



Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd. (SEI) offers a bend-insensitive single-mode optical fiber "PureBand[™]-Plus" in 200 µm coating diameter for a reduced cable diameter design. "PureBand [™]-Plus" is made by the Vapor Phase Axial Deposition (VAD) method, enabling customers to construct simple and attractive wiring with superior bending performance. The fiber, made of a germanium doped silica core and a silica cladding, complies with ITU-T G.657.A1 and ITU-T G.652.B and D. A dual layer acrylate is coated over the cladding to provide high product reliability and allows easy splicing. The fiber supports access networks including last one-mile applications such as FTTH, due to its excellent bending performance while maintaining compatibility with conventional SMF.

Fiber Optical Specifications

Attenuation

Attenuation at 1310 nm	\leq 0.35 dB/km
Attenuation at 1383 nm*	≤ 0.35 dB/km
Attenuation at 1550 nm	\leq 0.20 dB/km
Attenuation at 1625 nm	≤ 0.23 dB/km

Point Discontinuity (PD)

Point discontinuity at 1310/1550 nm \leq 0.05 dB

Bending Induced Attenuation

Mandrel	Number	Wavelength	Attenuation
Radius	of Turns		
10 mm	1	1550 nm	≤ 0.75 dB
10 mm	1	1625 nm	\leq 1.5 dB
15 mm	10	1550 nm	\leq 0.25 dB
15 mm	10	1625 nm	\leq 1.0 dB

Cut-off Wavelength

Cable cut-off wavelength (λ_{cc}) ≤ 1260 nm

Mode Field Diameter (MFD)

MFD at 1310 nm 8.9 ± 0.4 µm

Chromatic Dispersion (CD)

Zero dispersion wavelengt	h 1300–1324 nm
Zero dispersion slope	\leq 0.092 ps/nm ² /km
CD at 1550 nm	≤ 18 ps/nm/km

Polarization Mode Dispersion (PMD)

Max. individual fiber PMD** $\leq 0.1 \text{ ps/rkm}$ PMD link design value*** \leq 0.06 ps/rkm

Geometrical Specifications

Glass Geometry

Core/Clad concentricity error $\leq 0.5 \ \mu m$		
Cladding diameter	125.0 ± 0.7 µm	
Cladding non-circularity	≤ 0.7%	
Fiber curl radius	≥ 4.0 m	

Coating Geometry

Coating diameter (Uncolored) 193 ± 3	7 µm
Coating diameter (Colored) 205 ± 7	μm
Coating-Cladding concentricity	\leq 10 μm

Mechanical Specifications Proof Test

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Proof stress level	0.86 GPa (1.2%, 120 kpsi)
Coating Strip Force (F)	
F (neak)	1 3 N < F < 8 9 N

(peak)

F (average)

 $1 \text{ N} \leq \text{F} \leq 5 \text{ N}$

Dynamic Tensile Strength

Unaged (median; 0.5 m)	≥ 3.8 GPa (≥ 550 kpsi)
Aged (median; 0.5 m)	\geq 3.0 GPa (\geq 440 kpsi)

Fatigue Fatigue

20 (nominal value)

Environmental Specifications

Environmental Test	Conditions	Induced Attenuation at 1310, 1550, 1625 nm
Temperature cycling	-60°C to +85°C	$C \leq 0.05 \text{ dB/km}$
Temperature Humidity cyc	ling -10°C to +85°	C/98%RH $\leq 0.05 \text{ dB/km}$
Water immersion	+23°C	≤ 0.05 dB/km
Dry heat	+85°C	≤ 0.05 dB/km
Damp heat	+85°C/85%RH	≤ 0.05 dB/km

* After H₂-aging in accordance with IEC 60793-2-50 ** Measured by loosely coiled fiber

*** Since PMD value may change when fiber is cabled, actual individual fiber PMD and actual PMD link design value in a cable shall be confirmed by cable manufacturer. Under appropriate cable design, SEI's "PureBand™-Plus 200µm" specification supports network design requirements for a 0.20 ps/r-km of maximum PMD link design value specified by ITU-T G.652.D and G.657.A1.

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