

Technical Data Sheet

DriKore Loose Tube Optical Cables

NESC Heavy Conditions

Standard buffer tube with 2-288f

Max. Span 152 m (500 ft.)

Steel Messenger Self Supporting Fig-8 Sheath

Dual Jacket / Single Armor

Application

Self supporting outdoor fiber optic cable in a figure 8 configuration for aerial installation on telecom poles. Designed for heavy duty applications and maximum typical span lengths of 152 m (500 ft.) under NESC heavy loading conditions.

Benefits

- Fiber Count up to 288f
- Suitable for all types of light aerial applications except power lines
- The dry water blocking materials can easily be removed without the use of cable cleaning solvents, yielding significant labor cost savings
- Excellent handling characteristics
- Utilizes traditional aerial cable hardware
- Suitable for short and medium spans

Fiber types

- G.651 multi-mode fiber
- G.652 single-mode fiber
- G.655 NZDS fiber for DWDM applications

Full range of protections

- Water blocked
- Rodent resistant

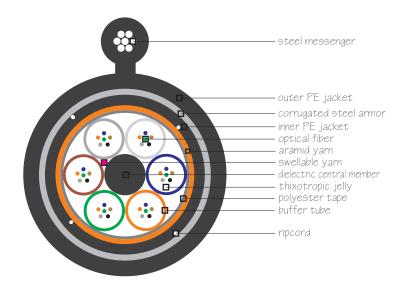
full range of applications

- Outdoor
- Aerial

Optional protections

- HDPE jacket
- Single jacket
- Single jacket / single armor

Cable cut-away



Typical parameters			
Number of fibers		Up to 288	
Diameter	minor axes	11.6 mm (0.46 in)	
	major axes	15.3 mm (0.60 in) to 25.5 mm(1.00)	
Cable weight	424 kg/km (285 lbs/kft) to 718 kg/km (482 lbs/kft)		
Max. bend radius		20 x cable O.D.	
Max. working tension		13360 N (3000 lbf)	
Operating temperature range		-40 °C / 70 °C (-40 °F / 158 °F)	



Qualifications & approvals

REA PE-90 Bellcore Standards ITU Standards TIA/EIA Standards

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Cable Properties		Diameter	Weight
002 - 060f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	15.3 mm (0.60 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	424 kg/km (285 lbs/kft)
061 - 072f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	16.2 mm (0.64 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	450 kg/km (302 lbs/kft)
073 - 096f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	18.1 mm (0.71 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	498 kg/km (335 lbs/kft)
097 - 120f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	20.1 mm (0.79 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	556 kg/km (374 lbs/kft)
121 - 192f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	21.5 mm (0.85 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	578 kg/km (388 lbs/kft)
193 - 216f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	22.4 mm (0.88 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	610 kg/km (410 lbs/kft)
217 - 240f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	23.5 mm (0.93 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	645 kg/km (433 lbs/kft)
241 - 288f	Jacket core diameter Jacket messenger diameter	25.5 mm (1.00 in) 11.6 mm (0.46 in)	718 kg/km (482 lbs/kft)

Mechanical Performance	Test Procedure	Specification
Low & high temperature cable	EIA/TIA-455-37A FOTP-37	20 x cable O.D. @ -30 °C and 60 °C
Impact resistance	61A/T1A-455-25A FOTP-25	25 impact cycles
Compressive strength	EIA/TIA-455-41A FOTP-41	220 N/cm (124 lbs/in.)
Cable twist	EIA/TIA-455-85 FOTP-85	2 meter length ± 180°
Cable cyclic flexing	EIA/TIA-455-104 FOTP-104	20 x cable O.D. 25 cycles
Max. bend radius	EIA/TIA-455-37A FOTP-37	20 x cable O.D. 10 x cable O.D.
Max. tensile load	EIA/TIA-455-33 FOTP-33	13360 N (3000 lbf)

Environmental Performance	Test Procedure		Specification
Temperature	EIA/TIA-455-3A FOTP-3	Operation Installation Storage/Shipping	-40 to +70 °C (-40 to +158 °F) -20 to +70 °C (-04 to +158 °F) -40 to +75 °C (-40 to +168 °F)
Cable aging	EIA/TIA-455-37 FOTP-37		168 hours @ 85 °C
Cable Freezing	EIA/TIA-455-98 FOTP-98		Frozen in ice
Water penetration	EIA/TIA-455-82B FOTP-82		1meter for 24 hours
Compound drip temperature	EIA/TIA-455-81B FOTP-81		75 °C
Color coding permanence	Telcordia GR-20		Colors stable after aging



