ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Filled, Triple-Jacket, Double-Armored Cable

60 F, 50 µm multimode (OM2)

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Corning ALTOS® triple-jacket, double-armored cables are rugged, armored cables designed for direct-buried installations. The loose tube design provides stable performance over a wide temperature range and is compatible with any telecommunications-grade optical fiber.

Features and Benefits

Three jacket layers and two steel tape armor layers
Provide superior rodent resistance for direct-buried applications

Flexible, craft-friendly buffer tubes
Facilitate easy routing in closures

Innovative waterblocking design
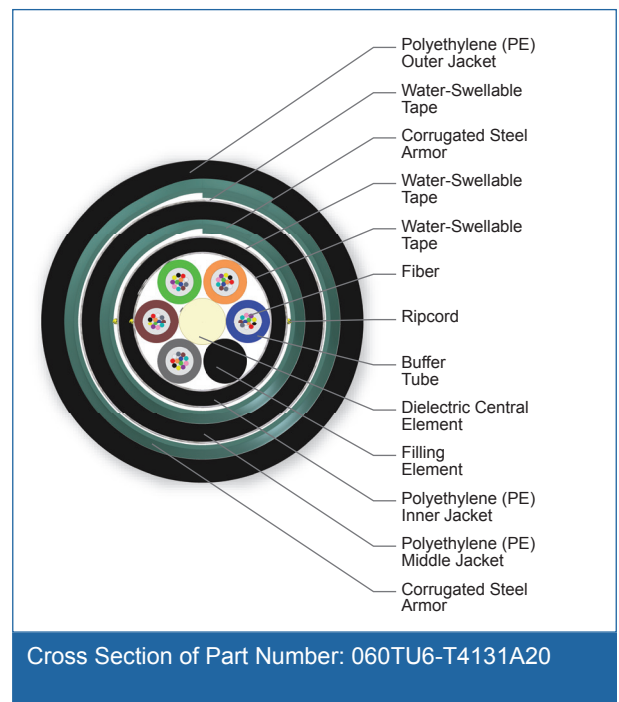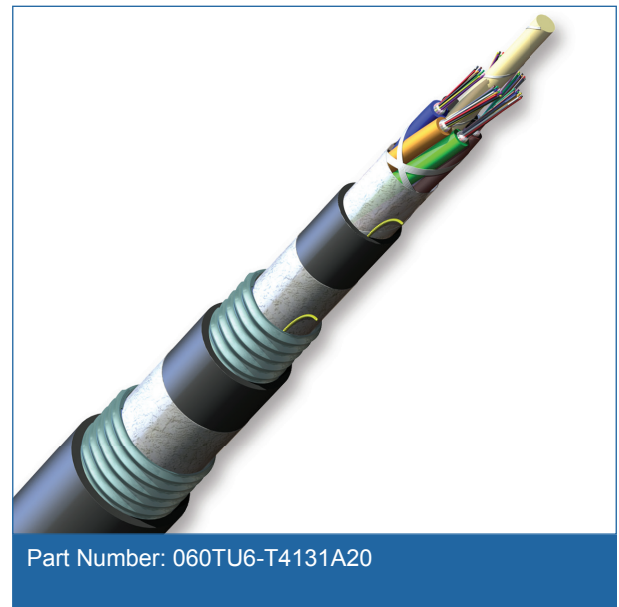Provides efficient and craft-friendly cable preparation

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

Exceeds the RDUP requirements for mid-span buffer tube slack storage
Provides flexibility for mid-span access applications

Standards

Approvals and Listings	USDA Rural Development Programs
Design and Test Criteria	Telcordia GR-20, ICEA-640

Part Number: 060TU6-T4131A20

- Polyethylene (PE) Outer Jacket
- Water-Swellable Tape
- Corrugated Steel Armor
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- Fiber
- Ripcord
- Buffer Tube
- Dielectric Central Element
- Filling Element
- Polyethylene (PE) Inner Jacket
- Polyethylene (PE) Middle Jacket
- Corrugated Steel Armor

Cross Section of Part Number: 060TU6-T4131A20

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Specifications

General Specifications	
Environment	Outdoor
Application	Direct Buried
Cable Type	Loose Tube
Product Type	Armored
Fiber Category	50 µm MM (OM2)

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	60
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	5
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellable
Number of Filling Elements	1
Inner Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellable
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Corrugated steel tape armor
Intermediate Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 3	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	5
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 2	Corrugated steel tape armor
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black
Maximum Fibers per Tube	12

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Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)
Weight	317 kg/km (213 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	18.3 mm (0.72 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	275 mm (10.8 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	183 mm (7.2 in)

Chemical Characteristics	
RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2011/65/EU

Fiber Specifications

Optical Characteristics (cabled)	
Fiber Core Diameter	50 µm
Fiber Category	OM2
Fiber Code	T
Performance Option Code	31
Wavelengths	850 nm / 1300 nm
Maximum Attenuation	3.0 dB/km / 1.0 dB/km
Serial 1 Gigabit Ethernet	750 m / 500 m
Serial 10 Gigabit Ethernet	150 m / -
Min. Overfilled Launch (OFL) Bandwidth	700 MHz*km / 500 MHz*km
Minimum Effective Modal Bandwidth (EMB)	950 MHz*km / -

Notes: 1) *50 µm multimode fiber macrobend loss ≤ 0.2 dB at 850 nm for two turns around 7.5 mm radius mandrel.*
2) *Improved attenuation and bandwidth options available.*
3) *Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.*
4) *Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.*

Ordering Information

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