

# Output optical cable splicing



## AI Overview

Fiber optic cables are typically joined using either fusion splicing for permanent, low-loss connections or mechanical splicing for quick, temporary setups.

### Overview of Fiber Optic Splicing

Fiber optic splicing is the process of joining two optical fibers end-to-end to allow light signals to pass with minimal loss or reflection, ensuring high-quality data transmission. Splicing is essential for extending cable lengths, repairing damaged fibers, or connecting different types of fiber cables in network installations. Unlike connectors, splicing creates a permanent or semi-permanent joint with very low insertion loss and back reflection.

### Fusion Splicing

Fusion splicing is the most common and reliable method for permanent fiber connections. It involves precisely aligning the fiber cores and using an electric arc to melt and fuse them into a continuous strand. Procedure:

- Strip the protective coating from the fiber ends.
- Clean the bare fibers with alcohol wipes.
- Use a fusion splicer to automatically align the fiber cores.
- Apply an electric arc to fuse the fibers.
- Protect the joint with a heat-shrink sleeve to restore mechanical strength.

### Advantages:

- Very low insertion loss (typically 0.02-0.1 dB)...

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