# ALTOS<sup>®</sup> Lite<sup>™</sup> Loose Tube, Gel-Filled, Single-Jacket, Single-Armored Cable

48 F, Single-mode (OS2)



Corning ALTOS® Lite™ single-jacket, single-armored cables are lightweight, reduced-diameter, armored cables designed for direct-buried, 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

### 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

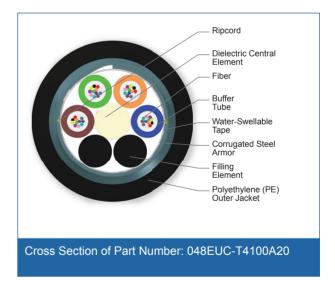
Rugged, durable and easy to strip (while providing superior protection against UV radiation, fungus, abrasion and other environmental factors)

### **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, Duct
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	48
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	4
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Number of Filling Elements	2
Tape	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	2
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)
Weight	136 kg/km (91 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	12.1 mm (0.48 in)



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Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Min. Bend Radius Installation	182 mm (7.1 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	121 mm (4.8 in)

Chemical Characteristics	
RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2002/95/ EG

### **Fiber Specifications**

Optical Characteristics (cabled)	
Fiber Name	Single-mode (OS2)
Fiber Category	G.652.D
Fiber Code	E
Performance Option Code	00
Wavelengths	1310 nm / 1383 nm / 1550 nm
Maximum Attenuation	0.35 dB/km / 0.35 dB/km / 0.25 dB/km

## **Ordering Information**

Part Number	048EUC-T4100A20
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