

How long is the blown cable optical cable



Article Overview

Blown optical fiber cables can typically be installed in continuous lengths of 1,000 to 2,000 meters, with longer runs possible using mid-assist devices.

Typical Installation Lengths

The achievable length of a blown optical fiber cable depends on several factors, including the cable type, duct condition, and blowing equipment. Under optimal conditions, standard microduct cables can be installed in continuous lengths of over 1,000 meters, while high-quality air-assisted equipment can extend this to 2,000 meters or more without splices or joins . Field trials have confirmed that a single air-assisted device can install 1,500 to 2,100 meters of cable under good conditions . For even longer runs, cascading devices or mid-assist points along the duct can be used to maintain installation efficiency.

Factors Affecting Blowing Distance

- **Cable Design and Stiffness:** Stiffer cables can travel faster through straight ducts and resist buckling, while more flexible cables perform better in ducts with multiple bends or undulations .
- **Duct Condition:** Smooth, clean ducts with minimal bends allow longer cable runs. Microducts with reduced friction improve the floating effect of the cable during blowing .
- **Air Pressure and Flow:** Compressed air, typically in the range of 10–15 bars, is injected to create a drag force that helps the cable move through the duct. Proper calibration is essential to avoid cable damage .
- **Pushing Force:** A mechanical pushing device is used at the duct inlet to initiate ca...

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Because optical fiber can be blown in and out of the network continuously with no damage to the optical fiber, there is no end to the

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So, it is not a surprise that the optical fibre cables, originally for pulling in duct, were mechanically reinforced and were taking also

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Air-Assisted Installation Considerations

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