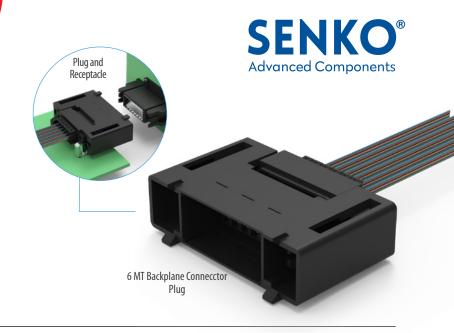
# DATA SHEET

# **6 MT** BACKPLANE CONNECTOR - PLUG

# Blind-Mate Optical Connector



SENKO's Optical Backplane connector with AirMT™ technology represents a cutting-edge solution for high-speed data centers and rugged environments. This connector, designed to meet the demands of next-generation architectures, offers exceptional optical performance and stability. Leveraging blind mating technology, it seamlessly connects up to 144 fibers using 24F MT ferrules. The key features include high-density MT connectivity, which optimizes space utilization, and a lower mating force compared to traditional MPO connectors, ensuring ease of installation and reliable connections. With both 6 x 12F and 6 x 24F ferrule options, it provides flexibility for various applications. Additionally, the inner shutter mechanism enhances eye safety during handling and maintenance. Whether you're designing CPO Switches or deploying optical interconnects in rugged environments, SENKO's Optical Backplane connector delivers unparalleled performance and reliability

#### **FEATURES**

- High density MT connectivity
- Lower mating force vs MPO
- Accommodates 6 x 12F & 6 x 24F ferrule options
- AirMT technology compatible

#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Data center
- Co-packaged optics (CPO)
- On board optics
- Optical cross connect
- Telecommunications

#### KEY BENEFITS

- Blind mate
- High fiber count
- **✓** High durability
- Low Spring force with AirMT technology

# Blind-mate optical connector

#### **Mechanical Data**

|                        | Value  |
|------------------------|--|
| Durability             | 50 matings per GR-1435-CORE<br>200 matings for AirMT ferrule |
| Fixing Method          | Screw mount  |
| Housing Material Type  | Plastic  |
| Dust Protection Method | Removeable dust caps   |

## **Optical Data**

|  | Singlemode |          | Multimode |          |
|--|------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| Parameters   | APC        |          | ММ        |          |
|  | Low Loss   | Standard | Low Loss  | Standard |
| Typical Insertion Loss (dB)* 12-fiber                                | 0.10       | 0.20     | 0.08      | 0.15     |
| Max. Insertion Loss (dB)* 12-fiber                                   | 0.25       | 0.70     | 0.25      | 0.50     |
| Typical Insertion Loss (dB)* 12-fiber<br>With non-contact technology | 0.10       | 0.20     | 0.08      | 0.15     |
| Max. Insertion Loss (dB)* 12-fiber<br>With non-contact technology    | 0.25       | 0.70     | 0.25      | 0.50     |
| Typical Insertion Loss (dB)* 24-fiber<br>With non-contact technology | 0.25       | 0.35     | 0.15      | 0.20     |
| Max. Insertion Loss (dB)* 24-fiber<br>With non-contact technology    | 0.50       | 1.00     | 0.35      | 0.50     |
| Typical Return Loss (dB)   | ≥55        |          | ≥25       |          |

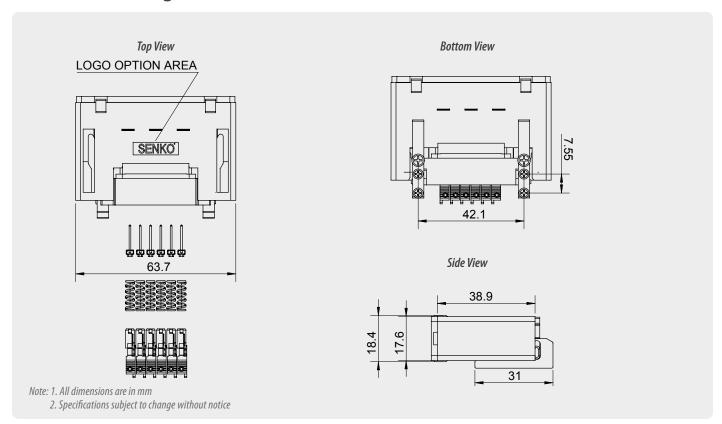
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#### **Environmental Data**

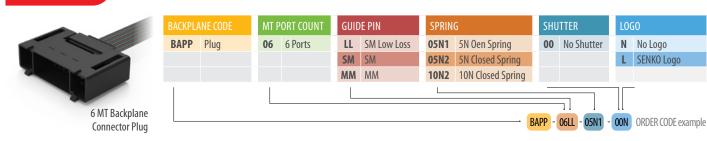
|                           | Value          |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Operating Temperature (C) | -40°C to +75°C |
| RoHS Compliance           | 2015/863 RoHS  |
| REACH Compliance          | Yes            |
| Humidity Resistance       | 95%            |

## Blind-mate optical connector

#### **Connector Drawing**



#### ORDERING







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