ABSTRACT

Optical fiber can transmit information at high speed over long distances, a

small noise, and wide bandwidth. However, the level of information that is sent

through an optical fiber is always decreasing, the cause is the presence of noise.

One effort to decrease the level prevents the power delivered is by installing an

optical amplifier.

EDFA (Erbium Doped Fiber Amplifier) is one of the optical amplifier that

can provide reinforcementdirectly on the optical signal, but with the added noise

ASE (Amplified Spontaneous Emission). Noise ASE which is the main source of

noise in EDFA. The purpose of making this final project is to suppress the noise

ASE generated by EDFA is not flat at a 1531 nm. The flat noise ASE spectrum

can improve the transmission distance and increase the number of transmission

channels which is very useful in DWDM system.

The amount of noise ASE generated by EDFA can be suppressed using

Fiber Bragg Gratign filters. In this final project simulation, FBG can minimize

noise ASE by -2.5655 dB with FWHM 10.5380 nm, bragg period 524.3151nm,

and length of bragg 78.6473 μ m, the result of a combination of $\Delta n = 0005$ and N

= 150.

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