

IG - 50/125/245 - HTC 200

Ordering Information

To order j-fiber products please call, fax or email us and specify the following parameters:

Fiber Type:	j-fiber Multimode Fiber 50/125/245 μ m HTC 200 Extended Operating Temperature Range
Desired Attenuation, Bandwidth:	at 850nm / 1300nm
Fiber Quantity:	kms
Other:	desired ship date, reel length, special requests

All fibers and preforms are subject to j-fiber's ongoing process and quality improvement programs ensuring excellent performance and high reliability. We reserve the right to make changes to the enclosed specifications without notice.

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j-fiber's industry leading 50 μ m Multimode fiber solution for reliable operation in high temperature areas to allow for high data volume transmission at short to medium distances in a variety of applications.

The application of optical fibers in demanding environments, such as in mining, industry, aerospace, military and transportation requires a maximum protection of the fiber at high temperatures. Especially designed for production of cables with high temperature stability j-fiber offers its Multimode fibers with an extended operating temperature range. The fiber features high bandwidth capabilities and is specified for use in both 850nm and 1300nm wavelength operation. The graded index 50 μ m sized core consists of Germanium doped fused silica and is surrounded by a pure silica cladding. The coating material safeguards the fiber in environments with temperature ranges from as low as -60°C up to 200°C.

Features and Benefits

- j-fiber HTC200 - High Temperature Coating for reliable operation in harsh environments
- Customized bandwidth and attenuation combinations available for specific applications
- Optimized for use in 850nm and 1300nm applications with lowest attenuation and highest bandwidths values
- High performance bandwidth fiber for 1Gb/s and 10Gb/s operation available upon request
- Excellent splicing performance and compatibility with installed fiber base and photonics components
- Maximum product consistency and reliability through patented j-fiber manufacturing process

Application

- Fiber Optic Sensors
- Data Transmission in harsh environments
- Data Communication in harsh environments

Optical Performance

		Spec. Value Range	Unit
Attenuation Coefficient	850nm	$\leq 2.4 - \leq 2.6$	dB/km
	1300nm	$\leq 0.6 - \leq 0.8$	dB/km
Bandwidth (Assuming a linear relationship)	850nm	$\geq 400 - \geq 750$	MHz·km
	1300nm	$\geq 500 - \geq 1200$	MHz·km
Numerical Aperture		0.200 ± 0.015	
Macrobend ¹		≤ 0.5	dB
Effective Group Index of Refraction	850nm	1.483	
	1300nm	1.478	

¹ Bend induced attenuation at 850nm and 1300nm, 100 turns around a mandrel of 75mm diameter

Geometrical Characteristics

	Spec. Values	Unit
Core Diameter	50 ± 2.5	μm
Core Non-Circularity	≤ 5.0	%
Core/Clad Concentricity Error	≤ 1.5	μm
Cladding Diameter	125 ± 2.0	μm
Cladding Non-Circularity	≤ 2.0	%
Coating Diameter	245 ± 10.0	μm
Coating /Clad Concentricity Error	≤ 10.0	μm
Lengths	Custom lengths up to 10km per reel	km

Environmental Characteristics

	Spec. Values	Unit
	at 850/1300nm	
Change of Temperature Attenuation increase, -60°C to +150°C	≤ 0.20	dB/km
Dry Heat Attenuation increase, 30 days at 150°C	≤ 0.20	dB/km
Damp Heat Attenuation increase, 30 days at 85°C/85% R.H.	≤ 0.20	dB/km

Mechanical Characteristics

	Spec. Values	Unit
Proof Test	≥ 100 ≥ 8.8	Kpsi N
Dynamic Tensile Strength Unaged Fiber (0.5m)		
Median Tensile Strength	≥ 3.8	GPa
15th Percentile Tensile Strength	≥ 3.3	GPa
Aged Fiber (0.5m)		
Median Tensile Strength	≥ 3.0	GPa
15th Percentile Tensile Strength	≥ 2.8	GPa
Dynamic Fatigue		
Stress Corrosion Parameter n_d	≥ 20	
Coating Strip Force (typical)	3.2	N

Quality Procedure

All j-fiber Multimode fibers comply with or exceed the ITU recommendation G.651 or the IEC 60793-2-10 Optical Fiber Specifications. Each fiber is 100% quality measured according to IEC 60793.

Manufacturing Process

Optical fibers are manufactured by j-fiber's proprietary technology using a MCVD (Modified Chemical Vapour Deposition) process for preform fabrication. This technology allows us to flexibly provide innovative fiber and preform designs according to the customer's own specifications. Our established process results in low attenuation fiber with consistent geometric properties, high strength, and precise control of each fiber's index of refraction. The fiber has a high level of splice compatibility with optical fibers manufactured by other processes.

HTC 200 Coating

j-fiber Multimode optical fiber is protected with our HTC 200 / FCC-28, a specially developed coating material that guarantees long-term performance and reliability at high and low temperature applications. The dual layer material is user friendly and compatible in all cable constructions, such as tight buffer and loose tube designs with low bending loss. The coating is mechanically strippable and leaves no residue.

Coating Description

	Spec. Values	Unit
Coating Material	High Temperature Polymer	
Coating ID	HTC 200 / FCC28	
Operating Temperature Range	- 60 to +200	°C
Short term (up to 7 days)	200	°C
Intermediate (up to 14 days)	180	°C
Long Term (>3 months)	150	°C

Environmental friendly Packaging

The shipping spool is designed to safeguard j-fiber optical fiber not only during shipping but also during subsequent handling in the customer's plant. It features smooth inside surfaces to ensure that the fiber is wound on and off the reel without the risk of breaking. The reel barrel is isolated via a polyethylene air cushion cover. The inside end of the fiber can be accessed for various measurements while still on the shipping spool. Each spool carries product information, including fiber type, measurement data and peel-off bar coding to assist with inventory control. All reels and transport boxes are designed to take advantage of our recycling program.

	Spool Size
Spool diameter	9.25"/23.5cm
Spool width	4.21"/10.7cm
Spindle	1"/2.54cm
Traverse width	3.75"/9.5cm