



**GOOD STRAIN SENSIBILITY
ROBUST OUTER SHEATH
SMALL & FLEXIBLE CABLE**

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Description

The DiTeSt HDPE Strain sensor is a unique sensor for the evaluation of distributed strain over several kilometers. The DiTeSt Medium Temperature Sensing cable is used in a wide range of applications that require distributed strain sensing, such as soil movement and ground monitoring just to name a few

The DiTeSt HDPE Strain sensor is a small flexible mini armored fiber optic strain sensing cable with central metal tube, metallic armoring wires and HDPE outer sheath. The central metallic tube contains 1 optical fiber offering a strain range up to 1 %.

This sensor is particularly suitable for outdoor environment for direct burial applications, both ground and concrete.

Thanks to the special package design, the DiTeSt HDPE Strain sensor offers high tensile strength, crush resistance, longitudinal lateral water tightness, abrasion resistance with an optimized outer sheath to improve strain transfer and excellent rodent protection.

The DiTeSt HDPE strain sensor is fully compatible with the DiTeSt system and all its accessories.

Key Features

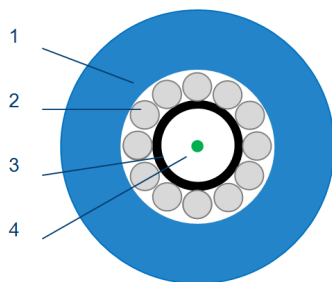
- DiTeSt compatible
- High tensile strength
- Excellent rodent protection
- Robust outer sheath
- Outer sheath optimized for better strain transfer
- Good strain sensitivity
- Longitudinally and laterally watertight
- Compact and flexible
- Small bending radius
- Halogen free

Applications

- Civil infrastructure
- Tunnel monitoring
- Distributed pipeline strain monitoring

Specifications

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| Operating temperature | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| Storage temperature | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| Installation temperature | -10 °C to +50 °C |
| Outer diameter | 3.5 mm |
| Weight | 19 kg/km |
| Max crush resistance | 800 N/cm |
| Max tensile strength | 700 N (installation) |
| Min bending radius | 70 mm (with tensile) 53 mm (without tensile) |
| Hydrostatic pressure | 300 kPa (bar) |
| Fiber support | SMF 9 / 125 μm ITU-T G.657 |
| Fiber attenuation (cabled @ 20 °C) | ≤ 0.4 dB @ 1550 nm |
| Number of fiber | 1 |
| Certification & Compliance | Cable tests complying with IEC 60794-1-2 |



- 1 - HDPE outer sheath with interlocking system
- 2 - Special grade SS 316L armoring
- 3 - SS 316L metal tube for protection and hermetic seal
- 4 - Special strain optical SMF

Ordering information

- Cable termination with connectors
- Junction box
- Splice box