High Strength Nylon Jacket Loose Tube Cable 6-72f



FOS high-strength nylon jacket loose tube is a stranded dielectric loose tube fibre cable

This cable is particularly suited to external underground installations in ducts by pulling, jetting or floating techniques or by direct burial in open-cut trenches. The high strength nature of the cable ensures adequate protection in expansive, rocky or termite prone areas.

Loose tube cable offers a cost-effective and rugged solution for medium and long distance external fibre runs.

FOS nylon jacket loose tube cable is available in OM1, OM3 and Singlemode. $^{\rm 1}$

Applications

- Underground ducts
- Direct buried fibre links
- Inter-building links
- Campus fibre networks
- Infrastructure and industrial fibre links
- Long distance fibre networks



Features & Benefits

- High strength bonded double jacketed construction ensures integrity of the cable in a range of challenging installation environments
- Insect resistant nylon outer and UV stabilised polyethelene inner jacket for long life in a wide range of installations
- Water swellable yarns provide protection against water ingress (dry core construction)
- Non-metallic construction
- Fibreglass reinforced polymer central strength member
- Flexible buffer tubes provide easy handling within termination enclosures
- Single layer SZ stranding limits stress on fibre tubes
- Fibre friendly thixotropic gel in tubes ensures fibre protection
- TIA 598 standard colour code
- 12 fibre tube construction²
- 6 to 72 fibres ³G652.D Standard, G655, G656, G657 available ²Excludes 6f cable

Active | Passive | Test Equipment | Tooling | Cable | Fibre Management

For further information: www.fibreoptic.com.au +61 3 9757 3000



Fibre Performance

Fibre type	OM1	OM3	OM4	OS1/2 (G652.D)
Attenuation at 850nm (db/km)	≤3.1	<u><</u> 3.0	<u><</u> 3.0	n/a
Attenuation at 1300/1310nm (db/km)	≤1.0	≤1.0	≤1.0	<u>≤</u> 0.35
Attenuation at 1550nm (db/km)	n/a	n/a	n/a	≤0.21
Attenuation at 1625nm (db/km)	n/a	n/a	n/a	<0.24
Bandwidth at 850nm [1300nm] (MHz.km)	≥200 [≥500]	≥1500 [≥500]	≥3500 [≥500]	n/a



Technical Specifications

Temperature Range (°C)	Operating: -30 to +70 Storage: -30 to +70 Install: -30 to +70	(IEC 60794-1-2-F1)
Cable bend radius	20 x cable diameter	(IEC 60794-1-2-E11A)
Repeated bending	30 cycles: radius 20 X cable diameter, 10 Kg Load	(IEC 60794-1-2-E6)
Max tensile force (N)	6000 (max)	(IEC 60794-1-2-E1)
Torsion resistance	10 Cycles (± 180°) 10 kg weight, 2m length	(IEC 60794-1-2-E7)
Crush resistance (N/100mm)	6000 for 60 sec	(IEC 60794-1-2-E3)
Impact resistance (kg/m)	1.5	(IEC 60794-1-2-E4)
Kink resistance	10 x cable diameter	(IEC 60794-1-2-E10)
Water penetration	1m head, 3m cable, 24 hours	(IEC 60794-1-2-F5B)

Change in attenuation after the test shall be less than 0.1dB

Cable Characteristics

Fibre Count	6 - 72
Nominal diameter (mm)	13.7
Nominal weight (kg/km)	145
Minimum bend radius installation (cm)	27.4
Min. bend radius long term (cm)	27.4

Active | Passive | Test Equipment | Tooling | Cable | Fibre Management

For further information: www.fibreoptic.com.au +61 3 9757 3000



Page 2 of 2

While all due care has been taken to ensure the data of this document is accurate and current, FOS and its employees accept no liability for inaccuracies or omissions. FOS and its employees also accept no responsibility for any loss, damage, claim, expense, cost or liability whatsoever (including in contract, tort including negligence, pursuant to statute and otherwise) arising in respect of or in connection with using or reliance upon the data contained within. All specifications are subject to change without notice. This document and all of its contents are protected by copyright. 1139.01 - High Strength Nylon Jacket Loose Tube Cable 6-72f - 01.17