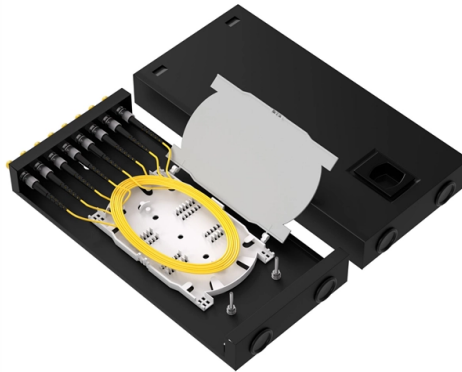


Comparison of IP67 ratings for fiber optic cable corrugated conduits in smart cities



Article Overview

IP67-rated fiber optic conduits provide dust-tight protection and temporary water immersion resistance, making them suitable for most outdoor smart city deployments but not for continuous submersion.

IP67 Overview

IP67 is an Ingress Protection rating defined by IEC 60529, where the first digit "6" indicates complete protection against dust, and the second digit "7" indicates protection against temporary immersion in water up to 1 meter for 30 minutes . This makes IP67 conduits ideal for urban environments where cables may be exposed to rain, puddles, or occasional flooding, but they are not designed for permanent underwater installation or high-pressure cleaning .

Comparison with Other IP Ratings

- IP68: Provides protection against continuous submersion, with depth and duration specified by the manufacturer, often exceeding 1 meter for several hours. IP68 is more suitable for applications like subsea sensors or wastewater monitoring, which are less common in typical smart city deployments .
- IP69K: Designed for high-pressure, high-temperature washdowns, such as in industrial or sanitary environments. It is not inherently better than IP68 but serves a different purpose

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