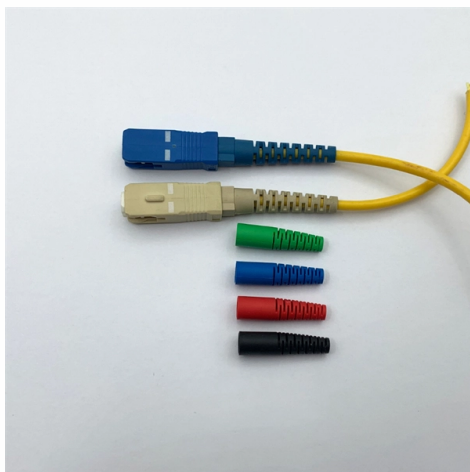


## GPON user terminal device is lit up with red light



### Overview

The lighting rules of Gigabit GPON Terminal Products. Visit your product's support page, select the correct hardware version for your device, and check it.

### Key Takeaways

A red light on a GPON ONT typically indicates a loss of optical signal or failure to register with the OLT, meaning the device cannot transmit or receive data properly. Meaning of the Red Light

On GPON devices, the LOS (Loss of Signal) LED is the key indicator for optical connectivity. A solid or blinking red LOS light usually means:

- No optical signal is received from the OLT, or the signal is too weak to establish a connection .
- The ONT is unable to register with the OLT, which may occur if the device is not recognized or is considered a rogue ONT .
- Hardware issues or fiber disconnection can also trigger a red light .

#### Common Causes

- Fiber cable issues: The optical fiber may be disconnected, bent, or the connector contaminated .
- Signal loss: High optical loss (e.g., beyond -26 dBm) can prevent the ONT from receiving a usable signal .

- **ONT registration failure:** The device may not be authorized or properly configured on the OLT .

- **Hardware faults:** Rarely, the ONT itself may be defective .

#### Troubleshooting Steps

- **Check fiber connections:** Ensure the optical cable is securely connected to the ONT and free from dust or damage .

- **Power cycle the ONT:** Unplug the power, wait 30 seconds, and plug it back in to reset the device .

- **Inspect the LED behavior:** If the LOS light blinks slowly, it may indicate a minor connection issue; rapid blinking may indicate transmission problems .

- **Reset the ONT:** Use the reset button for 10–15 seconds to restore factory settings if necessary .

- **Contact your ISP:** If the red light persists, report the issue to your service provider. They can check the OLT, fiber line, and registration status, and determine if the problem is local or part of a wider network fault .

#### Key Advice

Focus on the LOS red light rather than other LEDs on your router or hub, as the red LOS light directly reflects the optical connection status . Avoid attempting hardware replacements unless instructed by your ISP, as the issue often lies in the fiber line or OLT configuration.

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PON Indicator Light (Connected to the Passive Optical Network Port) Normal State: Green light on, indicating a

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Figure 2. OPM troubleshooting OTDR is connected in the PON as shown in Figure 3. It can measure distance to the break in the

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