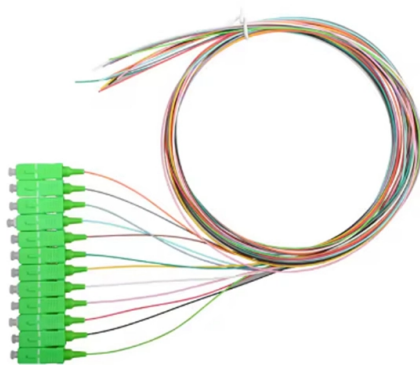


# Fiber Optic Cable Fittings for Straight-Line Towers



## Overview

The preformed fiber optic suspension hardware kit is used to fix the conductor in the insulating cord of the straight line tower, or to hang the lighting cable on the straight line tower.

## Key Takeaways

Fiber optic straight-line fittings for towers include suspension clamps, dead-end fittings, hybrid trunk cables, and distribution boxes designed for secure, durable, and efficient tower installations.

## Suspension and Dead-End Fittings

Suspension hardware is used to fix fiber optic cables along straight-line towers, supporting the cable while minimizing mechanical stress. Preformed suspension kits, such as those from ZMS, utilize hyperbolic waist drum damping pads to grip the cable securely, offering high gripping force, low crown, and minimal magnetic loss, making them suitable for high-voltage lines (220kV and above), ice-prone areas, and long-span projects. Dead-end clamps for ADSS/OPGW cables provide economical solutions for low-tension environments, transferring axial loads to radial compression points.

These fittings are typically made from PVC or aluminum alloys, ensuring chemical resistance and durability under extreme temperatures.



## Hybrid Trunk and FTTA Cables

Hybrid Trunk Cables and Fiber-to-the-Antenna (FTTA) jumper cables combine fiber optic data and copper power conductors in a single ruggedized assembly, simplifying tower deployment and reducing installation time. These cables are armored and UV-, moisture-, and weather-resistant, with IP67/IP68-rated connectors for dust- and water-tight protection. They support high-bandwidth networks with low insertion loss ( $\leq 0.40$  dB/km @ 1,310 nm and  $\leq 0.30$  dB/km @ 1,550 nm) and high return loss ( $\geq 50$  dB), ensuring signal integrity. Custom factory-terminated lengths eliminate field splicing, further streamlining installation.

## OPG

W Fittings and Accessories OPGW (Optical Ground Wire) fittings include suspension clamps, dead-end clamps, vibration dampers, splice enclosures, and grounding hardware. These accessories support fiber optic cables with 24, 48, or 96 fibers and are designed for high-capacity networks. Distribution boxes, such as Ventura Transmetals' VTPL FIBRE Optic Distribution Box, provide efficient fiber management with LC connectors, LIU, and FDMS features, ensuring reliable performance in harsh environmental conditions.

## Joint Enclosures and Sky

### Wrap Solutions

For continuous fiber runs along towers, SkyWrap® in-line joint enclosures allow fiber optic cables to pass down and back up the tower through protective conduits, providing easy access for maintenance and secure connections. These enclosures are compatible with lattice, wood, steel, or concrete poles and integrate with specialized SkyWrap accessories for complete tower-top solutions.

## Key Considerations

When selecting straight-line fittings for towers, consider: Cable type and fiber count (single-mode, multi-mode, 24-96 fibers) Environmental conditions (UV exposure, ice, wind, temperature extremes) Mechanical load requirements (tension, vibration, axial and radial forces) Ease of installation (pre-terminated cables, modular fittings, factory-terminated lengths) Signal integrity (low insertion loss, high return loss, IP-rated connectors) These solutions ensure long service life, minimal maintenance, and reliable network performance for overhead fiber optic installations.

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Its main technical parameters are the clamp breaking force (kN) and cable diameter (mm), and the basic configuration is one set per straight-line tower.

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## What Are The Main Types Of Fiber Optic Cable Fittings?

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## Suspension Clamp Archives

Fiber Optic Suspension Clamp: A Stable Guardian of Overhead Optical Cables Fiber suspension clamp is a connection fitting designed for overhead optical cables,

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