## **ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Free Cable**

72 F, Single-mode (OS2)



Corning ALTOS® all-dielectric gel-free cables are designed for outdoor and limited indoor use for campus backbones in lashed aerial and duct installations. The loose tube gel-free design is fully waterblocked using craft-friendly, water-swellable materials, which means cable access is simple and no clean up is required. The flexible craft-friendly buffer tubes are easy to route in closures, and the SZ-stranded, loose tube design isolates fibers from installation and environmental rigors while allowing easy mid-span access. The all-dielectric cable construction requires no bonding or grounding, and these cables have a medium-density polyethylene jacket that is rugged, durable and easy to strip.

### **Features and Benefits**

**Gel-free waterblocking technology** 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)

#### All-dielectric construction

Requires no grounding or bonding

### **Standards**

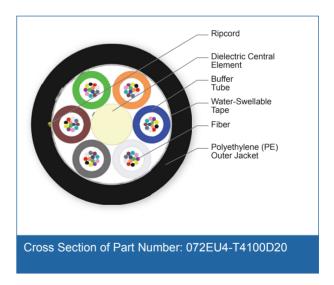
Common Installations Outdoor lashed aerial and

duct; indoor when installed according to National Electrical Code® (NEC®)

Article 770

Design and Test Criteria ANSI/ICEA S-87-640





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## **Specifications**

General Specifications	
Environment	Outdoor
Application	Aerial, Duct
Cable Type	Loose Tube
Product Type	Dielectric
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	72
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	6
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	1
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black
Maximum Fibers per Tube	12

Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)
Weight	73 kg/km (49 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	10.5 mm (0.41 in)



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Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Min. Bend Radius Installation	158 mm (6.2 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	105 mm (4.1 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	072EU4-T4100D20
Product Description	ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Free Cable, 72 F, Single-mode (OS2)
EAN Code	4056418185934



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