

## FiberOptic Cables / Multi Loose Tube Cables



**APPLICATIONS** Long-distance outside plant telephony, CATV as well as data communications Direct burial and installation in ducts either by pulling or blowing methods Aerial installation using the Figure-8 self-supporting option High fibre counts indoor installations CABLE DESCRIPTION The cable consists of 5 to 36 elements stranded in up to 3 layers around a central strength member and bound in a jacket. The elements are usually fibre-containing tubes, however fillers are also used when needed, to preserve cable geometry. The cables can be ordered with a central member either made of a dielectric FRP, solid or stranded steel coated with polyethylene. The tubes and fibres are colour coded. Two to 24 color-coded fibres are loosely laid in each tube. Maximum fibre count is 864. Standard tube diameters are: 2.1 mm - up to 12 fibres/tube - LDB sub-series 2.5 mm - up to 24 fibres/tube - LDC sub-series 2.8 mm - up to 24 fibres/tube - LDD sub-series

3.1 mm - up to 24 fibres/tube - LDE sub-series

In addition to our **All-Dry** (gel-free) **DRC Cables**, a variety of cable water-blocking options is available: gel filling in the tubes, core and/or between jacket layers, or dry water-blocking tapes or yarns in the tubes, core and/or between jacket layers. A ripcord is located under each jacket layer to facilitate its removal.

A wide range of jacket and armouring options is available: PE, FR-LSZH (HFFR) materials, corrugated steel armouring, steel wire and steel braid armouring, fiberglass armouring, aramid yarns, anti-termite etc. A Fig-8 self-supporting design is also available for all fibre-counts.

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ORDERING GUIDE:	
Loose Tube Diameter	A – 1.8mm B – 2.1mm C - 2.5mm D – 2.8mm E – 3.1mm
Fibre Type	see Below
Number of Fibers	up to 24 per tube
Core Water Blocking	G - Gel D – Dry X – None
Inner Jacket Water Blocking	G -Gel D -Dry X – None
Armour	Dielectric Aramid Strength Yarns Glass Strength Yarns Steel Wire Armour Steel Braid Armour Aluminium Moisture Barrier Nylon
Sheath	Polyethlene – default PVC LSZH

General options:

SS – Self- Support RI – Riser Rated TR – Anti -Termite D32 – Supplied in 32mm Duct **Reduced Friction PE Pipes** 

This is a unique multi-layered conduction pipe with a silicone inner layer having a very low friction coefficient to facilitate cable insertion. Produced under Israeli Standard 1531 – "Conduits and fittings for cables and insulated conductors for underground installation of electrical and communication lines; solid wall PE."

The conduction pipe is manufactured according to advanced technology, enabling the insertion during the production of:

- Pulling rope
- Communication cables
- Optic fibres

## Specifications of Standard Singlemode Optical Fibers<sup>(1)</sup>

Parameter	Standard per	NZDS per	Bend-Insensitive	Bend-Insensitive	Units
	ITU-T G.652D	ITU-T G.655	ITU-T G.657A.1	ITU-T G.657A.2	
	IEC 60793-2-50 B1.3	IEC 60793-2-50 B4	IEC 60793-2-50	IEC 60793-2-50 B6_a2	
	Max./Typical	Max./Typical	B6_a1	Max./Typical	
			Max./Typical		
Teldor Fiber Code	9	8	A	7	
Attenuation <sup>(4,5,6)</sup> , Loose Tube Cables:					dB/km
@ 1310 nm	0.35 / 0.34	N/A	0.35 / 0.34	0.35 / 0.34	
@ 1550 nm	0.23 / 0.20	0.23 / 0.20	0.23 / 0.20	0.23 / 0.20	
@ 1625 nm	0.25 / 0.22	0.26 / 0.23	0.25 / 0.22	0.25 / 0.22	
Attenuation <sup>(4)</sup> , Tight Buffered Cables:					dB/km
@ 1310 nm	≤ 0.40	-	≤ 0.40	≤ 0.40	
@ 1550 nm	≤0.30	-	≤0.30	≤0.30	
Dispersion: between 1285 - 1330 nm	≤3.5	NA	≤3.5	≤3.5	ps/ (nm*km)
between 1460 - 1530 nm (S Band)	-	(2)	-	-	
between 1530 - 1565 nm (C Band)	≤18	2 – 6 <sup>(3)</sup>	≤ 18	≤ 18	
between 1565 - 1625 nm (L Band)	≤ 22	4.5 – 11.2 <sup>(3)</sup>	≤ 22	≤ 22	
Zero Dispersion Wavelength	1312 ± 12	< 1520	1312 ± 12	1312 ± 12	nm
Mode Field Diameter @ 1310 nm	9.2 ± 0.4	NA	New Cell	8.6 ± 0.4	μm
@ 1550 nm	10.4 ± 0.6	9.6 ± 0.6	9.8 ± 0.5	9.6 ± 0.5	
Cable Cut-Off Wavelength	≤1260	≤1480	≤ 1260	≤1260	nm
PMD (Individual fiber)	≤0.2	≤0.1	≤ 0.2	≤0.2	ps/km <sup>1/2</sup>
Cladding Diameter	125 ± 0.7	125 ± 0.7	125 ± 0.7	125 ± 0.7	μm
Core/Cladding Concentricity Error	≤0.5	≤0.5	≤ 0.5	≤0.5	μm
Cladding Non-Circularity	≤1.0	≤1.0	≤ 1.0	≤1.0	%
Coating Diameter (un-colored)	245 ± 5	245 ± 5	245 ± 5	245 ± 5	μm
Proof-Test Level	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	GN/m <sup>2</sup>
Induced Macrobend @ 1550nm – 1 turn a	round a 7.5 mm mandrel				
Mandrel Radius			10	7.5	mm
Max. @ 1550 nm			0.5	0.4	dB
Max. @ 1625 nm			1.5	0.8	dB

			model			
Parameter	50/125 μm			62.5/125 μm	Units	
Teldor Fiber Code	5	4	3	6		
ISO/IEC 11801 Performance Category	OM2 <sup>(2)</sup>	OM3 <sup>(3)</sup>	OM4 <sup>(4)</sup>	OM1		
Attenuation <sup>(6)</sup> , Loose Tube Cables:						
@ 850 nm		≤ 2.8		≤3.2		
@ 1300 nm		≤0.9				
Attenuation <sup>(6)</sup> , Tight Buffer and Semi-Tight Cables:					dB/km	
@ 850 nm		≤3.0		≤3.5		
@ 1300 nm		≤1.0		≤1.0		
OFL Bandwidth <sup>(5)</sup> @ 850 nm	≥ 500 <sup>(7)</sup>	≥1500	≥3500	≥200	MHz?km	
@ 1300 nm	≥800 <sup>(7)</sup>	≥500	≥500	≥600		
Efffective Modal Bandwidth@ 850nm	N/A	≥2000	≥4700 <sup>(8)</sup>	N/A	1	
Supported Ethernet Link Lengths (r	nax.)				1	
1 GbE <sup>(9)</sup>						
@ 850 nm (1000BASE-SX)	550	970 <sup>(12)</sup>	1040 <sup>(12)</sup>	220	-	
@ 1300 nm (1000BASE-LX)	950 <sup>(12)</sup>	550 <sup>(12)</sup>	600 <sup>(12)</sup>	550		
<b>10 GbE</b> <sup>(10)</sup>						
@ 850 nm (10GBASE-SR)	82	300	550	33	1	
@ 1300 nm (10GBASE-LXR)	450 <sup>(13)</sup>	300	300	300		
<b>40/100 GbE</b> <sup>(11)</sup>						
@ 850 nm (40/100 GBASE-SR4/10)	N/A	100	150	N/A	·	
Numerical Aperture	C	0.20 ± 0.015		0.275 ± 0.015		
Core Diameter		50 ± 2.5		62.5 ± 3	μm	
Cladding Diameter		125 ± 1		125 ± 2	μm	
Core Non Circularity		≤4		≤5	%	
Cladding Non-Circularity		≤0.7		≤1	%	
Core/Cladding Offset		≤1.5		≤1.5	μm	
Coating Diameter (Un-colored)		245 ± 10		245 ± 10	μm	
Proof-Test Level		0.7		0.7	GN/m2	

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