector)

#### ■ Connector\*

EI-EUI-28 = UPC/DIN 47256  
 EI-EUI-76 = UPC/HMS-10/AG  
 EI-EUI-89 = UPC/FC narrow key  
 EI-EUI-90 = UPC/ST  
 EI-EUI-91 = UPC/SC  
 EI-EUI-95 = UPC/E-2000

#### NOTE

a. Singlemode only.

Example: FOT-602X-23BL-FOA-22-EI-EUI-89-VFL

\* EXFO Universal Interface is protected by US patent 6,612,750.

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