

How narrow is narrow ...

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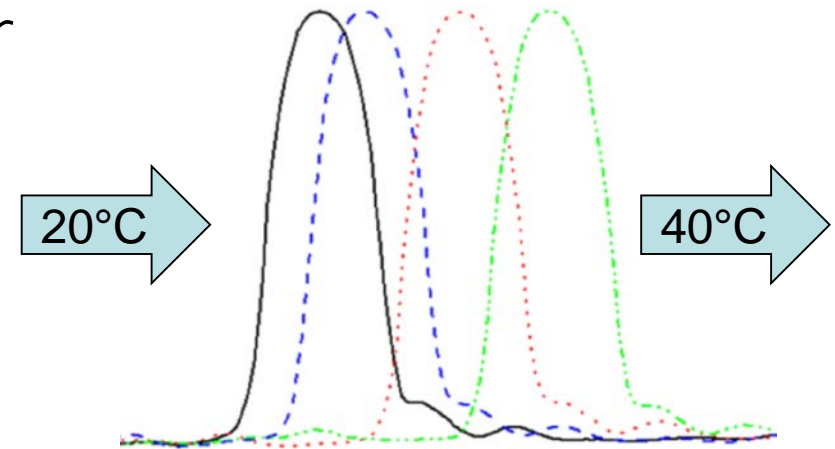
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transmission window size / 1

- Temperature drift of the laser center wavelength within target operating window

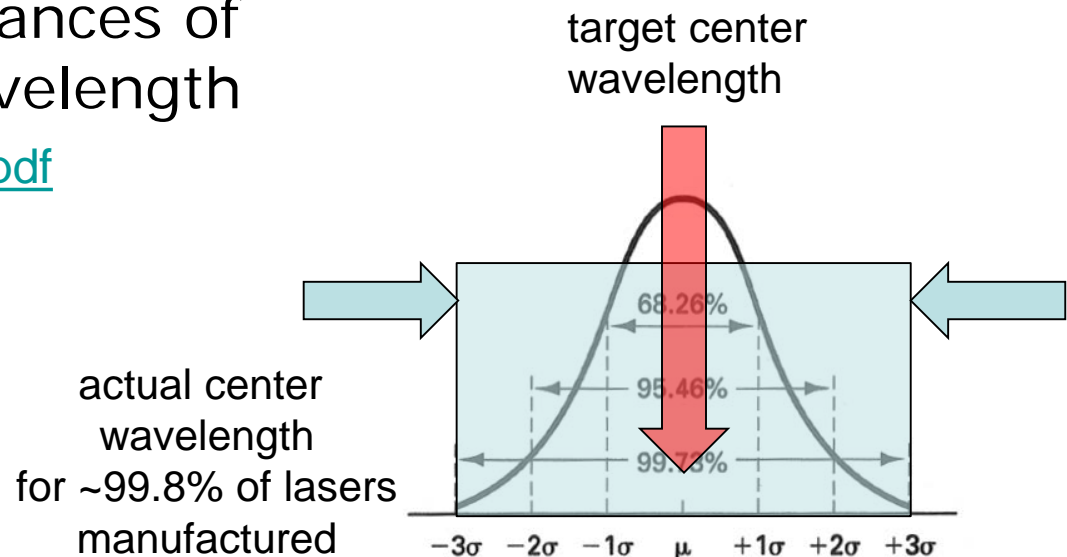
$\sim 0.09\text{nm}/^\circ\text{C}$



- Manufacturing tolerances of the laser center wavelength

[johnson_01_0108.pdf](#)

**$6(?)\text{nm}$
for 3σ**



transmission window size /2

- Accounts for TOSA to module and module (air inside ONU case) to ambient (outside ONU case)
 - Typical $\sim 20^{\circ}\text{C}$, $\sim 25\text{-}30^{\circ}\text{C}$ in poor designs
 - Added to ambient temperature range

$\sim 0.09\text{nm}/^{\circ}\text{C}$

- Include burst shift penalty and spectral width penalty
 - Burst shift penalty: 45GHz over target temp range
 - Spectral width penalty: 50GHz over target temp range
 - Reference: [park_3ca_2b_0517.pdf](#)

0.54nm

adding it all up ...

- ❑ Target temperature range: **0-40°C**
- ❑ Center wavelength drift due to temperature:
 $40 \times 0.09 = \mathbf{3.6nm}$
- ❑ Manufacturing tolerances: **6nm / 3σ**
- ❑ Burst and spectral shift penalty: **0.54nm**
- ❑ Center wavelength drift due to imperfect thermal resistance (TOSA \leftrightarrow heat sink, worst case)
 $30 \times 0.09 = \mathbf{2.7nm}$

grant total: 12.84nm

13nm industrial standard per G.694.2

ways to minimize further

- ❑ Improved thermal resistance: target 25°C worst case ⇒ **2.25nm** vs **2.7nm**
- ❑ Further restrict temperature range: target 10-40°C ⇒ **2.7nm** vs **3.6nm**
- ❑ Burst and spectral shift penalty: **0.54nm**
- ❑ Tighten manufacturing tolerances: **4nm** / 2σ (~95.5% yield)

9.49nm

- ❑ Further improvements would require more dramatic temperature range restriction and/or tightening manufacturing process (yield loss)