

# MiniXtend® Cable, LT, A-DQ(ZN)2Y

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Corning MiniXtend products are fiber optic stranded loose tube or central tube fully dielectric outdoor cable typically used in Long-Haul, Metro- or Access Networks when limited space is available.

With the dual layer tube design and low friction PE sheath MiniXtend cables are optimized for blowing and best used in mini or micro ducts.

The buffer tubes and fiber in each tube are color-coded for quick and easy identification. MiniXtend are available with Corning Single Mode Fiber SMF 28e+® & SMF 28e® ULTRA (ITU-G 652D) or bend improved ClearCurve® fibers (ITU-G 657).

## Features and Benefits

### Reduced outer cable diameter

High fibre density in microduct systems

### Compact and light

CapEx-optimised installations & upgrades

### Optimised cable stiffness

Long installation lengths

### Fully-dielectric

No grounding required

### Colour-coded tubes & fibres

Easy identification of tubes & fibres

### SMF-28e+® according to ITU-T G.652.D

Transmission security, low attenuation and polarization mode dispersion



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## Standards

|      |                                                           |
|------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| RoHS | Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2011/65/EU |
|------|-----------------------------------------------------------|

## Specifications

### General Specifications

|              |                     |
|--------------|---------------------|
| Environment  | Outdoor             |
| Product type | Dielectric          |
| Cable type   | Stranded Loose Tube |

### Temperature Range

|                                 |                |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| Temperature range, storage      | -30 °C - 70 °C |
| Temperature range, installation | -5 °C - 40 °C  |
| Temperature range, operation    | -30 °C - 70 °C |

### Design Characteristics Cable

| Fibre count | Fibres per tube | Number of tube positions | Number of active tubes | Buffer tube diameter |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 12 -        | 12              | 6                        | 1 - 6                  | 1.4 mm               |
| 96          | 12              | 8                        | 8                      | 1.4 mm               |
| 144         | 12              | 12                       | 12                     | 1.4 mm               |

### Mechanical Characteristics Cable

| Fibre count | Nominal outer diameter | Min. bend radius installation | Min. bend radius operation | Crush resistance | Max. tensile strength, short-term | Cable Weight |
|-------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
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|             | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 80 mm                      | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
| 24          | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 79.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             | 23 kg/km     |
|             | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 80 mm                      | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
| 36          | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 79.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             | 23 kg/km     |
|             | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 80 mm                      | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
| 48          | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 79.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             | 23 kg/km     |
|             | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 80 mm                      | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
| 60          | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 79.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             | 23 kg/km     |
| 72 -        | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 79.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
|             | 5.3 mm                 | 106 mm                        | 80 mm                      | 1000 N/10 cm     | 350 N                             |              |
| 96          | 6.3 mm                 | 126 mm                        | 94.5 mm                    | 1000 N/10 cm     | 1000 N                            | 35 kg/km     |
| 144         | 8 mm                   | 160 mm                        | 120 mm                     | 1000 N/10 cm     | 1000 N                            | 55 kg/km     |

## Transmission Performance

### Single-mode

|                         |                                      |                                      |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Fibre name              | Bend-Improved Single-mode (OS2)      | Single-mode (OS2)                    |
| Performance option code | 20                                   | 22                                   |
| Fibre category          | OS2                                  | OS2                                  |
| Wavelengths             | 1310 nm / 1383 nm / 1550 nm          | 1310 nm / 1383 nm / 1550 nm          |
| Fibre code              | Z                                    | E                                    |
| Maximum Attenuation     | 0.34 dB/km / 0.34 dB/km / 0.20 dB/km | 0.36 dB/km / 0.36 dB/km / 0.22 dB/km |

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## 1 Select fibre count.

012 048 096  
024 060 144  
036 072

## 2 Select fibre type.

E = Single-mode (OS2)  
SMF-28e+®

## 3 Defines cable type.

M = MiniXtend Cable

## 4 Defines outer jacket.

4 = Single

## 5 Defines fibre placement.

T = 12 fibres/buffer tube  
(standard)  
8 = 8 fibres per tube  
6 = 6 fibres per tube  
4 = 4 fibres per tube

## 6 Defines length markings.

3 = Markings in meters  
4 = Markings in feet

## 7 Defines tensile strength.

1 = Standard

## 8 Defines performance option code.

22 = Single-mode (OS2)

Max. attenuation 0.36/0.22/0.36 dB/km  
1310/1383/1550 nm

## 9 Defines cable type.

A = MiniXtend Cable

## 10 Defines special requirements.

20 = Standard construction



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