

Installation method of OPGW optical cable

Article Overview

OPGW cables are installed using a tension pay-off method on top of power line towers, with careful preparation, precise stringing, and specialized equipment to ensure mechanical and optical integrity.

Preparation and Planning

Before installation, a detailed engineering plan is essential. This includes reviewing design drawings, determining cable lengths, pre-reserved splice locations, and tower positions. The plan should account for environmental factors such as wind, ice, temperature variations, and lightning risks. Teams must inspect the site, verify tower stability, and ensure all tools and personnel are ready for the operation .

Equipment and Tools

Key equipment for OPGW installation includes tension machines, traction machines, pay-off machines, pulleys, anti-torsion devices, pre-stranding wires, cable grippers, theodolites, sag boards, and communication devices for coordination. Proper handling tools for cable drums are also required to prevent damage during transport and storage .

Cable Stringing and Tensioning

The tension pay-off method is commonly used. The cable is pulled from the drum a...

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All optical fibre cabling including fibre itself and all associated installation hardware shall have a minimum guaranteed design life

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II. Installation Preparation of OPGW 1.Establishment of OPGW installation engineering:
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Nevertheless, there is an optical fibre core, fibres should be protected from suffering any damage by observing the minimum bending

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OPGW Optical Cable Construction Method

This OPGW optical cable construction method can also be called a non-power-off construction method. This construction method

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Optical Ground Wire (OPGW) is a dual functioning cable, meaning it serves two purposes. It is designed to replace traditional static /

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The design part should send the design drawing to the engineering, which should compile the engineering program (or operation

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The OPGW line to be installed is designed to replace traditional shield wire, which poles will be removed following OPGW installation

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