# Timing/Delay Modules **Fiber Stretcher**



The FST-001-B is a piezo-driven fiber stretcher with a long optical delay range of up to 3 mm. The device comes complete with a piezo driver packaged in a user-friendly small enclosure. Only +12 VDC is required to power the unit. One attractive feature is that the device is controlled by up to four independent PZTs, so that the customer has the option to drive each PZT individually, for high resolution, or collectively, for large stroke. In addition, each PZT can be controlled either with an analog signal or a 12-bit TTL signal. During analog control, the driving circuit simply acts as a 4-channel voltage

amplifier with 30V/V amplification. Alternatively, the output voltage can be controlled by a computer equipped with a digital I/O card, or by a microprocessor. The FST-001-B enables applications from sensing to medical imaging, interferometry, and spectrum analysis. At General Photonics, we stretch the fiber hard to make your work more relaxed.

#### Specifications: Optical Path Delay Range > 3 mm (in air) 810 $\pi/V$ at 1550nm, (analog input, using 4 channels) Phase Change Sensitivity Internal Voltage Amplification 30 V/V Max. Voltage On PZT 140 volts **Resonance Frequency** 2.2 ± 0.3 kHz Insertion Loss < 0.2 dB < 0.1 dB Insertion Loss Variation Return Loss > 65 dB PDL < 0.05 dB SMF-28 standard, others available by request Fiber Type Wavelength Range<sup>2</sup> 1260 to 1620 nm Maximum Optical Power 1000 mW min. Analog Input 4 channels, 4.7 volts max, for each channel 20-pin digital connector to accept 12 bit TTL Digital Input control signal. Software None **Operation Temperature** 0 to 50 °C Storage Temperature -40 to 80 °C Dimensions 170 (L) × 106 (W) × 38.6 (H) mm

### Features:

- · Large Delay Range
- · High Speed
- · Low Insertion Loss · Analog and Digital Control
- · User Friendly

# Applications:

- · Sensors
- · Interferometers
- · Medical Imaging
- · Spectrum Analysis

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2. With SMF-28 fiber.

Note:

# Ordering Information:

1. Values are referenced without connectors.



