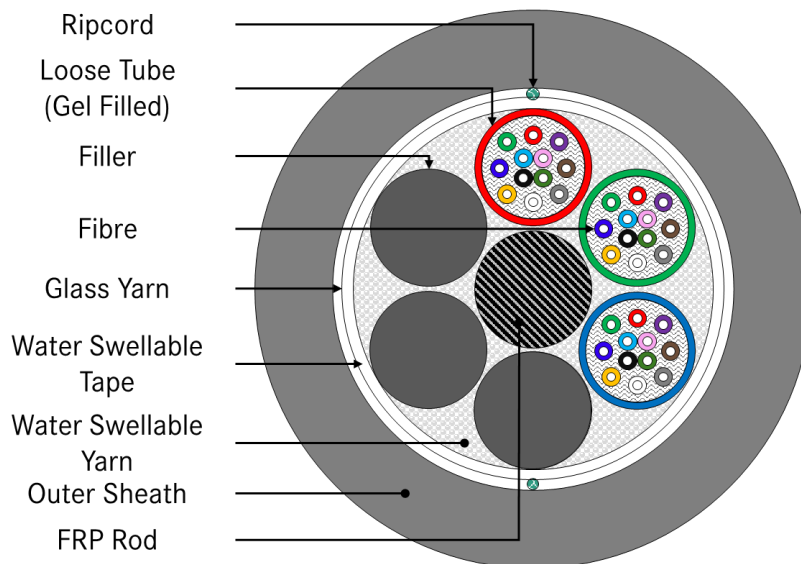


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Application

Field of use:	Outdoor direct burial G.657.A1 single-mode glass A-DQ(ZN)B2Y fibre optic cable with stranded loose tubes, non-metallic strength elements, longitudinally and laterally watertight, rodent protection, robust and halogen-free HD-PE cable sheath
Applications:	For use in wide area data networks such as the Internet, in solar and wind farms, campus backbones, as well as other applications such as metropolitan area networks (MANs), industrial automation systems, and telecommunications infrastructure. Methods of deployment: direct burial
Product Category	Fiber Optic Cables (FOC)



Design

Cable Type	Multiple gel-filled loose tubes, max. 144 fibres (12 tubes)
Fibre Types	Single-mode (ITU-T G.657.A1)
Tensile Strength Elements	Reinforced Glass Yarns, Impregnated Glass Fibre Yarns (IGFY)
Gel Filling	Yes, water-blocking
Armouring	Dielectric (non-metallic), rodent protection, Glass Yarn
Central strength member	FRP Rod (Fibre Reinforced Plastics); Glas Fibres in Epoxy Resin Matrix
Optical Fibre containing	laid up around central strength member Water blocked Gel-filled loose tubes
Material Loose Tubes	PBT (Poly-Butylene-Therephthalate)
Material Filling Gel	Thixotropic Jelly
Tube Diameter	1.8 ± 0.1 mm up to 12 Fibres
Filler Material	Black, halogen-free, HD-PE
Filler Diameter	1.8 ± 0.1 mm
Moisture Barrier	Water swellable yarn
Core Wrapping	Water swellable tape
Peripheral Strength Member	Glass Yarn for rodent protection
Outer Sheath Material	HD-PE, Black RAL 9005, Anti Rodent
Number of Ripcords	2
Ripcords, material	Polyester
Cable Outer Diameter	9.5 ± 0.5 mm

Color identification code

MT

based on IEC 60304

Fibre/Tube-No.
Colour

Fibre	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Colour	RD	GR	BU	YE	WH	GY	BN	VT	AQ	BK	OR	PK

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Article Description		Article Number	Tensile Strength Operation	Tensile Strength Installation	Fibre Count	Number of Fibres per Tube	Number of loose Tubes	Number of Fillers
HITRONIC B4K A-DQ(ZN)B2Y 2X12 G657A1		26801924	2000 N	4000 N	24	12	2	4
HITRONIC B4K A-DQ(ZN)B2Y 3X12 G657A1		26801936	2000 N	4000 N	36	12	3	3
HITRONIC B4K A-DQ(ZN)B2Y 4X12 G657A1		26801948	2000 N	4000 N	48	12	4	2

Table 1: Tube and Filler Count

Optical Fibre Characteristics

Cable Attenuation @	1310 nm	≤ 0.36 dB/km
	1550 nm	≤ 0.23 dB/km
	1625 nm	≤ 0.26 dB/km
Chromatic Dispersion	1285-1330 nm	≤ 3.5 ps/(nm*km)
	1550 nm	≤ 18 ps/(nm*km)
	1625 nm	≤ 22 ps/(nm*km)
Zero Dispersion Wavelength	1300 -1324 nm	
PMD (Max. Individual)	≤ 0.1 ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$	
PMD (Link design value)	≤ 0.06 ps / $\sqrt{\text{km}}$	
Cable cut off wavelength λ_{cc}	≤ 1260 nm	
MFD	1310 nm = 9.1 ± 0.3 μm 1550 nm = 10.3 ± 0.5 μm	
Bending Induced Attenuation	1 Turn $[\varphi]$ 20xD	1550 nm ≤ 0.75 dB 1625 nm ≤ 1.5 dB
	10 Turn $[\varphi]$ 30xD	1550 nm ≤ 0.25 dB 1625 nm ≤ 1.0 dB
Core-Cladding Concentricity Error	≤ 0.5 μm	
Cladding Diameter	125 ± 0.7 μm	
Cladding Non Circularity	≤ 0.8 %	
Coating Diameter	Natural Fibre	242 ± 5 μm
	Coloured Fibre	250 ± 10 μm

Mechanical and thermal properties

Minimum bending radius acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, E11	Installation:	20× outer diameter
	Operation:	10× outer diameter
Temperature range acc. to IEC-60794-1-22, F1	Installation:	-20°C up to +50°C
	Operation:	-40°C up to +70°C
	Storage:	-40°C up to +70°C
Tensile Strength acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, E1	Installation / short term	4000 N
	Operation / long term	2000 N
Crush Resistance acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, E3	max. 3000 N/ 10 cm	
Impact Strength acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, E4	10 N*m	
Torsion acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, E7	± 180 °/m	
Water Penetration Test acc. to IEC-60794-1-21, F5	1 m water head, 3 m sample, 24 hours	

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Allowed Fibre Elongation (max.)
acc. to IEC60794-1-21, E1

@ short Term Load	0.6 %
4 kN	
@ long Term Load	0.3 %
2 kN	

General requirements

These cables are classified in accordance with the EU-Regulation no. 305/2011 (Construction Products Regulation).

Environmental information

These cables meet the substance-specific requirements of the EU Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS).

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