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

144 F, Single-mode (OS2)



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

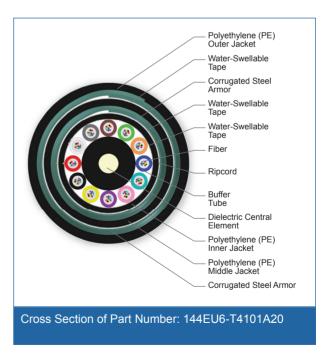
Provides flexibility for mid-span access applications

Standards

Approvals and Listings USDA Rural Development Programs

Design and Test Criteria Telcordia GR-20, ICEA-640





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Specifications

General Specifications	
Environment	Outdoor
Application	Direct Buried
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	144
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	12
Number of Active Tubes	12
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellable
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	501 kg/km (336 lb/1000 ft)	
Nominal Outer Diameter	23.8 mm (0.94 in)	
Min. Bend Radius Installation	357 mm (14.1 in)	
Min. Bend Radius Operation	238 mm (9.4 in)	

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

Fiber Specifications

Optical Characteristics (cabled)		
Fiber Name	Single-mode (OS2)	
Fiber Category	G.652.D	
Fiber Code	E	
Performance Option Code	01	
Wavelengths	1310 nm / 1383 nm / 1550 nm	
Maximum Attenuation	0.4 dB/km / 0.4 dB/km / 0.3 dB/km	

Ordering Information

Part Number	144EU6-T4101A20
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