



1728F MassLink™ Indoor/Outdoor with FlexRibbon™ 250 ym Fibers



Overview

MassLink™ with FlexRibbon™ Technology provides an ultracompact indoor/outdoor cable design that contains 1728 bend insensitive fibers. By using FlexRibbon technology, ribbons are rolled up and packed together in small diameter 288 fiber tubes. While FlexRibbon™ provides high packing density, these 250 um fiber ribbons still provide the advantages of mass fusion splicing.

Ultra Compact Design

- FlexRibbons™ are rolled up into compact 288 fiber sub units for easier routing
- Significantly smaller diameter and lighter weight cables allow for easier installation and the use of smaller ducts
- A 30% smaller diameter (52% volume reduction) over traditional indoor/outdoor ribbon designs

FlexRibbon Technology

- Extremely flexible ribbons can be rolled up for high packing densities or laid flat for ribbon splicing
- 12 fiber ribbons are compatible with mass fusion heat strippers, cleavers, and splice machines
- Uses standard 250 um coated bend-insensitive fiber (ITU G657.A1 or A2)

Performance

- Uses full dry water blocking technology in the tubes and cable core for easy closure preparation and termination
- Tested in accordance with GR-20 and ICEA 696 and with relevant EIA/TIA-455 series FOTPs for fiber optic cables

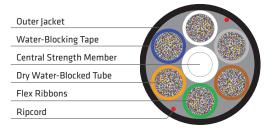
Flame Retardant Construction

 Riser design complies with UL 1666 and is OFNR and OFN-FT4 rated

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Registered Supplier

• ISO 9001, ISO 14001, TL 9000, and OHSAS 18001

PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS				
Minimum Bend Diameter (Diameter = Radius x 2)				
Wheel/Capstan	42 inches (108 cm)			
Coil/Bend	22 inches (56 cm)			
Minimum Bend Radius				
Dynamic	20 x Cable OD			
Static	10 x Cable OD			
Tensile Rating	N	lbf		
Installation	2700	600		
Residual	800	180		
Crush Resistance	N/cm	lbf/in		
Short/ Long Term	220/110 125/63			
Temperature Ratings	°C	°F		
Operation	-30 to +70	-22 to +158		
Installation	-10 to +60	+14 to +140		
Storage/Shipping	-40 to +70	-40 to +158		

NOMINAL DESIGN PARAMETERS				
Fiber Count		1728		
Tube Positions		6		
Number of Ribbons/Tube		24		
Buffer Tube OD	(mm)	7.4		
	(inches)	0.29		
Cable OD	(mm)	26.6		
	(inches)	1.05		
Weight	(kg/km)	529		
	(lb/kft)	355		
Maximum Length	(m)	5,704		
	(ft)	18,715		
Fiber / Sub Unit	6 Units x 288f / Unit			





RIBBON COLOR CODE				
Ribbon #	Marking	Ribbon #	Marking	
1		13		
2	II	14		
3	Ш	15		
4	IIII	16		
5		17		
6		18		
7		19		
8		20		
9		21		
10		22		
11		23		
12		24		

Ordering Guide

The Prysmian Group part number incorporates several significant attributes involving cable design and optical performance. The appropriate part number can be configured using the process described in the example.

Example: 1728 count all-dielectric MassLink with FlexRibbon Technology with G657.A1 bend insensitive fiber.



PART NUMBER CONSTRUCTION		
1 LENGTH MARKINGS		
F = Feet or M = Meters		
PRODUCT FAMILY & CONSTRUCTION		
RRIOLFK = MassLink™ Indoor/Outdoor Riser		
FIBER GROUPING		
12 = 12f Flex-Ribbons		

Note: Please refer to the Fiber Code Addendum for additional fiber options, or contact us for help.

FIBER INFORMATION				
4 FIBER TYPE				
SINGLE-MODE				
B1 = Bend Insensitive Single-Mode (ITU G.657.A1 & G.652.D)				
CU = Corning™ Ultra Single-Mode (ITU G.657.A1 & G.652.D)				
B2 = Bend-Insensitive Single-Mode (ITU G.657.A2 & .B2, & G.652.D)				
5 FIBER COUNT				
1728 fibers				
6 FIBER GRADE				
SINGLE-MODE Attenuation (dB/km)	Wavelength (nm)	Fiber Type		
E1 = 0.40/0.40/0.30	1310/1383/1550	B1, CU, or B2		

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