

How to connect the control cable when replacing the optical fiber cable



Article Overview

When replacing an optical fiber cable, the control cable should be connected carefully alongside the fiber, ensuring proper alignment, secure attachment, and testing for signal integrity.

Preparation and Tools

Before starting, gather the necessary tools and materials: fiber strippers, cleaver, crimping pliers, connector kits (LC, SC, ST, or FC), UV glue or epoxy, fiber holders, cleaning solution, lint-free wipes, and safety equipment such as gloves and glasses . For control cables, ensure you have the correct connectors, cable ties, and cable management accessories.

Steps for Connecting the Fiber and Control Cable

- **Inspect and Prepare the Fiber:** Remove the outer jacket of the fiber optic cable carefully, avoiding bending or kinking the fiber. Clean the exposed fiber with isopropyl alcohol and inspect under a microscope for damage .
- **Prepare the Control Cable:** Strip the control cable to expose the conductors, ensuring the length matches the fiber termination point. Avoid nicking or damaging the wires.
- **Attach Fiber Connectors:** Cleave the fiber to the correct length and insert it into the connector according to the connector type:
 - LC connector: uses a latch mechanism.
 - SC connector: push-pull with latch....

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These differences result in slight variations in the steps for inserting the optical fiber
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