

# FREEDM® One Tight-Buffered Cable, Plenum

24 F, 50 µm multimode (OM3)

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Corning Cable Systems FREEDM® One Cables are flame-retardant, UV-resistant, indoor/outdoor cables designed for aerial, duct and direct-buried applications with no need for a transition splice when entering the building. The tight-buffered construction facilitates easier termination for low-fiber-count applications in the local area network (LAN) and eliminates need for fan-out kits. The design features TIA-598 color-coded 900 µm TBII® Buffered Fibers for easy identification, consistent stripping and direct termination. The small diameter and bend radius of the cable allow for easy installation in space-constrained areas while the innovative waterblocking technology is ideal for OSP applications. The all-dielectric cable construction requires no grounding or bonding and the UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket is rugged, durable and easy to strip.

This cable is available in 12 different jacket colors - blue, orange, green, brown, slate, white, red, black, yellow, purple, rose and aqua. The colored jacket allows for easy visual identification of the cables while still providing all of the required environmental protection of an indoor/outdoor cable jacket. Black is the standard jacket color using the standard part numbers shown here. Contact Customer Care at 1-800-743-2675 to order other color options.

## Features and Benefits

### Waterblocking technology

OSP (outdoor) applications

### Small diameter and bend-radius

Easy installation in space-constrained areas

### Color-coded fibers

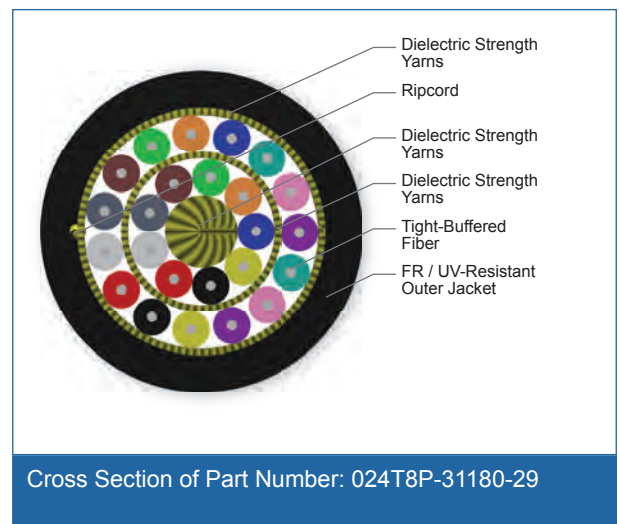
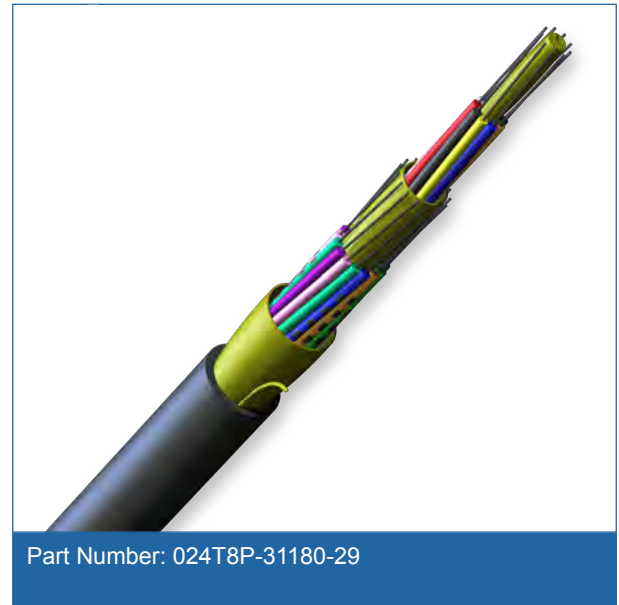
Quick and easy identification

### All-dielectric construction

Requires no grounding or bonding

### UV-resistant, flame-retardant jacket

Rugged, durable and easy to strip



## Standards

### Approval and Listings

National Electrical Code®  
(NEC®) OFNP, CSA FT-6

### Design and Test Criteria

ICEA S-104-696

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## Specifications

### General Specifications

Environment	Indoor/Outdoor Cables
Application	Aerial, Direct Buried, Duct, General Purpose Horizontal, (Vertical Riser, Plenum)
Cable Type	Tight-Buffered
Product Type	Dielectric
Flame Rating	Plenum (OFNP)
Fiber Category	50 µm MM (OM3)

### Temperature Range

Storage	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)
Installation	0 °C to 60 °C (32 °F to 140 °F)
Operation	-40 °C to 70 °C (-40 °F to 158 °F)

### Cable Design

Central Element	Dielectric
Fiber Count	24
Tight Buffer Color	Blue, Orange, Green, Brown, Slate, White, Red, Black, Yellow, Violet, Rose, Aqua, Blue*, Orange*, Green*, Brown*, Slate*, White*, Red*, Black*, Yellow*, Violet*, Rose*, Aqua*
Tensile Strength Elements and/or Armoring - Layer 1	Water-swellable strength members
Outer Jacket Material	Flame-Retardant, UV-Resistant
Outer Jacket Color	Black

### Mechanical Characteristics Cable

Weight	65 kg/km (44 lb/1000 ft)
Nominal Outer Diameter	8.0 mm (.31 in)
Min. Bend Radius Installation	120 mm (4.7 in)
Min. Bend Radius Operation	40 mm (1.6 in)
Max. Tensile Strengths, Short-Term	1350 N (300 lbf)
Max. Tensile Strengths, Long-Term	400 N (90 lbf)

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## Chemical Characteristics

RoHS	Free of hazardous substances according to RoHS 2002/95/EG
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## Fiber Specifications

### Optical Characteristics (cabled)

Fiber Type	Multimode
Fiber Core Diameter	50 µm
Fiber Category	OM3
Fiber Code	T
Performance Option Code	80
Wavelengths	850 nm / 1300 nm
Maximum Attenuation	2.8 dB/km / 1 dB/km
Min. Overfilled Launch (OFL) Bandwidth	1500 MHz*km / 500 MHz*km
Minimum Effective Modal Bandwidth (EMB)	2000 MHz*km / -
Serial 1 Gigabit Ethernet	1000 m / 600 m
Serial 10 Gigabit Ethernet	300 m / -
Induced Attenuation @ 7.5 mm Radius	< 30 dB up to 80 dB

\* Meets 0.75 ns optical skew when used in all Corning Cable Systems Plug & Play™/Pretium EDGE® Systems Solutions.

Notes: 1) 50 µm multimode fiber macrobend loss ≤ 0.2 dB at 850 nm for two turns around 7.5 mm radius mandrel.  
2) Improved attenuation and bandwidth options available.  
3) Bend-insensitive single-mode fibers available on request.  
4) Contact a Corning Cable Systems Customer Care Representative for additional information.

## Ordering Information

Part Number	024T8P-31180-29
Product Description	FREEDM® One Tight-Buffered Cable, Plenum, 24 F, 50 µm multimode (OM3)



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