

# ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Free, Double-Jacket, Single-Armored Cable

12 F, Single-mode (OS2)

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ALTOS® gel-free, double-jacket, single-armored cables are rugged, armored cables designed for direct-buried installation while suitable for duct and aerial (lashed) installation. The loose tube design provides stable performance over a wide temperature range and is compatible with any telecommunications-grade optical fiber.

## Features and Benefits

### Gel-free waterblocking technology

Craft-friendly cable preparation

### Corrugated steel tape armor

Provides rodent resistance for direct-buried applications

### Flexible, craft-friendly buffer tubes

Facilitate easy routing in closures

### SZ-stranded, loose tube design

Isolates fibers from installation and environmental rigors and facilitates mid-span access

### Dielectric central strength member

No preferential bend and requires no bonding or grounding

### Medium-density polyethylene jacket

Rugged, durable and easy to strip (while providing superior protection against UV radiation, fungus, abrasion and other environmental factors)

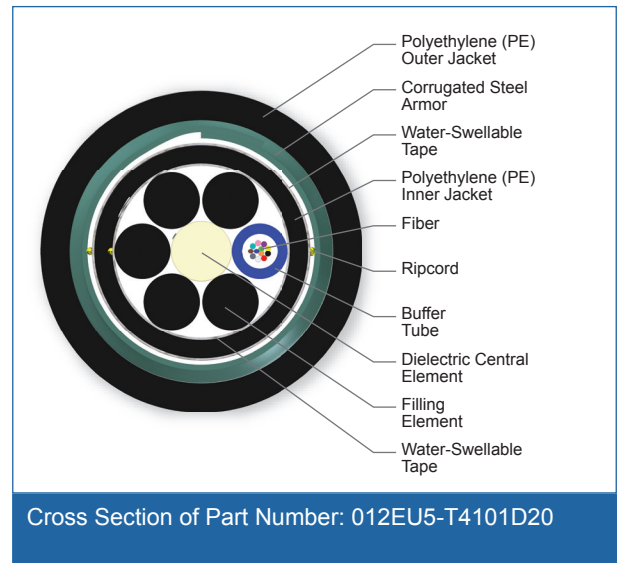
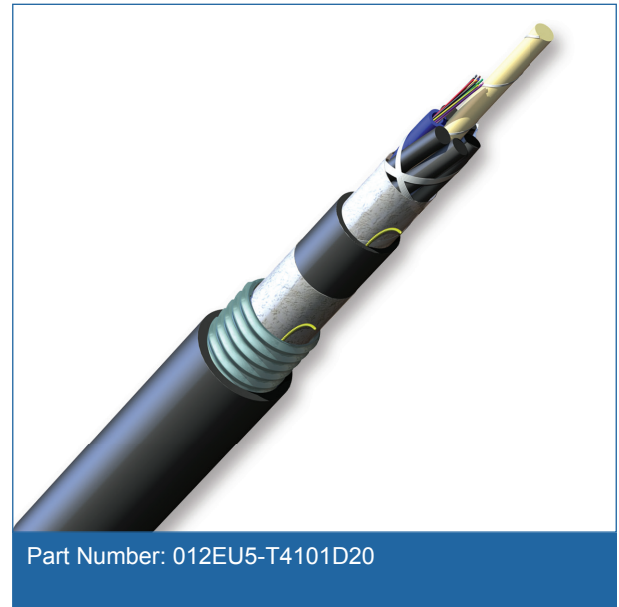
## Standards

### Approvals and Listings

USDA Rural Development Programs

### Design and Test Criteria

Telcordia GR-20, ICEA-640



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## Specifications

### General Specifications

Environment	Outdoor
Application	Aerial, Direct Buried
Cable Type	Loose Tube
Product Type	Armored
Fiber Category	Single-mode (OS2)

### Temperature Range

Storage	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)
Installation	-30 °C to 70 °C (-22 °F to 158 °F)
Operation	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)

### Cable Design

Central Element	Dielectric
Fiber Count	12
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	6
Number of Active Tubes	1
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Number of Filling Elements	5
Tape	Water-swellaable
Inner Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellaable
Number of Ripcords	3
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Corrugated steel tape armor
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black

### Mechanical Characteristics Cable

Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)

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Weight	179 kg/km (120 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	14.3 mm (0.56 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	215 mm (8.4 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	143 mm (5.6 in)

## Chemical Characteristics

RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2011/65/EU
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## Fiber Specifications

### Optical Characteristics (cabled)

Fiber Name	Single-mode (OS2)
Fiber Category	G.652.D
Fiber Code	E
Performance Option Code	01
Wavelengths	1310 nm / 1383 nm / 1550 nm
Maximum Attenuation	0.4 dB/km / 0.4 dB/km / 0.3 dB/km

## Ordering Information

Part Number	012EU5-T4101D20
Product Description	ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Free, Double-Jacket, Single-Armored Cable, 12 F, Single-mode (OS2)
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