Complete List of Vibration Strain Optical Cable Models



Overview

Fiber Optic Distributed Strain/Bending/Temperature Sensing CablesThe designed hybrid sensing cables are especially suitable for applications in challenging.

Key Takeaways

Vibration strain optical cables include distributed sensing cables from UniSignal, Corning, and specialized FBG/Brillouin-based designs for harsh environments.

Uni

Signal Vibration and Strain Sensing CablesUniSignal manufactures metal-sheathed fiber optic distributed strain, bending, and temperature sensing cables suitable for extreme conditions, including cryogenic temperatures up to 300°C, high pressure, strong corrosion, and hydrogen exposure. These hybrid sensing cables are designed for Fiber Bragg Grating (FBG) or Brillouin scattering technologies and can be customized for temperatures up to 700°C upon request. They are ideal for long-distance structural monitoring in demanding environments.

Corning Distributed Sensing Cables

Corning offers distributed sensing fiber optic cables capable of detecting strain, vibration, temperature, pressure, and sound along the entire cable length in real time. These cables feature a robust, compact design for harsh conditions, with flexible material options for strength elements and fiber properties. They are lightweight (approximately 14.

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9 kg/km) and can be deployed in lengths exceeding 10 km, making them suitable for critical infrastructure monitoring.

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Specific Optical Cable Designs

Patented designs, such as those described in EP3631520A1, include optical fibers embedded in cable jackets with features to enhance vibration sensitivity. These designs may incorporate: Spatial arrangement of sensing fibersAcoustic impedance-matched materialsInternal vibration-reflecting structuresAcoustic lens features These configurations allow detection of dynamic and static strain events, including magnitude, duration, and location along the cable, with typical detection channels every 5–10 meters. General Fiber Optic Cable Models for Strain ApplicationsOther fiber optic cable models suitable for strain and vibration monitoring include: Heavy, pressure- and corrosion-resistant cables for long-distance outdoor installationsFlexible, bend-resistant, fire-resistant cables for indoor or short-distance applicationsNon-metal reinforced cables for areas with strong electromagnetic interferenceSpecialty fibers such as dispersion-shifted, non-zero dispersion, or flat dispersion fibers for precise sensing applications These models often follow a unified coding system indicating classification, reinforcement, structural characteristics, protective coatings, outer layers, and fiber types.

Summary

Key vibration strain optical cable models include: UniSignal metal-sheathed FBG/Brillouin sensing cables for extreme environmentsCorning distributed sensing cables for real-time strain, vibration, and temperature monitoringPatented vibration-enhanced optical cables with specialized fiber arrangements and acoustic featuresGeneral fiber optic models with heavy, flexible, or non-metal reinforcement for specific environmental or structural requirements These cables are widely used in structural health monitoring, industrial vibration detection, and critical infrastructure protection, with model selection depending on environmental conditions, sensing technology, and deployment length.

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