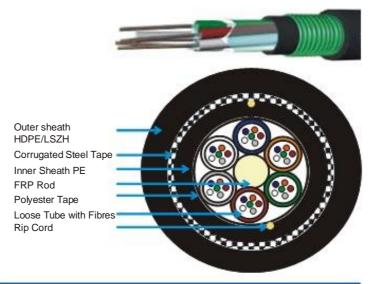
# Multi - Tube Double Sheath Design

**CST Armoured Cables** 

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Loose tube cables are the product of choice as the backbone in Outside Plant (OSP) environments. The rugged loose tube design offers reliable transmission performance over a broad temperature range. Optical fibres and water-blocking elements are placed inside buffer tubes. The core is constructed by stranding the buffer tubes around a central member. The core is wrapped with flexible strength members covered with a polyester tape then encased with a black inner jacket. A corrugated steel armor is applied and a black outer jacket completes the cable construction. Rip cords are included under the inner jacket and armor for ease of entry.



#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Direct bury, underground duct and lashed aerial
- Trunk, distribution and feeder cable
- Local loop, metro, long-haul and broadband network

#### **FEATURES**

- Multiple fibre types including hybrid
- Dry core standard (Optional)
- Corrugated Steel Armour

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

| Fibre Count          | Available from 2F to 144F    |  |  |
|----------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Standards Compliance | Telecordia GR-20, IEC 60794, |  |  |
|                      | EIA/TIA, ITU-T, EN187000,    |  |  |
|                      | RUS1755.900                  |  |  |

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS (TEMPERATURE)**

| Operation / Storage | -40 to +70 Degree Celsius |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Installation        | -30 to +75 Degree Celsius |

## **ADVANTAGES**

- · High Fibre density
- Multiple network applications
- Reduces cable preparation and installation time
- Improves compressive strength and rodent protection Speeds fibre access and cleanup

| FIBRE COUNT DIAMETER (mm) Nominal | (mm)    | WEIGHT<br>(Kg./Km)<br>Nominal | TENSILE<br>STRENGTH (N) |          | CRUSH<br>RESISTANCE | BENDING RADIUS (mm) |     |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|----------|---------------------|---------------------|-----|
|                                   | Nominal | Installation                  | Operation               | (N/10cm) | Temporary           | Permanent           |     |
| 2-24                              | 13.8    | 170                           | 2670                    | 1500     | 4000                | 138                 | 276 |
| 26-48                             | 14.5    | 195                           | 2670                    | 1500     | 4000                | 145                 | 290 |
| 50-72                             | 15.0    | 200                           | 2670                    | 1500     | 4000                | 150                 | 300 |
| 74-96                             | 16.0    | 240                           | 3000                    | 2000     | 4000                | 160                 | 320 |
| 98-120                            | 17.5    | 285                           | 3000                    | 2000     | 4000                | 175                 | 350 |
| 122-144                           | 18.5    | 320                           | 3000                    | 2000     | 4000                | 185                 | 370 |