

How to activate fiber optic cables



Article Overview

Activating fiber optic cables involves connecting the fiber line to an Optical Network Terminal (ONT), linking the ONT to a compatible router, and configuring the network for use.

Step 1: Prepare the Necessary Equipment

To activate fiber optic service, ensure you have:

- Optical Network Terminal (ONT): Converts light signals from the fiber into data your devices can use .
- Fiber optic cable: Usually single-mode with SC/APC or SC/UPC connectors .
- Fiber-ready router: Must support fiber input via WAN or SFP ports .
- Ethernet cable: To connect the ONT to your router .

Step 2: Connect the Fiber to the ONT

- Locate the fiber optic wall outlet where your ISP's fiber line enters your home .
- Plug one end of the fiber optic cable into the wall outlet and the other into the ONT's designated port .
- Power on the ONT and wait for the status lights to stabilize, which may take 2-5 minutes .

Step 3: Link the ONT to Your Router

- Use an Ethernet cable to connect the ONT's LAN/Ethernet port to your router's WAN port .
- Power on the router and wait for the indicator lights to confirm a successful connection .

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