ALTOS® Double-Jacket, Single-Armored Cables, 12-432 Fibers, Enhanced

360 F, Single-mode (OS2)



ALTOS® double-jacket, single-armored cables are rugged, armored cables designed for direct-buried installation while suitable for duct and aerial (lashed) installation. The loose tube design provides stable performance over a wide temperature range and is compatible with any telecommunications-grade optical fiber.

Features and Benefits

Flexible, craft-friendly buffer tubes Facilitate easy routing in closures

Two jacket layers and two steel tape armor layers Provide superior rodent resistance for direct-buried applications

Innovative waterblocking design

Provides efficient and craft-friendly cable preparation

Dielectric central strength member

No preferential bend and requires no bonding or grounding

Medium-density polyethylene jacket

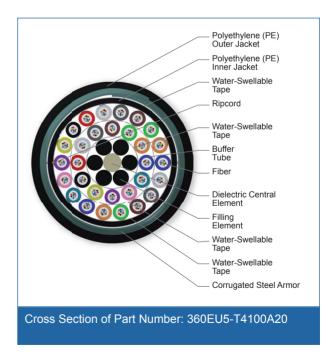
Rugged, durable and easy to strip (while providing superior protection against UV radiation, fungus, abrasion and other environmental factors)

Standards

Approvals and Listings USDA Rural Development Programs

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





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Specifications

General Specifications	
Environment	Outdoor
Application	Aerial, 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	360
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	36
Number of Active Tubes	30
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 1	6 Fillers
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Number of Filling Elements	6
Tape	Water-swellable
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 2	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellable
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 3	Blue*, Orange*, Green*, Brown*, Slate*, White*, Red*, Black*, Yellow*, Violet*, Rose*, Aqua*, Blue**, Orange**, Green**, Brown**, Slate**, White**
Tape, Layer 3	Water-swellable
Inner Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 4	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	3

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

Notes: Tubes 25 to 36 include a co-extruded stripe that is white for the red tube and red for all other tube colors.



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Cable Design	
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Corrugated steel tape armor
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black
Maximum Fibers per Tube	12

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Notes: Tubes 25 to 36 include a co-extruded stripe that is white for the red tube and red 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	469 kg/km (315 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	25.4 mm (1.0 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	381 mm (15.0 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	254 mm (10.0 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



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Ordering Information

Part Number	360EU5-T4100A20
Product Description	ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Filled, Double-Jacket, Single-Armored Cable, 360 F, Single-mode (OS2)



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