

# Technical Data Sheet

## **GBAF**

Multi Loose Tube Cables Outdoor A-DQ(ZN)2Y

#### **Ordering Information**

#### Belden European Part Numbers

Fibre type / count	108	120	132	144	
62.5/125-OM1	GBAF108	GBAF120	GBAF132	GBAF144	
50/125-OM2 BW 600/1200	GBAF208	GBAF220	GBAF232	GBAF244	
50/125-OM3	GBAF308	GBAF320	GBAF332	GBAF344	
50/125-OM2e	GBAF408	GBAF420	GBAF432	GBAF444	
50/125-OM2 BW 500/500	GBAF508	GBAF520	GBAF532	GBAF544	
50/125-OM4	GBAF608	GBAF620	GBAF632	GBAF644	
9/125 ITU G.655	GBAF708	GBAF720	GBAF732	GBAF744	
9/125 ITU G.652D	GBAF808	GBAF820	GBAF832	GBAF844	
Std. plywood reel	Ø 1400 * 900 mm				
(non-returnable)	120 kg				
Std. delivery length	2100 ± 100m				

## **Applications**

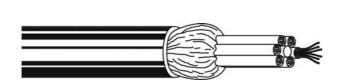
- For outdoor use in structured (data) wiring systems such as (campus backbone).
- For **outdoor** use in networks for telecom, cable TV and/or broadcast.
- Easy to install in ducts, tunnels and trenches by means of compressed air or pulling wire.
- Suitable for direct burial .

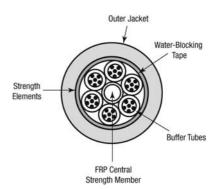
## Features & Benefits

- Dry Construction.
- Predicted lifetime > 30 years.



## Construction & Dimensions





## Cable Specifications (construction in accordance with IEC 60794)

- 1. Dielectric central element of glass reinforced plastic (GRP), also as protection against kinks, surrounded by swelling varns
- Jelly filled (non-dripping and silicon-free) loose tubes with primary coated optical fibres (Ø 250 ± 15 μm).
   Individually colour coded optical fibres: red green blue yellow violet pink orange black grey brown white turquoise.
- 3. The loose tubes are stranded around the central element, if necessary with fillers (PE-natural) and surrounded by swelling tape.
  - Colour coding of the loose tubes: 1. red 2. green rest white.
- ${\it 4. \ Swellable \ (for \ the \ longitudinal \ watertightness) \ aramid \ yarns \ as \ strength \ members.}$
- 5. Black UV resistant PE outer jacket.

  Identification: BELDEN OFC "cable type" "number x fibre type" + date-, meter- and P/N marking.

# Mechanical Data

No. of fibres	Max. 144
Cable core	12 tubes
Ø Central element (mm)	3.0/7.5
Ø Loose tube (mm)	2.5
Ø nom./max. (mm)	17.0 / 17.3
Energy of flame (kJ/m)	8000
Weight (kg/km)	192



## **Optical Characteristics**

# Characteristics (cabled) Single-Mode – Matched-Cladded optical fibres according to ITU.

European Partnumber Coding, Position 5	Fibre-Type	Mode-Field /CladdingDi ameter (um)	Wave- length (nm)	Attenuation average/ max. (dB/km)	Dispersion (ps/(nm-km)	PMD (ps/km)	Cable Cut-off Wave-length (nm)
8	9/125 G.652D	9.2 ± 0.4 125 ± 0.7	1310 1550	0.32 / 0.40 0.21 / 0.30	≤ 3.5 ≤ 18	≤ 0.2	≤ 1260
7	9/125 G.655	8.4 ± 0.6 125 ± 1	1550	0.25 / 0.30	3.5 – 8.5	<u>&lt;</u> 0.1 <sup>A</sup>	≤ 1260

Note A- Link design value

# Characteristics (cabled) Multi-Mode Graded-Index optical fibres according to IEC 60793

European Partnumber Coding,	Fibre-Type	Mode-Field Diameter (um)	Wave- length (nm)	Attenuation average/ max.	Bandwidt h	h		Num. Apert. (µm)	Refr.
Position 5		(Giri)	()	(db/km)	(MHz•km)	1GBE	10 GBE	(рит)	
1	62.5/125	62.5 ± 2.5	850	2.7 / 3.2	≥ 200	275	33	0.275 ±	1.495
	OM1	125 ± 1	1300	0.6 / 1.1	≥ 600	550	n.a.	0.015	1.490
5	50/125	50 ± 2.5	850	2.4 / 3.0	≥ 500	600	82	0.20 ±	1.481
	OM2	125 ± 1	1300	0.7 / 1.0	≥ 500	600	n.a.	0.015	1.476
2	50/125	50 ± 2.5	850	2.3 / 2.8	≥ 600	600	82	0.20 ±	1.481
	OM2	125 ± 1	1300	0.6 / 0.9	≥ 1200	600	n.a.	0.015	1.476
4	50/125	50 ± 2,5	850	2,3 / 2,8	≥ 600	750	110	0.20 ±	1,481
	OM2e	125 ± 1	1300	0,6 / 0,9	≥ 1200	2000	na	0.015	1,476
3	50/125	50 ± 2.5	850	2.5 / 3.0	≥ 1500	900	300	0.20 ±	1.482
	OM3	125 ± 1	1300	0.5 / 1.0	≥ 500	550	n.a.	0.015	1.477
6	50/125	50 ± 2.5	850	2.5 / 3.0	≥ 6000	900	550	0.20 ±	1.482
	OM4	125 ± 1	1300	0.5 / 1.0	≥ 500	550	n.a.	0.015	1.477

A test report (attenuation) is supplied with each delivery.



## Mechanical, Physical and/or Environmental Characteristics

Requirements		
Temperature ran	nge according to IEC 60794-1-2-F1	
	Tansport/storage	-30 to + 70 °C
	Installation	-5 to + 50 °C
	Operation	-30 to + 70 °C
Pulling tension	according to IEC 60794-1-2-E1	
	Long term	≤ 4000 N
	Short term	≤ 8000 N
Bending radii for fibres and tubes		25
	Installation/operation	>25 mm
Watertightness	according to IEC 60794-1-2-F5	Yes
Crush resistanc	e according to IEC 60794-1-2-E3	
	Cable	≤ 20 KN/m
Bending radii cable		
	Static according to IEC 60794-1-2-E11	15 x Ø
	Dynamic according to IEC 60794-1-2-E6	20 x Ø

#### Guide to installation and handling

- When laying and installing optical fibre cables it is vitally important not to exceed the specified values set for pulling tension, bending radii and temperature. The installation methods have to be in accordance with the common standards.
- To ease insertion into tubes by means of compressed air or pulling wire, certified lubricants (e.g. paraffin) may be used.
  The use of soap or similar substances as lubricants is strictly prohibited.
- If a cable needs to be fastened, constrictions > 0.3 mm must be prevented.
- The jelly filling inside the tubes can be removed using a tissue soaked in turpentine.
- It is advisable to cap the cable-ends during storage.

## **Options**

- Cables for indoor/outdoor use.
- Non-standard cable constructions, colors, details and/or additional information regarding specifications are available on request.



## Revision

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02	Changed energy and OM3+ into OM4	22/11/10	TvR
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