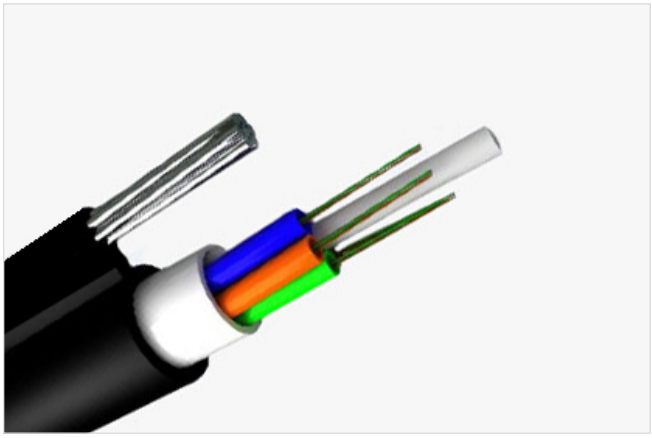
OFC – AERIAL



PTCL Cables offer Aerial Fig-8 Optical Fiber Cables. These are Self-Supporting cables designed for aerial installation. The cable design provides easy and economical one-step installation and stable performance over a wide temperature range. The whole tensile load is borne by steel messenger wire. These cables are manufactured according to international standard and these cables fully conform to Pakistan Telecommunication Company Standard Specification TR-109 as applicable in Pakistan.

Applications:

- Aerial Installation – High Mechanical Strength - Data, Voice & Video Transmission

Cable Constructions:

- Loose Tube filled with Gel - Stranded around Central Strength Member - Water Blocking Material - Dry Core – Corrugated Steel Tape - Messenger Wire embedded Polyethylene Outer Jacket

Technical Characteristics:

- The unique extruding technology provides the fibers in the tube with good flexibility and bending endurance
- The unique fiber excess length control method provides the cable with excellent mechanical and environmental properties
- Multiple water blocking material filling provides dual water blocking function

Diagram is for reference only

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OPTCIAL FIBER CABLES

Construction Parameters

Fiber Type	ITU-T G.652D, G.655 & G.657
Fiber Count	02 to 144 Fibers
Loose tube Filling Material	Thixotropic Terephthalate (PBT)
Central Strength Member	Fiber/Glass Reinforced Plastic (FRP/GRP)
Peripheral Strength Member (if required)	Aramid /Glass yarn
Filler Material	Polyethylene
Core Moisture Protection Methodology	Dry Block Design, Water Blocking Yarns/Tapes
Armouring	Corrugated ECCS (Electro Chrome Coated Steel tape)
Messenger Wire	Galvanized Steel Wires
Outer Sheath Material	Medium/High Density Polyethylene (HDPE/MDPE)
Printing on Outer Sheath	Engraved Hot Foil Ink or Inkjet Printing
Drum Length	4000 Meter & 6000 Meters ± 5%

Optical Characteristics

Single Mode Fiber	CORNING® SMF-28e+ G.652D	CORNING® LEAF G.655	CORNING® G.657
Fiber Colour Coding	As per TIA/EIA-598A&C	As per TIA/EIA-598A&C	As per TIA/EIA-598A&C
Mode Field Diameter, µm	8.6 to 9.5 ± 0.7	9.6 ± 0.4	8.6 ± 0.4 µm @1310nm
Cladding Diameter, µm	125 ± 1	125 ± 0.7	125±1µm
Core Clad Concentricity error, µm	≤ 0.8 µm	≤ 0.5	≤ 0.6 µm
Cladding Non-Circularity, %	≤ 2 %	≤ 0.7 %	≤ 1 %
Cable Cut-off Wavelength, nm	≤1260 nm	≤1450 nm	≤1260 nm
Chromatic Dispersion (ps/nm.km)	≤ 3.5 @ 1310nm ≤ 18 @ 1550nm	2.0 - 5.5 @1530nm 4.5 - 6.0 @1565nm 5.8 - 11.2 @1625nm	≤ 3.5 @ 1310 ≤ 18 @ 1550
Cabled Attenuation @ 1310 nm (dB/km) Cabled Attenuation @ 1550 nm (dB/km)	≤ 0.35 (average) ≤ 0.21 (average)	≤ 0.22 dB/km (Max.Avg)	≤ 0.4 ≤ 0.3
Polarized Mode Dispersion (PMD) ps/√km	≤ 0.2	≤ 0.2	≤ 0.2

Mechanical Characteristics

Tensile Strength (N) (Max)	3000
Minimum Bending Radius	10 x outer without load
Diameter of cable (mm)	20 x outer with load
Crush Strength (N) (max)	2500
Temperature Range	-20 °C to +70 °C

Features & Benefits

Small Diameter	Compatible for any telecommunication grade optical fiber
Light Weight	