

How to connect the small square connector of the fiber optic patch cord



Article Overview

To connect a small square fiber optic patch cord, clean the connector, align it with the port, insert it gently until it clicks, and verify the signal.

Step-by-Step Connection Guide

1. Identify the Connector Type and Port Small square connectors are typically SC or LC types, commonly used in PON and FTTX networks for single-mode or multi-mode fibers . Ensure the connector matches the port on your device or patch panel to avoid incompatibility. 2. Prepare Your Workspace and Tools Work in a clean, dust-free area. Gather necessary tools such as fiber cleaning pens, wipes, isopropyl alcohol, and optionally a visual fault locator (VFL) for testing . Wear safety glasses to protect against fiber shards. 3. Clean the Connector Endface Even if the connector looks clean, use a fiber optic cleaning pen or lint-free wipe with isopropyl alcohol to remove dust, oils, or debris. Proper cleaning prevents signal loss and damage to the fiber . 4. Align and Insert the Connector

- Hold the patch cord by the connector housing, not the fiber itself.
 - Align the connector with the port on your device or patch panel.
 - Insert gently until you hear or feel a click, indicating the connector is fully seated .
 - Avoid bending the fiber sharply; maintain the minimum bend radius to prevent attenuation.
5. Secure and Manage the Cable Use Velcro straps or cable management trays to organize excess cable and prevent tension or tight loops . This helps maintain long-term reliability and reduces the risk of damage. 6. Test the Connectio...

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