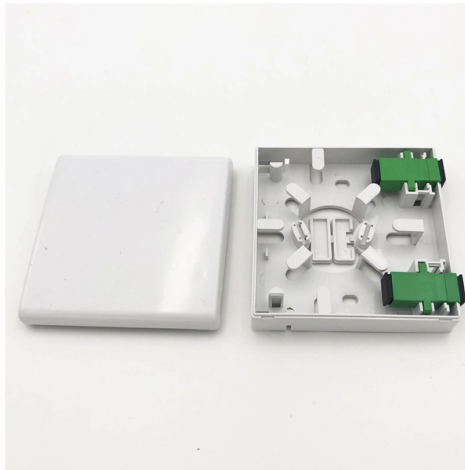


What are the concealed works involved in fiber optic cable laying



AI Overview

Concealed works in fiber optic cable installation generally include all underground or embedded components that are not visible after construction, such as buried conduits, ducts, and cables. Definition and Scope In fiber optic network construction, concealed works refer to any part of the installation that becomes hidden once the project is completed. These works are critical because they cannot be inspected visually after covering, and any defects or errors may require costly excavation to correct. Typical Concealed Works Trenches and Conduits Trenches dug to bury conduits are considered concealed once backfilled. Conduits, usually PVC or HDPE pipes, are installed underground to house fiber optic cables. These conduits may include pre-installed innerducts or pulling tapes to facilitate cable installation and are fully concealed after backfilling. Directional Boring and Microducts When directional boring is used to cross streets, sidewalks, or other obstacles, the bore path and installed ducts are concealed works. Microducts used for jetting fiber cables are also considered concealed once installed underground. Buried Marker Tapes and Warning Systems Conductive or detectable marker tapes placed above conduits to warn future excavators are buried and thus part of the concealed works. Embedded Cable Components Fiber optic cables pulled into ducts or conduits, including the Kevlar strength members and central tube micro cables, are concealed once the ducts are covered. Importance of Concealed Works Inspection and Documentation: Since these works are hidden, proper documentation, as-built drawings, and sometimes photographic evidence are required before covering. Regulatory Compliance: Many municipalities and utility authorities require approval of concealed works to ensure safety and future accessibility. Future Maintenance: Accurate records of concealed...

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FTTH - Customer Premises Installation Installing a FTTH network is mostly straightforward fiber installation with some additional components like splitters, an ONT and associated hardware at the

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