

# PPM-350B

NETWORK TESTING—OPTICAL



## The market's first BPON/EPON/GPON power meter

- New PPM-352B-EG-ER: the only power meter truly optimized for EPON and GPON architectures
- Pass/warning/fail indicators (10 threshold sets) for easy assessment of power values—anywhere on the network
- Simultaneous measurement and display of all PON signals—voice, data and video
- Filtered measurements, providing distinct power values for each signal (1310 nm, 1490 nm and 1550 nm)
- Two-port pass-through configurations\* enabling full OLT-to-ONT communication while testing.
- The most easy-to-use instrument of its kind: simply connect the fiber and read the results
- Extended-range for testing at the central office (CO) and before the splitter
- Go-anywhere versatility: enables quick, accurate testing all across the network

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# A Revolutionary Testing Tool for FTTH and FTTP Systems



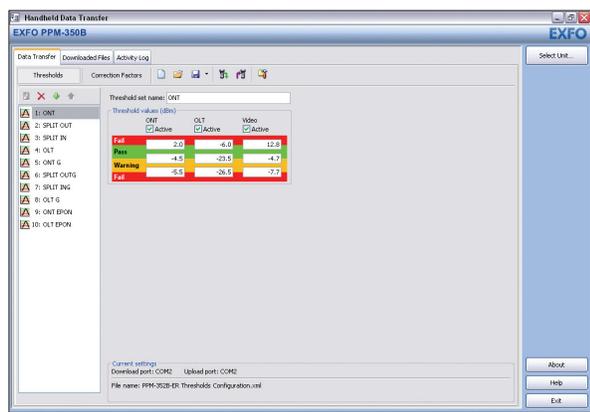
The PPM-350B-EG-ER

The industry's first PON-specific power meter, the PPM-350B is the flagship of EXFO's line of test instruments specifically intended for FTTH and FTTP systems. The PPM-352B-EG-ER is the ideal tool for FTTH/FTTP service activation and troubleshooting.

## Service Activation Testing

Optimizing network reliability requires that all PON signals be measured all the way through service activation to ensure they meet established standards. The PPM-350B offers the features to address this need:

- Pass-through connection for ONT signal measurement and simultaneous measurement of all PON signals
- Filtered detectors for individual measurement of each wavelength
- Upstream burst detection at 1310 nm

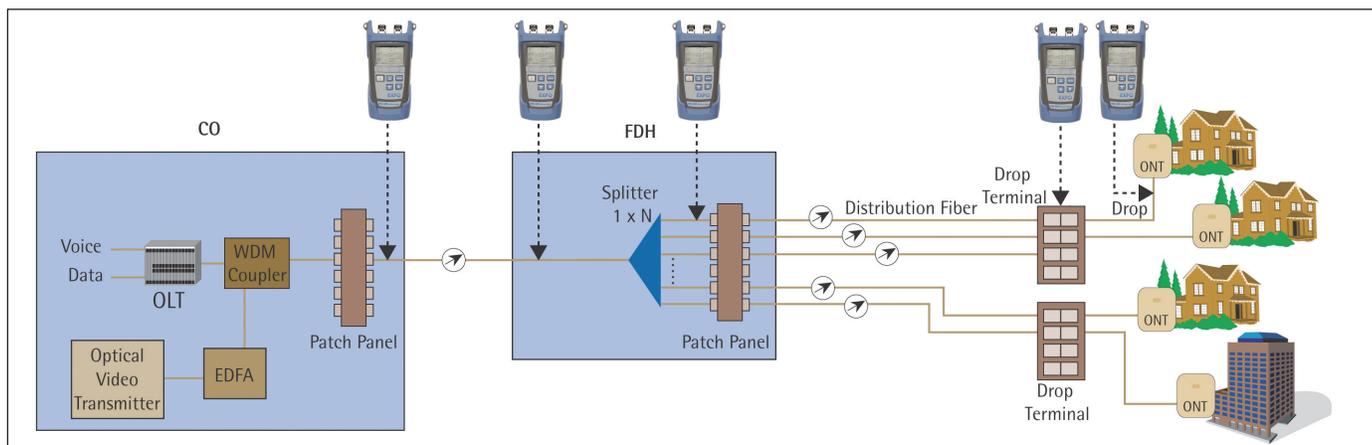


The PPM-350B's threshold configuration software interface.

## Troubleshooting Testing

Throughout the maintenance phase, various transmission problems—fiber cuts, damaged/dirty connectors, macrobendings, optical transmitter failure, etc.—may ultimately cause signal loss or degradation. Benefit from the PPM-350B's troubleshooting functionalities:

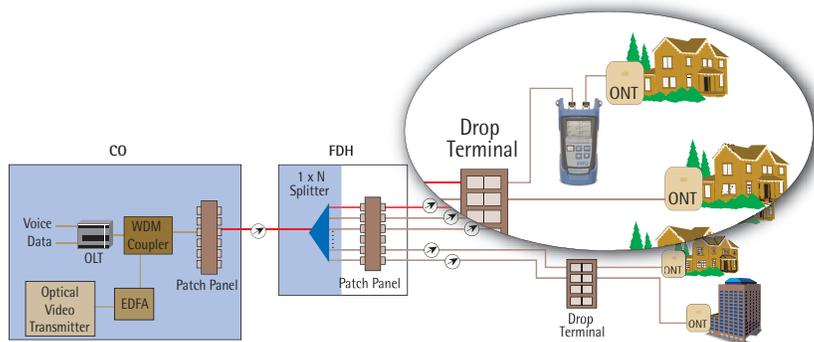
- Quick, on-site test and measurement of PON signals, anywhere on the network
- Fault identification and isolation



The PPM-350B is a choice solution for service activation and maintenance of all PON architectures within a network.

## Upstream Burst Detection—Not To Be Taken Lightly

Correctly measuring PON signals can be a challenging task: not only can a single fiber carry up to three signals, but the upstream signal coming from the ONT operates in burst mode, which means that it is only active during its “allowed” timeslot. This is true whether the network is based on the BPON, EPON or GPON technology. Moreover, the timeslot is shorter in higher-speed networks such as EPON and GPON. Designed with this in mind, the PPM-350B PON Power Meter delivers accurate results for burst signals.



The PPM-350B allows for pass-through connection in any PON architecture.

### Groundbreaking Technology—Two-Port Pass-Through\*

The PPM-352B-EG-ER acts as a pass-through device, which means that it is connected between the OLT and the ONT. A small percentage of the signal is extracted for use by the power meter's detectors.

This approach enables all wavelengths to be used simultaneously. Also, since the PON equipment can keep functioning normally, the ONT continues to operate (to respond to the OLT), and therefore to transmit and have its laser on.

### Up to 10 User-Definable Threshold Sets

Depending on the location of the test and the type of equipment used, different threshold values can be required. The PPM-350B enables you to select from up to 10 threshold sets—each set consisting of three wavelengths (1310, 1490 and 1550 nm) having their own pass, warning and fail thresholds. These values can be configured via the PC-based software.

#### CONFIGURATION

##### PPM-352B-EG-ER

Two-port pass-through: all wavelengths; upstream measurement	X
Downstream OLT signal (1490 nm) for up to 2.5 Gbit/s	X
Downstream RF video signal (1550 nm)	X
Upstream BPON ONT signal for up to 622 Mbit/s, as per ITU 983 (A, B, C)	X
Upstream EPON and GPON ONT signal for up to 1.25 Gbit/s, as per ITU 984 and IEEE 802.3ah	X
Extended range for testing over the entire BPON, EPON or GPON architecture	X



The PPM-350B's display.



The PPM-352B-EG-ER used at the ONT.

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## SPECIFICATIONS <sup>a</sup>

PPM-352B-EG-ER			
		BPON	EPON/GPON
Power measurement range – pass zone for continuous data stream (dBm)	1310 nm		10 to –40
	1490 nm		12 to –40
	1550 nm		25 <sup>b</sup> to –40
Burst mode measurement capability:		CO to ONT	
Burst mode measurement range <sup>b</sup> (dBm)	1310 nm	10 to –33	10 to –29
ORL <sup>c</sup> (dB)	1550 nm		55
Pass through insertion loss <sup>b</sup> (dB)			1.5
Spectral passband (nm)	1310 nm		1260 to 1360
	1490 nm		1480 to 1500
	1550 nm		1539 to 1565
Power uncertainty at calibrated wavelengths <sup>b, d</sup> (dB)			0.5
Refresh rate of display (Hz)			2.5
Calibrated wavelengths (nm)		1310, 1490, 1550	
Threshold sets		10 configurable threshold sets with threshold naming	
Autonomy <sup>b</sup> (hours)			> 30
Number of ports			2
Warranty and recommended calibration interval (year)			1

### Notes

- At room temperature.
- Typical.
- For APC connectors. Typically > 35 dB for UPC connectors.
- Around –7 dBm, CW.
- Same connectors for both ports.

## ORDERING INFORMATION

### PPM-352B-EG-ER-XX

#### Model

PPM-352B-EG-ER = PON power meter, two ports, BPON, extended range EPON, GPON

#### Connector <sup>o</sup>

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  
 EA-EUI-28 = APC/DIN 47256  
 EA-EUI-89 = APC/FC narrow key  
 EA-EUI-91 = APC/SC  
 EA-EUI-95 = APC/E-2000

Example: PPM-352B-EG-ER-EA-EUI-91

## GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Size (H x W x D)	185 mm x 100 mm x 55 mm	(7 1/4 in x 4 in x 2 1/8 in)
Weight	0.4 kg	(0.9 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

## STANDARD ACCESSORIES

User guide, three AA batteries, wrist strap, PC threshold-transfer software, RS-232 cable.



### Rugged Handheld Solutions

<b>OPTICAL</b>	<b>COPPER ACCESS</b>
– OTDRs	– ADSL/ADSL2+, SHDSL, VDSL test sets
– OLTSs	– VoIP and IPTV test sets
– Power meters	– Ethernet test sets
– Light sources	– POTS test sets
– Talk sets	



### Platform-Based Solutions

<b>OPTICAL FIBER</b>	<b>DWDM TEST SYSTEMS</b>	<b>TRANSPORT AND DATACOM</b>
– OTDRs	– OSAs	– Next Generation SONET/SDH and OTN testers
– OLTSs	– PMD analyzers	– SONET/DSn (DS0 to OC-192) testers
– ORL meters	– Chromatic dispersion analyzer	– SDH/PDH (64 kbit/s to STM-64) testers
– Variable attenuators		– T1/T3, E1 testers
		– 10/100 M and Gigabit Ethernet testers
		– Fibre Channel testers
		– 10 Gigabit Ethernet testers



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