

# **Outdoor Fiber Cable – Unitube**

**Product Type: TOXTW** 



## **Optical Cable Specifications**

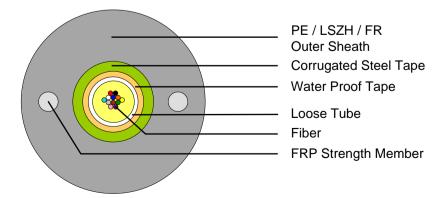
#### **Application**

A unitube design is one of the most versatile constructions available. Unitubes can be sheathed and armoured with a wide variety of materials to suit specific applications. Unitube outdoor fiber cables consists of 2 to 12 strains of fibers contained within a single loose tube (or unitube), wrapped using corrugated steel tape and protected with either PE, LSZH or FR material jacket. Two parallel FRPs are placed at the two sides of the steel tape, acting as strength members for the cable structure.

Unitube outdoor fiber cables are robustly designed, prevents water penetration and are rodent-proofed. These cables are ideal for direct burial and duct installation applications.

### **Cable features**

- 2 to 12 fibers
- Singlemode (9/125μm) or Multimode (50/125μm or 62.5/125μm)
- PE / LSZH / FR outer sheath
- Unitube material: Polybutylene Terephthalate (PBT)
- Jelly compound tube filling
- Two parallel FRPs ensure tensile strength for the cable
- Suitable for duct and direct burial applications
- Color coding complies with TIA/EIA-598B





### **Mechanical Specifications**

| Fiber Count                           |            | 2 ~ 12                  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Outer Diameter (mm)                   |            | 8.9                     |  |  |
| Max Weight (kg/km)                    |            | 100                     |  |  |
| Min. Bending Radius                   | Static     | 10 times cable diameter |  |  |
|                                       | Dynamic    | 20 times cable diameter |  |  |
| Allowable Tension (N)                 | Short Term | 1500                    |  |  |
|                                       | Long Term  | 600                     |  |  |
| Max. Crush Loading<br>Force (N/100mm) | Short Term | 1000                    |  |  |
|                                       | Long Term  | 300                     |  |  |
| Jacket Material                       |            | Polyethylene (PE)       |  |  |
| Operating Temperature                 |            | -30°C to +70°C          |  |  |



## Optical fiber specifications – Singlemode

| Fiber Code                        | <b>S</b> 9                           |              |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Wavelength (nm)                   | 1310                                 | 1550         |  |  |
| Core/Cladding (µm)                | 9/125                                |              |  |  |
| Mode-Field Diameter (μm)          | $(9.3) \pm 0.5$                      | (10.5) ± 1.0 |  |  |
| Max. Attenuation (dB/km)          | ≤ 0.35                               | ≤ 0.22       |  |  |
|                                   | λ @ 1285nm~1339nm                    | λ @ 1550nm   |  |  |
| Dispersion Coefficient (ps/km·nm) | ≤ 3.5                                | ≤ 18         |  |  |
| Cutoff wavelength (nm)            | $\lambda_c$ = 1260 $\pm$ 70          |              |  |  |
| Glass concentricity error (µm)    | ≤ 0.8                                |              |  |  |
| Cladding non-circularity (%)      | ≤ 1.0                                |              |  |  |
| Proof test (Kpsi)                 | ≥ 100Kpsi (0.7GN/m²)                 |              |  |  |
| Dynamic fatigue (tensile)         | ≥ 20                                 |              |  |  |
| Compliance                        | ITU-T G.652 (Categories A, B, C & D) |              |  |  |

### Optical fiber specifications - Multimode

| Fiber Code                          | M5              |       | M6            |       |  |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------|---------------|-------|--|
| Wavelength (nm)                     | 850             | 1300  | 850           | 1300  |  |
| Core/Cladding (μm)                  | 50/125          |       | 62.5/125      |       |  |
| Core non-circularity (%)            | ≤ 6.0           |       |               |       |  |
| Cladding non-circularity (%)        | ≤ 1.0           |       |               |       |  |
| Core/Cladding non-concentricity (%) | ≤ 6.0           |       |               |       |  |
| Numerical Aperture                  | $0.20 \pm 0.02$ |       | 0.275 ± 0.015 |       |  |
| Max. Attenuation (dB/km)            | ≤2.3            | ≤0.5  | ≤2.6          | ≤0.6  |  |
| Performance (MHz.km)                | ≥500            | ≥1000 | ≥400          | ≥1000 |  |
| Proof test (Kpsi)                   | ≥ 100           |       |               |       |  |
| Dynamic fatigue (tensile)           | ≥ 25            |       |               |       |  |

#### **Notes**

- Fiber colors by EIA/TIA-598-B: Blue/Orange/Green/Brown/Slate/White/Red/Black/Yellow/Violet/Rose/Aqua
- Diameter represents a nominal vary and may vary by ±5%