ALTOS® Loose Tube, Gel-Filled, Double-Jacket Cable

288 F, 62.5 µm multimode (OM1)

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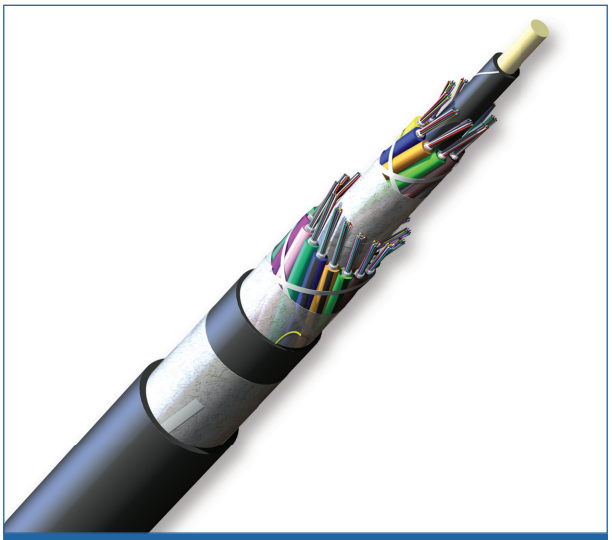
Corning ALTOS® double-jacket dielectric cables are designed for duct and aerial (lashed) installation. The double-jacket construction adds a layer of protection for harsh environments. The loose tube cable design provides stable performance over a wide temperature range and is compatible with any telecommunications-grade optical fiber.



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Features and Benefits

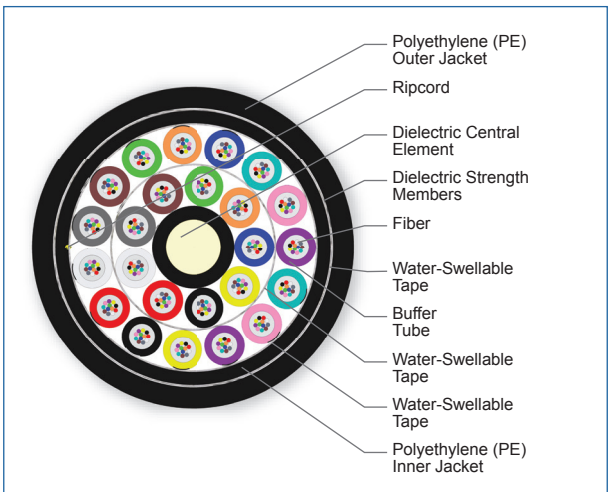
Two jacket layers
Provides extra protection in harsh environments

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

Innovative waterblocking design
Provides efficient and craft-friendly cable preparation

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

Exceeds the RDUP requirements for mid-span buffer tube slack storage
Provides flexibility for mid-span access applications



Cross Section of Part Number: 288KUE-T4130A20

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, Duct
Cable Type	Loose Tube
Product Type	Dielectric
Fiber Category	62.5 µm MM (OM1)

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	288
Fiber Coloring	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua
Fibers per Tube	12
Number of Tube Positions	24
Number of Active Tubes	24
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 1	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow
Buffer Tube Diameter	2.5 mm (0.1 in)
Tape	Water-swellable
Buffer Tube Color Coding, Layer 2	Violet, Rose, Aqua, Blue*, Orange*, Green*, Brown*, Slate*, White*, Red*, Black*, Yellow*, Violet*, Rose*, Aqua*
Tape, Layer 2	Water-swellable
Inner Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Tape, Layer 3	Water-swellable
Number of Ripcords	1
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Dielectric strength members
Outer Jacket Material	Polyethylene (PE)
Outer Jacket Color	Black
Maximum Fibers per Tube	12

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

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Mechanical Characteristics Cable	
Max. Tensile Strength, Short-Term	2700 N (600 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strength, Long-Term	890 N (200 lbf)
Weight	279 kg/km (187 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	20.1 mm (0.79 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	302 mm (11.9 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	201 mm (7.9 in)

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.*
2) *Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.*
3) *Contact a Corning Customer Care Representative for additional information.*

Ordering Information

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