

G.657.A2

**DurableAccess™ [A2]**

Bend Insensitive Single-Mode Fiber

DurableAccess™ [A2] bend insensitive single-mode fiber exceeds the requirements of ITU-T G.657.A2 and can fully utilize the 1260-1625nm wavelength band for transmission. It has better bending performance within the bending radius range of 7.5-15mm, and is used for the last one-mile applications such as FTTH. Accurate dimension ensures low splicing loss and high splicing efficiency, excellent mechanical properties and environmental characteristics ensure stable performance of optical fibers in various usage environments.

**Optical Characteristics**

Attenuation	
1310nm	≤0.35 dB/km
1383nm	≤0.35 dB/km
1550nm	≤0.21 dB/km
1625nm	≤0.23 dB/km

  

Point Discontinuity	
1310/1550nm	≤0.02dB

  

Cut-off Wavelength	
Cable cut-off wavelength ( $\lambda_{cc}$ )	≤1260nm

  

Mode Field Diameter (MFD)	
MFD at 1310nm	8.6±0.4μm

**Macro bending Induced Attenuation**

Bending radius	Number of Turns	Wavelength	Attenuation
7.5mm	1	1550nm	≤0.50dB
7.5mm	1	1625nm	≤1.00dB
10mm	1	1550nm	≤0.10dB
10mm	1	1625nm	≤0.20dB
15mm	10	1550nm	≤0.03dB
15mm	10	1625nm	≤0.10dB

**Dispersion**

Zero-dispersion wavelength	1300-1324nm
Zero-dispersion slope	0.073~0.092ps/nm <sup>2</sup> /km
Dispersion at 1550 wavelength	≤18.6ps/nm/km

**Polarization Mode Dispersion**

Max. individual fiber PMD	≤0.2ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$
PMD link design value	≤0.1ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$

**Geometric Characteristics**

Geometrical Parameter	
Cladding diameter	125±0.7μm
Core/clad concentricity error	≤0.5μm
Cladding non-circularity	≤1.0%
Fiber curl R	≥4m
Coating diameter	245±10μm
Coating-Cladding Concentricity	≤10μm

**Mechanical Characteristics**

Proof Test	
Proof stress level	1.52GPa (2.2%, 220kpsi, 19.6N)
Strip Force	
Force (peak)	1.0N≤F≤8.9N
Force (average)	1.0N≤F≤5.0N
Tensile Strength	
Unaged (median; 0.5m)	≥3.80GPa (≥550kpsi)
Aged (median; 0.5m)	≥3.14GPa (≥460kpsi)
Dynamic fatigue parameters	
Fatigue	≥20

**Environmental Characteristics**

Test items	Conditions	Induced Attenuation at 1550, 1625nm
Temperature	-60°C to + 85°C	≤0.03dB/km
Water Immersion	+ 23°C/30Days	≤0.03dB/km
Steady damp-heat	+ 85°C/85%RH/30Days	≤0.03dB/km
Dry heat aging	+ 85°C/30Days	≤0.03dB/km