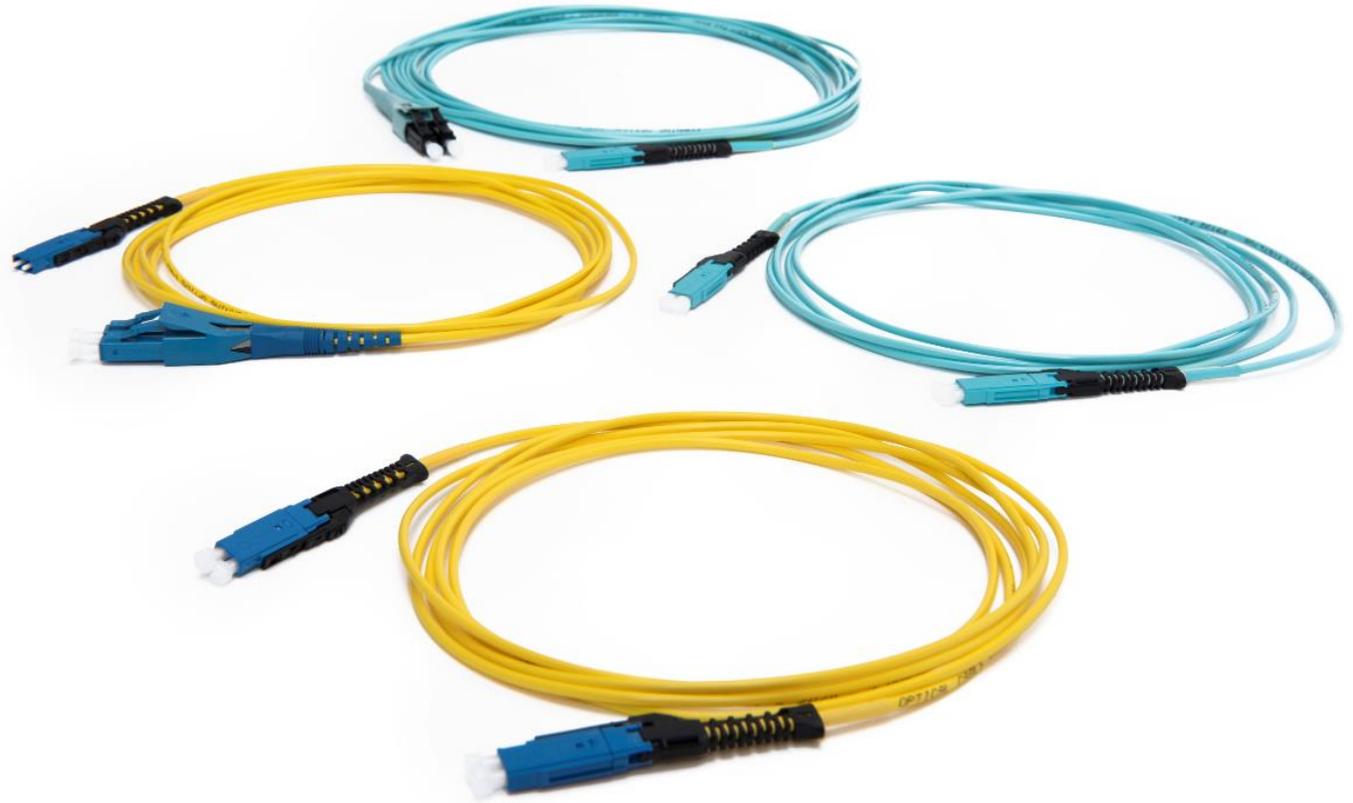


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## **Very Small Form Factor Connectors**





What is a Small Form Factor Connector?



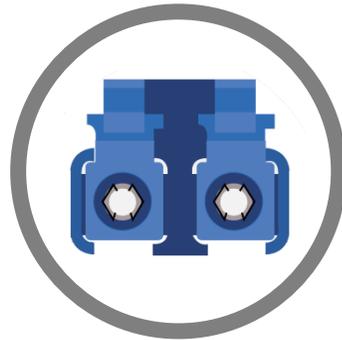
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**Small Form Factor (SFF) connectors** are **compact** fiber optic **connectors** that are designed for **small** spaces. These types of **small** components are always beneficial in fiber network applications where space is a **factor**.

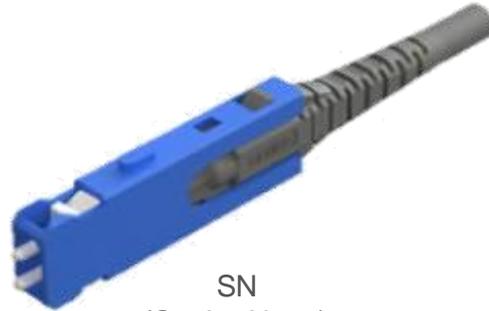
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Very Small



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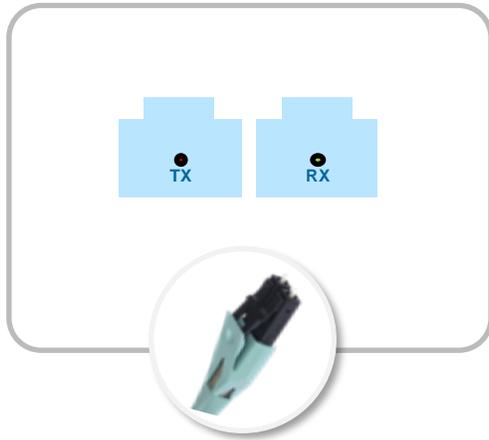
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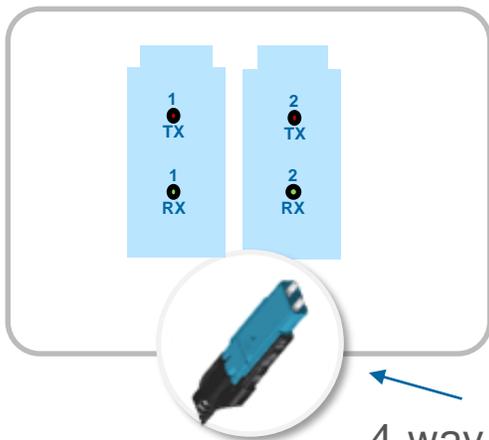
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# Connector Interfaces for 400G Cabling Solutions

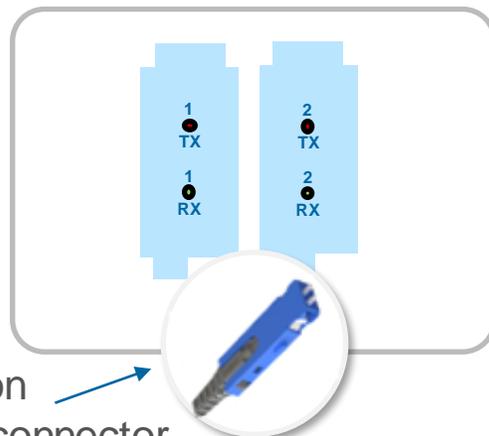
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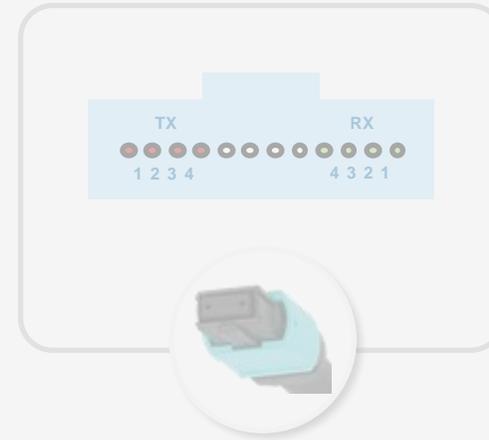
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Option  
4-way (8 F) connector

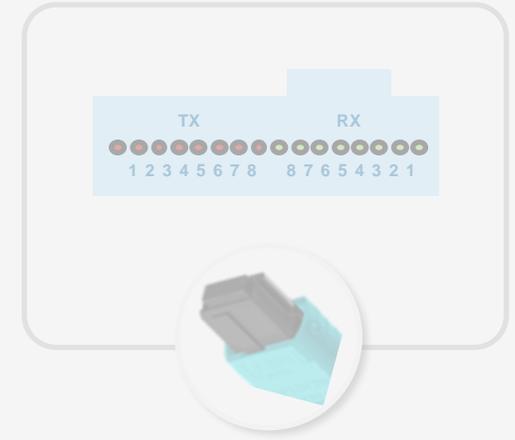
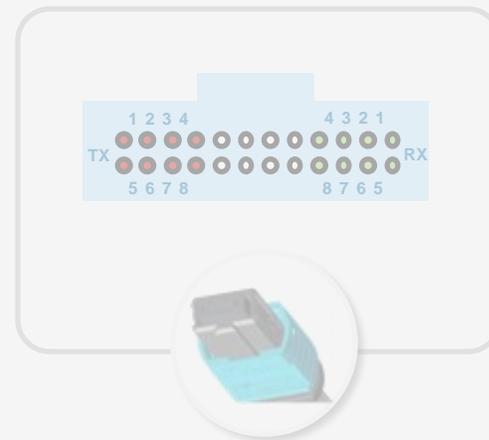
MPO-12

Base-8  
Base-12



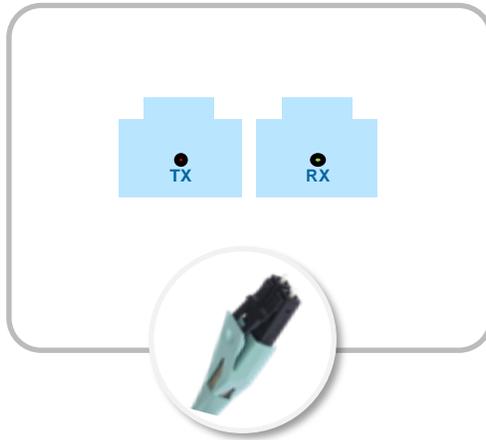
MPO-12 DD → 2x Base-8

MPO-16 → Base-16

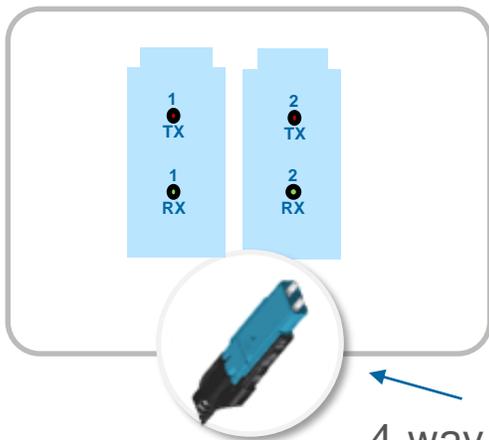


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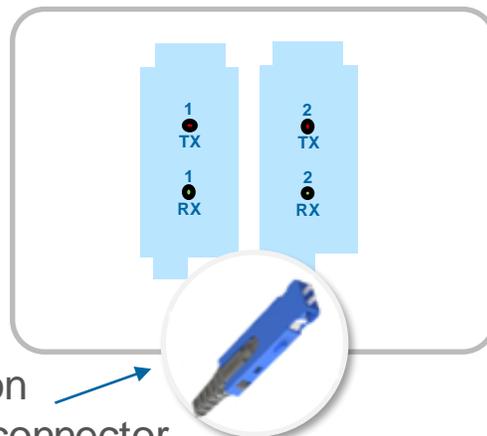
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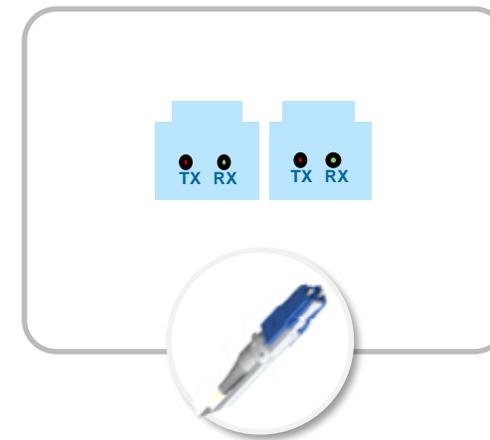


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Option  
4-way (8 F) connector

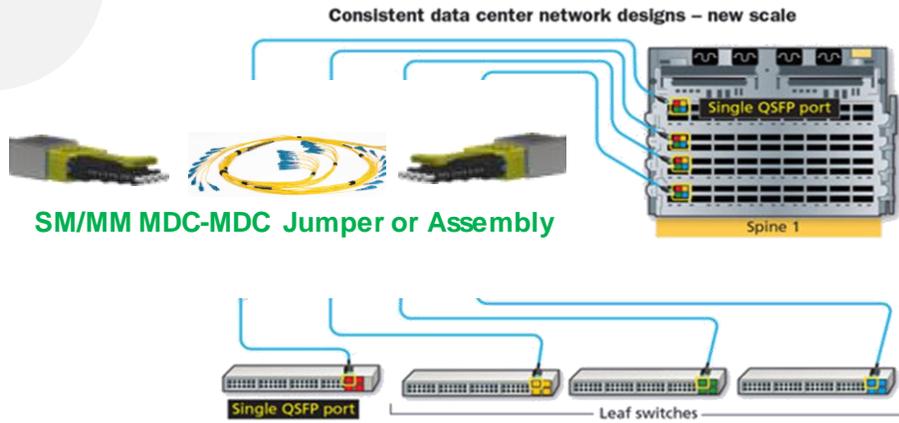
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# What are the drivers for VSFF Connectors?

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## Breakout applications at the optics



- A smaller duplex connector can be used to **plug** the breakout fibers **directly** into a new multichannel Tx/Rx device
- **Who drives it?**
  - Hyperscale DCs / Carriers
- **What does it require?**
  - VSFFC transceivers, VSFFC jumpers or VSFFC assemblies

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## Higher density fiber management

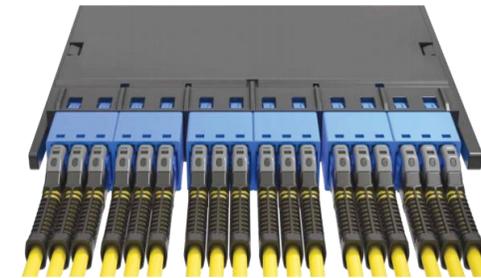


Image Source: US Conec Website

- Smaller-form-factor connectors would increase density by **2 to 3 times (up to 432 F)** in a rack unit
- **Who drives it?**
  - Enterprise DC / Carriers
- **What does it require?**
  - VSFFC jumpers, VSFFC modules, Housing to handle density

# Transceiver Breakout Applications

 **SENKO**  
SENKO GROUP Advanced Components



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(Senko-Nano)

 **US CONEC**



MDC  
(Mini-Duplex)

OSFP, QSFP-DD  
2x200G, 2x100G  
~~QSFP-DD 4x100G~~  
~~SFP-DD 2x50G~~

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