

How to speed up fiber optic cable splicing



Article Overview

Optimizing fiber optic splicing speed involves proper tool preparation, precise fiber handling, and choosing the right splicing method for the application.

Choose the Appropriate Splicing Method

- Fusion splicing is ideal for permanent, low-loss connections but can be slower due to preparation and alignment steps.
- Mechanical splicing is faster for temporary or field repairs, as it aligns fibers without melting them, though it typically results in slightly higher signal loss .

Prepare Tools and Materials in Advance

- Keep fusion splicers, cleavers, and cleaning supplies ready and calibrated .
- Use manufacturer-recommended splice sleeves to reduce failure rates and rework .
- Ensure clean, lint-free wipes and isopropyl alcohol are on hand to quickly clean fibers.

Optimize Fiber Preparation

- Strip the outer jacket and buffer carefully, avoiding tension on the fiber .
- Use a high-precision cleaver to create a flat, mirror-like fiber end; a poor cleave increases splice time due to retries .
- Inspect fibers under a microscope before splicing to confirm proper cleave quality.

Streamline the Splicing Process...

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