

Uganda receives fiber optic cable



AI Overview

Uganda's fiber optic network is extensive, with multiple high-capacity routes connecting major cities and cross-border links to Kenya, supporting high-speed, reliable internet access.

Key Fiber Optic Infrastructure

Uganda's fiber optic network spans over 1,775 kilometers, covering aerial, underground, and self-supporting installations across the country, including major routes from Mutundwe to Lugogo, Jinja to Tororo, and beyond, ensuring comprehensive national coverage and high-quality service for businesses and individuals (UETCL) . The network supports 10G/40G/100G transmission capacities, suitable for streaming, gaming, and data-intensive applications, with robust network protection and high Quality of Service (QoS) .

Major Routes and Projects

Bayobab Uganda, part of the MTN Group, has recently launched the Uganda Railway National Long Distance (NLD) fiber route, running from Malaba to Kampala. This 260-kilometer route leverages the existing railway corridor, providing a high-capacity, low-latency, and resilient connection to key data centers in Kampala, including Raxio, Airtel House, and MTN Uganda . The route integrates with subsea cables in Mombasa, Kenya, enhancing regional connectivity and offering a reliable alternative to existing fiber systems . Other Bayobab routes include Busia-Jinja-Mabira-Kampala, Malaba-Kamuli-Kayunga-Jinja-Kampala, and Malaba-Tororo-Lira-Karuma-Masindi-Luweero-Kampala, expanding Uganda's digita...

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Bayobab Kenya, part of Bayobab Group, the digital infrastructure business arm of MTN Group, announced on

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All what you will see are the pump stations in Uganda and pump stations in Tanzania," he observed. Watfa added

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