# **ALTOS® Low-Temperature, Loose Tube, Gel-Filled Cable**

216 F, 62.5 µm multimode (OM1)



Corning ALTOS® low-temperature cables are designed for extreme cold temperature environments with an extended operating range of -50° to +70°C (-58° to +158°F). Dielectric and armored jackets allow for duct, direct-buried or aerial (lashed) installation.

### **Features and Benefits**

Extended operating temperature range of -50° to +70°C (-58° to +158°F)

Allows for operation at extreme low temperatures

### Flexible, craft-friendly buffer tubes

Facilitate easy routing in closures

#### Innovative waterblocking design

Provides efficient and craft-friendly cable preparation

#### SZ-stranded, loose tube design

Isolates fibers from installation and environmental rigors and facilitates mid-span access

### Dielectric central strength member

No preferential bend and requires no bonding or grounding

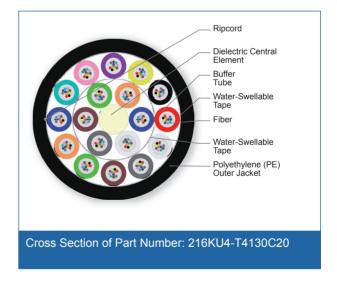
### Medium-density polyethylene jacket

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

## Standards

Approvals and Listings	USDA Rural Development Programs
Common Installations	Designed for Duct and Aerial Applications
Design and Test Criteria	Telcordia GR-20, ICEA-640





## **Specifications**

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



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General Specifications	
Product Type	Dielectric
Fiber Category	62.5 µm MM (OM1)

Temperature Range	
Storage	-50 °C to 70 °C (-58 °F to 158 °F)
Installation	-30 °C to 70 °C (-22 °F to 158 °F)
Operation	-50 °C to 70 °C (-58 °F to 158 °F)

Cable Design	
Central Element	Dielectric
Fiber Count	216
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	18
Number of Active Tubes	18
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 1	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellable
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 2	Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua, Blue*, Orange*, Green*, Brown*, Slate*, White*
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	2
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black

Notes: Tubes 13 to 24 include a co-extruded stripe that is white for the black tube and black for all other tube colors.

Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)
Weight	169 kg/km (113 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	16 mm (0.63 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	240 mm (9.4 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	160 mm (6.3 in)



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Chemical Characteristics	
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	K
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.

Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.

3) Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.

## **Ordering Information**

Part Number	216KU4-T4130C20
Product Description	ALTOS® Low-Temperature, Loose Tube, Gel-Filled Cable, 216 F, 62.5 $\mu m$ multimode (OM1)
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