

External Underground Loose Tube Cable - Singlemode



PRODUCT INFORMATION

A Termite resistant Loose tube cable featuring a non-metallic strength member, gel filled tubes and a dry block core, for use in both direct bury and conduit/duct applications.

The Thixotropic gel filled tubes and water swellable yarns (dry core) prevent water ingress while the non-metallic glass fibre reinforced plastic central strength member maintains excellent tensile strength.

This standard loose tube construction features an inner UV resistant Polyethylene (PE) sheath and an outer termite/UV resistant Polyamide Nylon jacket.

Other options include Composite (MM + SM), Sacrificial Sheath and CST Armour.

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Blue UV and Insect/Termite resistant Nylon (Polyamide) Jacket
- Black PE (Polyethylene) UV resistant Inner sheath
- Polyester based rip cords for easy sheath removal
- Water blocking tape and swellable yarns prevent ingress into the core
- Thixotropic gel filled tubes prevent water ingress into the tubes
- Non-metallic fibre reinforced plastic rod central strength member provides tensile strength

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Number of Fibres	2 to 72	96	120	144			
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Number of Fibres per Tube		up t	o 12				
Number of Elements	6	8	10	12			
Tube/Filler Diameter (mm)	2.1						
Nominal Cable Diameter (mm)	10	11	12	14			
Nominal Cable Weight (kg/km)	75	100	126	150			
Max. Tensile Strength (kN)	2.0	2.4					
Max. Crush Resistance	1.0kN/100mm (Long Term)						
Min. Bending Radius	20 x cable OD Installation 15 x cable OD Long term						
Temperature Range (°C)	Storage: -20° to 70°C Installation: 0° to 50°C Operation: -10° to 70°C						
Central Strength Member	Glass Fibre Reinforced Plastic (GRP). Non-metallic						
Waterblocking	Thixotropic Gel filled tubes Water swellable elements (dry core)						
Outer Jacket	Material: UV stabilised Polyamide Nylon. Colour: Blue						
Inner Sheath	Material: UV stabilised Polyethylene. Colour: Black						

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IDENTIFICATION

Fibre & Buffer Colour Code Chart

No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Colour	blue	orange	green	brown	grey	white	red	black	yellow	violet	pink	aqua

Fillers are either natural (opaque) or black, jelly filled tubes (with no fibres) are also used.



OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS - SINGLEMODE LOW WATER PEAK

Compliant with the following standards:	AS/NZS 3080, ISO/IEC 11801, IEC 60793-2-50, ITU-T G652.D			
Optical Properties				
Fibre Type	SM/OS2			
ITU-T Standard	G.652.D			
Mode Field Diameter	8.7 - 9.6um @1310nm 9.8 - 10.9um @1550nm			
Cladding Diameter	125.0 +/- 0.7um			
Buffer Diameter	242 +/- 7um			
Max. Attenuation of Cable				
@ 1310nm	0.35dB/km			
@ 1383nm	0.35dB/km			
@ 1550nm	0.21dB/km			
@ 1625nm	0.24dB/km			

ORDERING INFORMATION

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Number of Cores	SM/0S2	Number of Cores	SM/0S2	Number of Cores	SM/OS2
6	CAB-LT-06-SM	36	CAB-LT-36-SM	96	CAB-LT-96-SM
12	CAB-LT-12-SM	48	CAB-LT-48-SM	144	CAB-LT-144-SM
24	CAB-LT-24-SM	72	CAB-LT-72-SM		

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