

Flame-retardant installation solution for fiber optic cable laying racks in Afghanistan

Article Overview

Use flame-retardant (FRNC or LSZH) fiber optic cables with proper rack mounting, spacing, and mechanical protection to ensure fire safety and reliable operation.

Cable Selection

For fire-safe installations, choose fiber optic cables with flame-retardant jackets, such as FRNC (Flame Retardant Non-Corrosive) or LSZH (Low Smoke Zero Halogen), which minimize fire spread and toxic emissions in case of fire . For critical infrastructure, consider fire-resistant cables certified to standards like B2ca CPR or FE180, which maintain optical integrity under extreme heat and flame exposure . These cables are suitable for indoor/outdoor routes, vertical shafts, and tight bending installations, ensuring continuous data transmission during emergencies .

Installation Guidelines

- **Rack Mounting:** Secure cables on racks using clips or brackets every 1-1.5 meters to prevent sagging, but avoid over-tightening to reduce mechanical stress .
- **Bend Radius:** Maintain the minimum bend radius specified by the manufacturer to prevent fiber damage .
- **Figure-8 Loops:** When laying loops on racks, use “figure-8” loops to prevent twisting and maintain optical performance

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