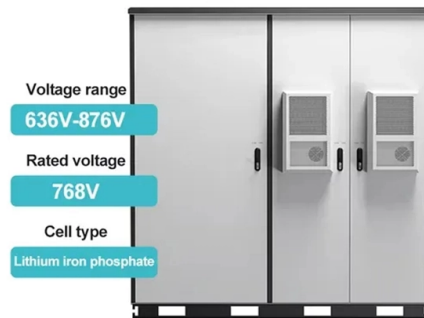


Maintenance of 2-core transparent optical cable



AI Overview

Proper maintenance of a 2-core transparent optical cable involves regular inspection, cleaning, careful handling, and performance monitoring to ensure signal integrity and long-term reliability.

Inspection and Handling

Regular inspection is critical to detect physical damage or contamination. Use a handheld fiberscope or video microscope to examine connector endfaces and cable terminations for dust, scratches, or other defects, as even microscopic particles can block light and degrade signal quality . Always handle cables with powder-free gloves and avoid touching the fiber ends directly . Maintain the minimum bend radius to prevent microbends or macrobends that can increase insertion loss .

Cleaning Procedures

Contaminants such as dust, oil, or environmental residues can significantly reduce optical performance. Follow these steps for cleaning:

- Blow off loose particles using clean dry air (CDA) without tipping the can .
- Use spectroscopic-grade methanol on lens tissue to gently wipe the fiber endface, dragging the tissue across the surface in a single motion .
- Inspect under high-intensity light or a fiberscope to ensure all contaminants are removed .
- Replace protective caps immediately after cleaning to prevent re-contamination

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