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#### CENTRAL LOOSE TUBE CABLE

**Unarmoured Type** 





#### **APPLICATIONS**

This cable is characterized by light weight and small diameter, suitable for both aerial and duct installation. The cable can also be used for direct burial for armoured option

#### Features:

Loose Tube construction provides environmental protection

Loose tube jelly fi lled for superior fi ber protection

Colored coded fi bers and binders for quick and easy identifi cation during installation

Very lightweight and fl exible design allows for easy installation

UV or moisture resistant for outdoor application

Compact design with small cable diameter

All Dielectric strength member

Anti-termite and rodent protection as options

Optional Aluminium moisture barrier for EMI protection

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Central loose tube cable contains one tube with 2 - 24 fi bers, which is fi lled with water blocking gel. Either aramid yarn or fi ber glass is wound around the tube to provide physical protection and tensile strength. The cable can be jacketed with either PE or LSZH. PE is the preferred option in outdoor environment for water protection purpose. For direct burial, either steel wire armour or corrugated steel tape armour is applied with an optional inner jacket of either PVC, PE or LSZH. An Aluminium moisture tape can be incorporated under the jacket for water blocking and shielding purpose. A ripcord is located under the jacket to facilitate jacket removal.

#### **STANDARDS**

IEC60794-1-2 Telcordia GR-20 RUS 7 CFR 1755.900 (REA PE-90) ICEA S 87-640

#### **MECHANICAL PROPERTIES**

Minimum Bending Radius: Under installation: 20XOD



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During operation: 10×OD for unarmoured cables

20×OD for armoured cables

Temperature Range:

Operating Temperature Range: -40°C(-40°F) to +70°C(+158°F) Storage Temperature Range: -45°C(-58°F) to +70°C(+158°F)

Maximum Compressive Load:3000N

Repeated Impact: 4.4 N.m (J)

Twist (Torsion): 180X10 times, 125XOD

Cyclic Flexing: 25 cycles for armoured cables;

100 cycles for unarmoured cables.

Crush Resistance: 263N/cm (150lb/in)

### **DIMENSION AND PARAMETERS**

No. of fibres	Approx. Overall Diameter	Approx. Overall Diameter	Cable Weight	Cable Weight	Maximum Pulling Load (Installation)	Maximum Pulling Load (In Service)
	in	mm	Lbs./Kft	kg/km	N/lb	N/lb
14-24	0.335	8.5	43.62	65	1500/337	445/100