

FREEDM® Ribbon Interlocking Armored, Gel-Filled Cable, Riser

144 F, Single-mode (OS2)

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Corning FREEDM® ribbon interlocking armored, gel-filled riser cables continue the innovative breakthrough in indoor/outdoor cable technology with a new generation of high-fiber-count single tube cables. These cables are designed to maximize the use of critical duct space with excellent installation results. Encased in spirally-wrapped aluminum interlocking armor for ruggedness and superior crush resistance, the cables are ideal for industrial and heavy traffic areas and installations requiring extra protection for optical cables. The UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket allows this cable to be installed outdoors or in indoor general purpose horizontal and riser applications. The cable employs a single buffer tube containing a stack of 12 fiber ribbons within a gel-filled central buffer tube.

Note: This cable is available in 12 different jacket colors – blue, orange, green, brown, slate, white, red, black, yellow, violet, rose and aqua. The colored jacket allows for easy visual identification of the cables while still providing all of the required environmental protection of an indoor/outdoor cable jacket. Black is the standard jacket color using the part numbers shown here. Contact Customer Care at 1-800-743-2675 to order other color options.

Features and Benefits

Precise fiber and ribbon geometries

Excellent mass splicing yields

Waterblocked cable

Enables use of cables for outdoor applications

12-fiber ribbons with ribbon IDs

Easy identification

UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket

Rugged, durable and easy to strip

Flexible interlocking armor

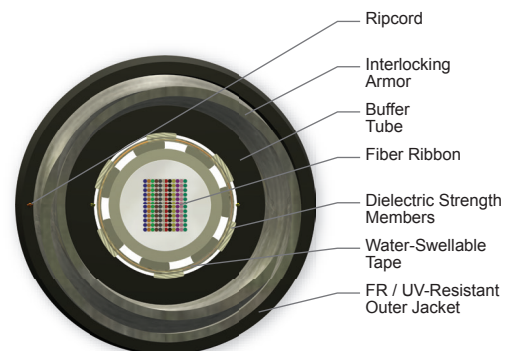
Up to seven times the crush protection compared to non-armored cables

Common installations

Outdoor aerial and duct; indoor general purpose horizontal according to NEC Article 770



Part Number: 144ECF-14101-A1



Cross Section of Part Number: 144ECF-14101-A1

Standards

Listings

National Electrical Code®
(NEC®) OFNR

Design Criteria

CSA OFN FT-4

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Test Criteria

ANSI/ICEA S-104-696

Specifications

General Specifications

Environment	Indoor/Outdoor Cables
Application	Aerial, Direct Buried, Duct, General Purpose Horizontal, (Vertical Riser)
Cable Type	Ribbon
Product Type	Dielectric
Flame Rating	Riser (OFNR)
Fiber Category	Single-mode (OS2)

Temperature Range

Storage	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)
Installation	-10 °C to 60 °C (14 °F to 140 °F)
Operation	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)

Cable Design

Fiber Count	144
Ribbons per Tube	12
Fibers per Ribbon	12
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Buffer Tube Color	Natural
Buffer Tube Diameter	7.8 mm (0.31 in)
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Dielectric strength members
Tape	Water-swellaable
Tape, Layer 2	Flame-retardant tape
Tape, Layer 3	Water-swellaable
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 2	Dielectric strength members
Number of Ripcords	2
Outer Jacket Material	Flame-Retardant, UV-Resistant
Outer Jacket Color	Black

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Mechanical Characteristics Cable

Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	600 N (135 lbf)
Weight	365.0 kg/km (244.55 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	20.2 mm (0.80 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	303.0 mm (12.0 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	202.0 mm (8.0 in)

Chemical Characteristics

RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2002/95/EG
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Fiber Specifications

Optical Characteristics (cabled)

Fiber Core Diameter	50 µm
Fiber Category	OM4 Extended Distance
Fiber Code	T
Performance Option Code	91
Wavelengths	850 nm / 1300 nm
Maximum Attenuation	3.0 dB/km / 1.0 dB/km
Serial 1 Gigabit Ethernet	1100 m / 600 m
Serial 10 Gigabit Ethernet	600 m / -
Min. Overfilled Launch (OFL) Bandwidth	3500 MHz*km / 500 MHz*km
Minimum Effective Modal Bandwidth (EMB)	5350 MHz*km / -

* Assumes 0.7 dB maximum total connector/splice loss.

* Meets 0.75 ns optical skew when used in all Corning Plug and Play™/EDGE™ systems solutions.

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.

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Ordering Information

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