

Working principle of dual-core pigtail sleeve

Article Overview

A dual-core pigtail sleeve enables precise, low-loss connection of two optical fibers by housing and aligning the fibers for fusion splicing or mechanical splicing.

Structure and Function

A dual-core pigtail consists of two optical fibers bundled together, typically in a tight-buffered or zipcord configuration, with factory-terminated connectors on one end and bare fiber ends on the other. The bare ends are designed to be spliced to the fibers of a main distribution cable, while the connector ends plug into active equipment or patch panels. The pigtail sleeve is a protective housing that aligns the two fibers during splicing, ensuring minimal insertion loss and back reflection.

Working Principle

- **Alignment:** The dual-core fibers are inserted into the sleeve, which precisely aligns the cores of both fibers. Proper alignment is critical because even microscopic misalignment can cause significant signal loss or reflection.
- **Splicing:** The bare fiber ends are joined to the main cable fibers using fusion splicing or mechanical splicing. In fusion splicing, an electric arc melts the fiber ends, creating a seamless joint. The sleeve maintains the fibers in perfect alignment during this process, ensuring a permanent, low-loss connection.
- **Protection:** After splicing, the sleeve encases the joint, protecting it from mechanical stress, dust, and environmental factors. This ensures long-term reliability and preserves the optical performance of the dual-core connection

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