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New OA5 Optical Programmable Attenuators from JGR Optics

Ottawa, Ontario, June 14, 2013 – JGR Optics Inc. announced today the availability of the new OA5 Optical Programmable Attenuators. The OA5 offers an attenuation range from 50 to 100 dB and resolution of ± 0.01 dBm to enable technicians to apply precise control of output power for bit error rate (BER) tests or channel equalization in WDM systems.

There are six models in the OA5 Optical Programmable Attenuator family. The standard models cover the 1200 nm to 1700 nm wavelength range for single mode and 700 nm to 1700 nm range for multimode. JGR also offers two high-power models for applications requiring up to +37 dBm. Finally, a Flexcore model covering the wavelength range of 900 nm to 1100 nm is also available.

All OA5 attenuators can be controlled locally using the front panel keypad or remotely via GPIB, RS-232 or USB.

“Optical attenuators remain key instruments in every research lab and on any production floor. Today’s attenuators however, need to be faster, more reliable, and more economical than their predecessors. The OA5 is the answer to all those requirements with its high-end specifications,” said Pierre Leonard, president and CEO of JGR Optics.

About JGR Optics inc.

JGR develops and manufactures high quality fiber optic instrumentation for the unique demands of test and measurement environments. Our current product offering includes SX Series Optical Switches , BR5 and MBR5 Backreflection Meters compliant with the new IEC 61240-4-1 Multimode Standard and the MS12001 Cable Assembly Test System. JGR Optics also provides support, on-site calibration, and repair under JGR NIST-traceable, ISO17023:2005 certification.

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