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# Plastic Fiber Optic Cables Product Description

Plastic Fiber Optic Cables from Eaton's electrical sector offer a lower-cost alternative to glass fibers. They are available as bulk cable or preassembled with sensing tips.

Bulk fiber optic cable is ordered by the foot and can be cut to length by the user with a special cutter accessory. It can be used with lenses, adapters and terminations. Single fiber is normally used for thru-beam sensing and duplex fiber (two isolated cables running in parallel) for diffuse reflective. Order single fiber cable for both source and detector cable runs. Order duplex fiber cable equal to the length of runseparate source and detector cable not required.

Pre-assembled fiber optic cables are special purpose cables to solve a variety of fiber optic sensing applications. A fiber optic cable cutter is included only for 1 mm bundle models. The cables are available in 1 mm and 0.5 mm diameters (0.5 mm cables cannot be cut to length). Single cable is used for thru-beam sensing, duplex for diffuse reflective sensing.

#### **Features**

- Fiber optic cables allow remote sensing in areas where space is restricted or tight viewing angles are required
- The economical plastic cable is easy to cut to length during installation for a perfect fit (see cutter accessory, 0.5 mm cable cannot be cut)
- Single cable styles are ideal for thru-beam sensing
- Duplex cable styles are typically used for diffuse reflective sensing
- Pre-assembled cables are available in 0.5 mm for sensing extremely small targets



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## **Product Selection**

### **Bulk Fiber Optic Cable**

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	Fiber Diameter	Cable Style	Catalog Number ①
Bulk Fiber Optic Cable	0.039 in (1 mm)	Duplex cable (for diffuse reflective sensing)	6324A-XXX
0		Single cable (for thru-beam sensing)	6323A-XXX

### **Pre-Assembled Fiber Optic Cables**

	Pre-Assembled Du (for Diffuse Reflect	ıplex Fiber Optic Cables tive Sensing)		Pre-Assembled Single Fiber Optic Cables (for Thru-Beam Sensing)		
	Fiber Diameter	Catalog Number <sup>②</sup>		Fiber Diameter	Catalog Number <sup>®</sup>	
Large Diameter, Threaded Tip	Large Diameter, Threa	ded Tip	Large Diameter,	Large Diameter, Threaded Tip		
	0.039 in (1.0 mm)	6324A-6501	Threaded Tip	0.039 in (1.0 mm)	6323A-6501	
	0.059 in (1.5 mm)	6324E-6501 ®		0.059 in (1.5 mm)	6323E-6501 <sup>③</sup>	
Small Diameter,	Small Diameter, Threa	ded Tip	Small Diameter,	Small Diameter, Threaded Tip		
Threaded Tip	0.020 in (0.5 mm)	6324A-6511	Threaded Tip	0.020 in (0.5 mm)	6323A-6511	
Large Diameter, Bendable Probe	Large Diameter, Threaded Tip with Bendable Probe		Large Diameter,	Large Diameter, Threaded Tip with Bendable Probe		
	0.039 in (1.0 mm)	6324A-6502	Bendable Probe	0.039 in (1.0 mm)	6323A-6502	
Small Diameter, Bendable Probe	Small Diameter, Threa	ded Tip with Bendable Probe	Small Diameter,	Small Diameter, Threaded Tip with Bendable Probe		
	0.020 in (0.5) mm	6324A-6512	Bendable Probe	0.020 in (0.5) mm	6323A-6512	
	Dimensions, see Page	V8-T9-5.		Dimensions, see Page V8-T9-5.		

### Notes

- ① Quantity ordered indicates length, for example, a quantity of 5 equals five feet of fiber.
- ② One cable.
- Set of two.