

Maximum distance of dedicated fiber optic channel



Overview

Fiber optic cable can be run anywhere from 300 meters up to 80 kilometers (roughly 50 miles) depending on the cable type, transceiver used, and network standard. For most enterprise or data center applications using multimode fiber, the practical limit sits between 300 m and 550 m. Single-mode. This table lists maximum unrepeat distance and link budget for each type of channel; longer distances are possible using repeaters, switches, or channel extenders. Minimum bandwidth requirement to achieve these distances is listed for multimode fiber only, this specification does not apply to. Fiber optic cable transmission distance is determined by two primary physical factors that affect signal quality as light travels through the fiber medium. Not included are many proprietary designs. Designs under development are listed below.



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Specifications For Fiber Optic Networks

Per current standards and specs, maximum supportable distances and attenuation for optical fiber applications by fiber type. Not included are many proprietary designs. Designs under development

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OM1 cable will support 1000BASE-SX out to 275 meters, and that distance jumps to 550 meters with OM2 cable. OM3 and OM4 came after the

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Fibre Channel

Fibre Channel typically runs on optical fiber cables within and between data centers, but can also run on copper cabling. Supported data rates include 1, 2, 4, 8,

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