96 F, 62.5 μm multimode (OM1)



Corning FREEDM® ribbon riser cables are lightweight cables designed for indoor/outdoor installations such as campus backbones in aerial, duct and riser applications. A UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket allows added flexibility in placing this cable outdoors, whether it is an aerial, duct or direct-buried application, or indoor general horizontal or riser applications.

The cable consists of a ribbon stack of 12-fiber ribbons within a gel-filled central buffer tube. With easily accessible individual 250 µm colored fibers, the ribbons have readily identifiable ribbon ID numbers and fiber colors. The precise fiber and ribbon geometries result in excellent mass splicing yields. Surrounding the tube are dielectric strength members that provide tensile strength and innovative waterblocking tapes that reduce cable weight and preparation time. This design is also compatible with standard ribbon cable procedures and hardware for easy field installation and reduced labor costs.

Note: This cable is available in 12 different jacket colors – blue, orange, green, brown, slate, white, red, black, yellow, violet, rose and aqua. The colored jacket allows for easy visual identification of the cables while still providing all of the required environmental protection of an indoor/outdoor cable jacket. Black is the standard jacket color using the part numbers shown here. Contact Customer Care at 1-800-743-2675 to order other color options.

### **Features and Benefits**

#### Precise fiber and ribbon geometries

Excellent mass splicing yields

### Waterblocked cable

Enables use of cables for outdoor applications

#### 12-fiber ribbons with ribbon IDs

Easy identification

### UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket

Rugged, durable and easy to strip

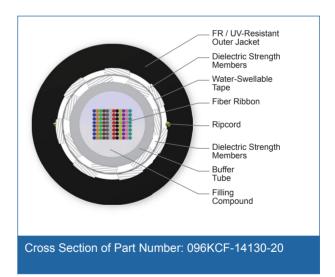
### Available in preconnectorized assemblies

Easy field installation and reduced labor costs

### **Common installations**

Outdoor aerial and duct; indoor vertical riser and general purpose horizontal according to NEC Article 770







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### Standards

Listings National Electrical Code® (NEC®) OFNR, FT-4

Design and Test Criteria ANSI/ICEA S-104-696, CSA

OFN FT-4

## **Specifications**

General Specifications	
Environment	Indoor/Outdoor Cables
Application	Aerial, Direct Buried, Duct, General Purpose Horizontal, (Vertical Riser)
Cable Type	Ribbon
Product Type	Dielectric
Flame Rating	Riser (OFNR)
Fiber Category	62.5 µm MM (OM1)

Temperature Range	
Storage	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)
Installation	-10 °C to 60 °C (14 °F to 140 °F)
Operation	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)

Cable Design	
Fiber Count	96
Ribbons per Tube	8
Fibers per Ribbon	12
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Buffer Tube Color	Natural
Buffer Tube Diameter	6.7 mm (0.26 in)
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Dielectric strength members
Tape	Water-swellable
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 2	Dielectric strength members
Number of Ripcords	2
Outer Jacket Material	Flame-Retardant, UV-Resistant
Outer Jacket Color	Black



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Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	600 N (135 lbf)
Weight	157 kg/km (105 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	12.7 mm (0.50 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	191 mm (7.5 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	127 mm (5 in)

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

## Fiber Specifications

Optical Characteristics (cabled)		
Fiber Core Diameter	62.5 µm	
Fiber Category	OM1	
Fiber Code	К	
Performance Option Code	30	
Wavelengths	850 nm / 1300 nm	
Maximum Attenuation	3.4 dB/km / 1.0 dB/km	
Serial 1 Gigabit Ethernet	300 m / 550 m	
Serial 10 Gigabit Ethernet	33 m / -	
Min. Overfilled Launch (OFL) Bandwidth	200 MHz*km / 500 MHz*km	
Minimum Effective Modal Bandwidth (EMB)	220 MHz*km / -	

- Notes: 1) Improved attenuation and bandwidth options available.
  - 2) Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.
  - 3) Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.

### **Ordering Information**

Part Number	096KCF-14130-20
Product Description	FREEDM® Ribbon, Gel-Filled Cable, Riser, 96 F, 62.5 $\mu m$ multimode (OM1)
EAN Code	4056418190372



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**Notes** 



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