



FarBand® Cut-off Shifted Single-mode Optical Fibre

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YOFC FarBand® fibre is designed specially for long-haul optical transmission systems. It makes performance optimization in both C band (1530-1565nm) and L band (1565-1625nm). Its enlarged effective area suppresses nonlinear effect in the process and increases nonlinear tolerance for transmission system. Meanwhile FarBand® fibre reduces attenuation in both C band and L band. The fibre fully meets the demands for transmitting signal with high speed, high capacity and extended networking distances over one single fibre.

Applications

Attributed to its large effective area and lower attenuation performance, FarBand® fibre is the optimum choice that supports various applications such as Ethernet, Internet Protocol (IP), Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) and Wavelength Division Multiplexing (WDM). FarBand® fibre enables high input power and minimizes transmitted power distribution density because of its enlarged effective area, suppressing nonlinear effect, such as Brillouin scattering, self-phase modulation and cross phase modulation, thus it satisfies multi-channel DWDM system. Meanwhile FarBand® fibre provides low signal attenuation, which satisfies the optical fibre attenuation requirement in long haul transmission, and provides more system redundancy.

Norms

FarBand® fibre complies with or even exceeds the ITU-T G.654.B/E recommendation and IEC 60793-2-50 B1.2 Optical Fibre Specification. YOFC tightens many parameters of fibre products.

Characteristics

- Designed for 40G/100G/ 100G beyond large capacity, long-haul Dense Wavelength Division Multiplexing (DWDM) system operation over C band (1530-1565nm) and L band (1565-1625nm)
- Large effective area reduces nonlinear effect in the transmission process, ensuring good system performance
- Lower attenuation level, which meets the demand of extended long distance transmission
- Lower bending induced loss at 1550nm and more sensitive 1625nm window.



| Characteristics | | Conditions | Specified values | Units |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Optical Characteristics | | | | |
| Nominal Effective Area | | 1550nm | 125 | [μm^2] |
| Mode Field Diameter | | 1550nm | 12.0 - 13.0 | [μm] |
| Attenuation | | 1550nm | ≤ 0.19 | [dB/km] |
| | | 1625nm | ≤ 0.21 | [dB/km] |
| Attenuation vs. Wavelength Max. α difference | | 1525-1575nm, in reference to 1550nm | ≤ 0.02 | [dB/km] |
| | | 1550-1625nm, in reference to 1550nm | ≤ 0.03 | [dB/km] |
| Dispersion Coefficient | | 1550nm | ≤ 23 | [ps/(nm·km)] |
| | | 1625nm | ≤ 27 | [ps/(nm·km)] |
| Dispersion Slope | | 1550nm | 0.050-0.070 | [ps/(nm ² ·km)] |
| PMD | Maximum Individual Fibre | -- | ≤ 0.1 | [ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$] |
| | Link Design Value (M=20, Q=0.01%) | -- | ≤ 0.04 | [ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$] |
| | Typical Value | -- | 0.03 | [ps/ $\sqrt{\text{km}}$] |
| Cable Cutoff Wavelength (λ_{cc}) | | -- | ≤ 1520 | [nm] |
| Effective Group Index of Refraction | | 1550nm | 1.465 | -- |
| Point Discontinuities | | 1550nm | ≤ 0.05 | [dB] |
| Geometrical Characteristics | | | | |
| Cladding Diameter | | -- | 125.0 \pm 1.0 | [μm] |
| Cladding Non-Circularity | | -- | ≤ 1.0 | [%] |
| Coating Diameter | | -- | 235 - 255 | [μm] |
| Coating-Cladding Concentricity Error | | -- | ≤ 12.0 | [μm] |
| Coating Non-Circularity | | -- | ≤ 6.0 | [%] |
| Core-Cladding Concentricity Error | | -- | ≤ 0.6 | [μm] |
| Curl(radius) | | -- | ≥ 4 | [m] |
| Delivery Length ¹ | | -- | Up to 25.2 | [km/reel] |
| Environmental Characteristics | | | 1550nm & 1625nm | |
| Temperature Dependence Induced Attenuation | | -60°C to 85°C | ≤ 0.05 | [dB/km] |
| Temperature-Humidity Cycling Induced Attenuation | | -10°C to 85°C, 98% RH | ≤ 0.05 | [dB/km] |
| Watersoak Dependence Induced Attenuation | | 23°C, for 30 days | ≤ 0.05 | [dB/km] |
| Damp Heat Dependence Induced Attenuation | | 85°C, 85% RH, 30 days | ≤ 0.05 | [dB/km] |
| Dry Heat Aging | | 85°C, for 30 days | ≤ 0.05 | [dB/km] |
| Mechanical Specifications | | | | |
| Proof Test ² | | -- | ≥ 9.0 | [N] |
| | | -- | ≥ 1.0 | [%] |
| | | -- | ≥ 100 | [kpsi] |
| Macro-bend Induced Loss | 100 Turns Around a Mandrel of 30 mm Radius | 1550nm | ≤ 0.10 | [dB] |
| | | 1625nm | ≤ 0.10 | [dB] |
| Coating Strip Force | | typical average force | 1.5 | [N] |
| | | peak force | 1.3-8.9 | [N] |
| Dynamic Fatigue Parameter (n_f) | | -- | ≥ 20 | -- |

Remark: 1.Other delivery lengths are available. 2.Higher proof test level is available.