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

84 F, 50 µm multimode (OM2)



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**

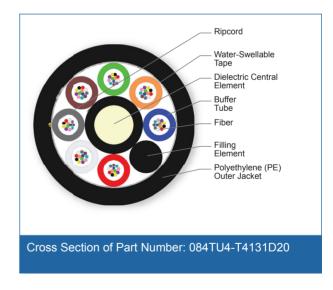
Common Installations Outdoor lashed aerial and

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

Article 770

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





### **Specifications**

General Specifications	
Environment	Outdoor
Application	Aerial, Duct
Cable Type	Loose Tube



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General Specifications	
Product Type	Dielectric
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	84
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	8
Number of Active Tubes	7
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Number of Filling Elements	1
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	98 kg/km (66 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	12.2 mm (0.48 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	183 mm (7.2 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	122 mm (4.8 in)



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

### **Fiber Specifications**

Optical Characteristics (cabled)		
Fiber Core Diameter	50 μm	
Fiber Category	OM2	
Fiber Code	Т	
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.
- Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.
- 4) Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.

### **Ordering Information**

Part Number	084TU4-T4131D20
Product Description	ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Free Cable, 84 F, 50 $\mu m$ multimode (OM2)
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