

ALTOS® Low-Temperature, Loose Tube, Gel-Filled, Double-Jacket, Single-Armored Cable

96 F, 50 µm multimode (OM2)

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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

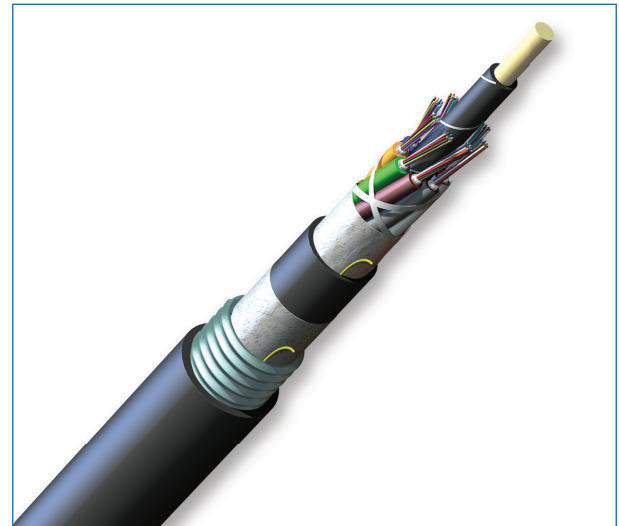
Rugged, durable and easy to strip (while providing superior protection against UV radiation, fungus, abrasion and other environmental factors)

Standards

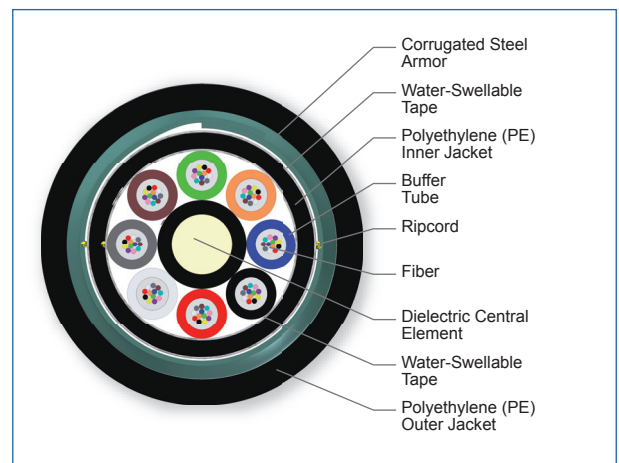
Approvals and Listings	USDA Rural Development Programs
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Common Installations	Designed for Direct-Buried Applications
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Design and Test Criteria	Telcordia GR-20, ICEA-640
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Part Number: 096TU5-T4131C20



Cross Section of Part Number: 096TU5-T4131C20

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Specifications

General Specifications

Environment	Outdoor
Application	Aerial, Direct Buried
Cable Type	Loose Tube
Product Type	Armored
Fiber Category	50 µm MM (OM2)

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	96
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	8
Number of Active Tubes	8
Buffer Tube Color Coding	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellaable
Inner Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellaable
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Corrugated steel tape armor
Number of Ripcords	3
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black

Mechanical Characteristics Cable

Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)
Weight	219 kg/km (147 lb/1000 ft)

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Mechanical Characteristics Cable

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)

Chemical Characteristics

RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2011/65/EU
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Fiber Specifications

Optical Characteristics (cabled)

Fiber Core Diameter	50 µm
Fiber Category	OM2
Fiber Code	T
Performance Option Code	31
Wavelengths	850 nm / 1300 nm
Maximum Attenuation	3.0 dB/km / 1.0 dB/km
Serial 1 Gigabit Ethernet	750 m / 500 m
Serial 10 Gigabit Ethernet	150 m / -
Min. Overfilled Launch (OFL) Bandwidth	700 MHz*km / 500 MHz*km
Minimum Effective Modal Bandwidth (EMB)	950 MHz*km / -

Notes: 1) 50 µm multimode fiber macrobend loss ≤ 0.2 dB at 850 nm for two turns around 7.5 mm radius mandrel.
2) Improved attenuation and bandwidth options available.
3) Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.
4) Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.

Ordering Information

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