

Data Center Cabling Solutions for NVIDIA Al Networks



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Introduction

Make the most of your Al opportunity

Artificial intelligence (AI) chips are quickly transforming the data center. Network managers must adapt the design and build of their physical layer connectivity to support scalable and manageable fiber-dense mesh networks. A variety of options are available; selecting the best option largely depends on the network's size and update cadence. We have developed this ordering guide to help you navigate this new landscape.

Smaller, less complex networks

Relatively small networks may only upgrade their cabling every three to five years. In this case, application-specific direct attach cables (DACs), active electrical cables (AECs) or active optics cables (AOCs) can often be selected. As an application-specific solution, however, the cabling must be replaced for every upgrade — a time-consuming and sometimes risky process.

DAC or AEC assemblies can be difficult to remove, as their stiff copper construction makes the cable hard to maneuver through crowded cabinets. Removing longer reach AOC assemblies is also challenging; they are typically threaded through multiple cabinets or pathways across the cabinet row.

So, the added cost, time and environmental impact should be factored into the overall upgrade budget.

Large, highly complex networks

Large enterprise, cloud and hyperscale data centers are often early adopters of new equipment that can boost network efficiency and capacity. Their

port counts are typically much higher and refresh cycles much shorter than smaller networks. One AI cluster cabinet row may require several hundred cable assemblies to connect the AI nodes to the leaf switches. Assuming a typical one- to two-year refresh cycle, DAC, AEC and AOC assemblies may not be cost-effective or environmentally sustainable.

In this case, ultra-low-loss structured cabling provides a more efficient and elegant solution. Re-usable trunk and equipment cable can support multiple generations of application and speed upgrades. And because the core network remains untouched and intact, installation, modifications and upgrades are faster and easier with reduced risk. By eliminating frequent cable replacements, this strategy also reduces the environmental impacts.

Supporting your transition to AI data networking

Regardless of your network environment, CommScope® offers the infrastructure solutions to empower your Al applications. This ordering guide features end-to-end fiber and copper solutions for both Ethernet and InfiniBand, with modular components and connectivity for faster deployment, easier management and long-term growth. You'll also find innovative design and distribution strategies to help you leverage the full potential of your Al investment. And if you need more information about anything in this ordering guide, we're just a call or click away. So, you can evolve with confidence.

Ethernet and InfiniBand—optical applications

The following pages outline the current Ethernet and InfiniBand transmission standards; both protocols are commonly found in AI networks.

Structured cabling can support both Ethernet and InfiniBand protocols.

	Mult	imode			Adulat wavelengths			
	Singl	emode			Multi-wavelengths			
Data Rate	PMD	Media	Reach	# of Fibers	# of Wavelengths	Lane Rate	IEEE project / MSA	Publication
	SR8.2	8-pair MM	100 m	16	2	100G	Terabit BiDi MSA	2023
1,600G	VR8.2	8-pair MM	50 m	16	2	100G	Terabit BiDi MSA	2023
1,0000	DR8	8-pair SM	500 m	16	1	200G	802.3dj	2026
	DR8-2	8-pair SM	2,000 m	16	1	200G	802.3dj	2026
	SR8	8-pair MM	100 m	16	1	100G	802.3df	2024
	VR8	8-pair MM	50 m	16	1	100G	802.3df	2024
	SR4.2	4-pair MM	100 m	8	2	100G	Terabit BiDi MSA	2023
	VR4.2	4-pair MM	50 m	8	2	100G	Terabit BiDi MSA	2023
800G	DR8	8-pair SM	500 m	16	1	100G	802.3df	2024
	DR8-2	8-pair SM	2,000 m	16	1	100G	802.3df	2024
	FR4	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	200G	802.3dj	2026
	DR4	4-pair SM	500 m	8	1	200G	802.3dj	2026
	DR4-2	4-pair SM	2,000 m	8	1	200G	802.3dj	2026
	SR8	8-pair MM	100 m	16	1	50G	802.3cm	2019
	SR4.2	4-pair MM	100 m	8	2	50G	802.3cm	2019
	SR4	4-pair MM	100 m	8	1	100G	802.3db	2022
400G	VR4	4-pair MM	50 m	8	1	100G	802.3db	2022
	DR4	4-pair SM	500 m	8	1	100G	802.3cm	2019
	FR4	4-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	100G	802.3cm	2019
	DR2	VR8.2 8-pair MM 50 m DR8 8-pair SM 500 m DR8-2 8-pair SM 2,000 m SR8 8-pair MM 100 m VR8 8-pair MM 50 m SR4.2 4-pair MM 50 m DR8 8-pair SM 500 m DR8 8-pair SM 2,000 m DR8-2 8-pair SM 2,000 m DR8-2 8-pair SM 2,000 m DR8-2 8-pair SM 2,000 m DR4 4-pair SM 500 m DR4 4-pair SM 2,000 m DR4 4-pair SM 100 m SR4.2 4-pair MM 100 m SR4 4-pair MM 50 m DR4 4-pair SM 500 m FR4 4-pair SM 500 m SR4 4-pair SM 500 m SR4 4-pair MM 100 m SR2 2-pair MM 100 m SR4 4-pair SM 500 m FR4	4	1	200G	802.3dj	2026	
	SR4	4-pair MM	100 m	8	1	50G	802.3bs	2017
	SR2	2-pair MM	100 m	4	1	100G	802.3db	2022
200G	DR4	4-pair SM	500 m	8	1	50G	802.3bs	2017
2000	FR4	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	50G	802.3bs	2017
	DR1	1-pair SM	500 m	2	1	200G	802.3dj	2026
	FR1	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	200G	802.3dj	2026
	SR4	4-pair MM	100 m	8	1	25G	802.3bm	2015
	SR2	2-pair MM	100 m	4	1	50G	802.3cd	2018
	SR1	1-pair MM	100 m	2	1	100G	802.3db	2022
100G	VR1	1-pair MM	50 m	2	1	100G	802.3db	2022
	DR1	1-pair SM	500 m	2	1	100G	802.3cd	2018
	CWDM4		2,000 m	2	4	25G	CWDM4 MSA	2014
	PSM4		500 m	8	1	25G	PSM4 MSA	2014

Multi-mode Fiber OM4/OM5 for multi-wavelength multi-mode applications
Single-mode Fiber OS2

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		i-mode e-mode			Multi-wavelengths		
Data Rate	PMD	Media	Reach	# of Fibers	# of Wavelengths	Lane Rate	ITA Spec
	SR8	8-pair MM	50 m	16	1	200G	XDR
800G	DR8	8-pair SM	500 m	16	1	200G	XDR
	FR4	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	200G	XDR
0005 (2 / 005 DD/)	SR8	2 x 4-pair MM	50 m	16 (2x8)	1	100G	NDR
800G (2 x 400G-DR4)	DR8	2 x 4-pair SM	500 m	16 (2x8)	1	100G	NDR
800G	2 x FR4	2 x 1-pair SM	2,000 m	4 (2x2)	4	100G	NDR
1.005	SR4	4-pair MM	50 m	8	1	100G	NDR
400G	DR4	4-pair SM	500 m	8	1	100G	NDR
2005	SR4	4-pair MM	100 m	8	1	50G	HDR
200G	FR4	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	50G	HDR
	SR4	4-pair MM	100 m	8	1	25G	EDR
100G	CWDM4	1-pair SM	2,000 m	2	4	25G	EDR
	PSM4	4-pair SM	500 m	8	1	25G	EDR

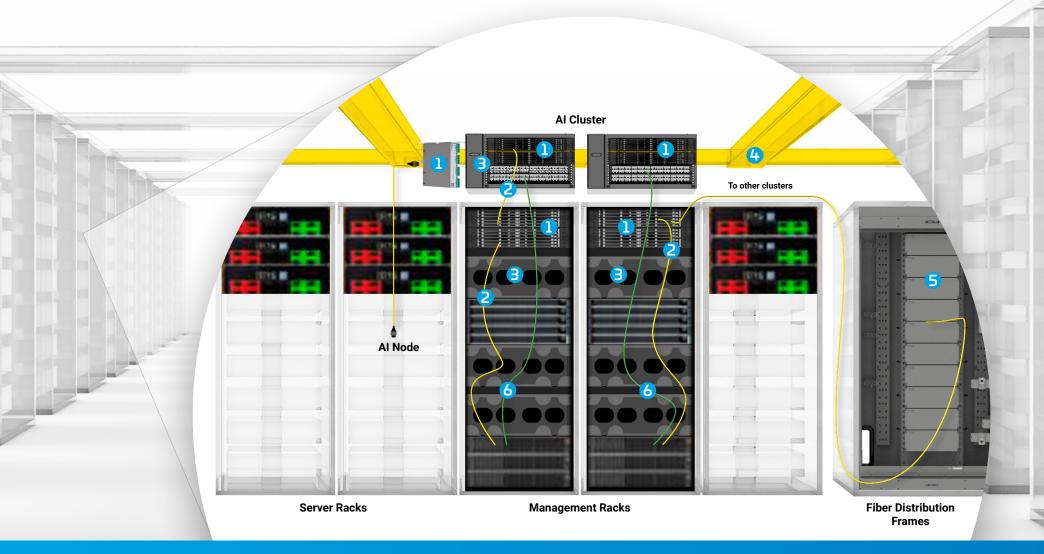
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Key Solution Set for Generative Al











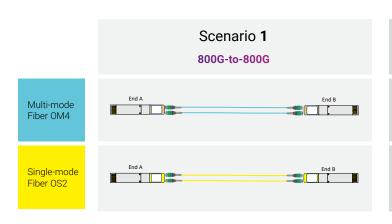


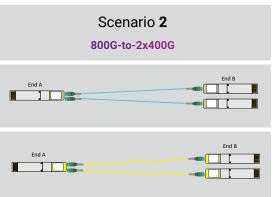


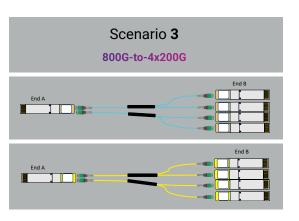
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NVIDIA Fiber Optic Transceivers direct MPO and LC cable connections





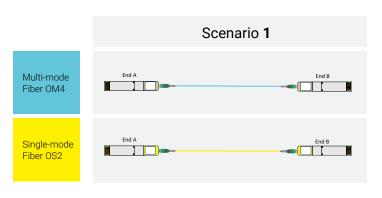


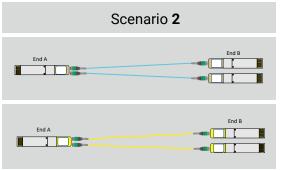
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Scenario	NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth	Fiber Type	Reach	CommScope Direct Connect MPO8 cable	NVIDIA cable part number	NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth
1	MMA4Z00-NS or MMA4Z00-NS-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4	50 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URXQVQVF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UQXQVQVF8 (2x)	MFP7E10-N0XX	MMA4Z00-NS or MMA4Z00-NS-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s SR4
2	MMA4Z00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4	50 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URXQVQVF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UQXQVQVF8 (2x)	MFP7E10-N0XX	MMA4Z00-NS400 (2x)	2 x 400Gb/s SR4
2	MMA4Z00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4	50 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URXQVQVF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UQXQVQVF8 (2x)	MFP7E10-N0XX	MMA1Z00-NS400 (2x)	2 x 400Gb/s SR4
3	MMA4Z00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4	50 m	LSZH/Riser cable: <u>URXQVBVF8</u> (2x)	MFP7E20-N0XX	MMA4Z00-NS400 (4x)	4 x 200Gb/s SR2
3	MMA4Z00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4	50 m	LSZH/Riser cable: <u>URXQVBVF8</u> (2x)	MFP7E20-N0XX	MMA1Z00-NS400 (4x)	4 x 200Gb/s SR2
1	MMS4X00-NS or MMS4X00-NS-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQPF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UQGQPQPF8 (2x)	MFP7E30-NXXX	MMS4X00-NS or MMS4X00-NS-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s DR4
1	MMS4X00-NM or MMS4X00-NM-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	500 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQPF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UQGQPQPF8 (2x)	MFP7E30-NXXX	MMS4X00-NM or MMS4X00-NM-FLT	2 x 400Gb/s DR4
2	MMS4X00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQPF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UOGQPQPF8 (2x)	MFP7E30-NXXX	MMS4X00-NS400 (2x)	2 x 400Gb/s DR4
2	MMS4X00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQPF8 (2x) Plenum cable: UOGQPQPF8 (2x)	MFP7E30-NXXX	MMS1X00-NS400 (2x)	2 x 400Gb/s DR4
3	MMS4X00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: <u>URGQPBPF8</u> (2x)	MFP7E40-NXXX	MMS4X00-NS400 (4x)	4 x 200Gb/s DR2
3	MMS4X00-NS	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPBPF8 (2x)	MFP7E40-NXXX	MMS1X00-NS400 (4x)	4 x 200Gb/s DR2

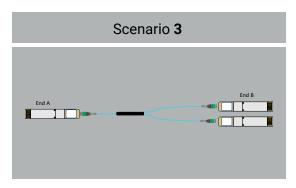
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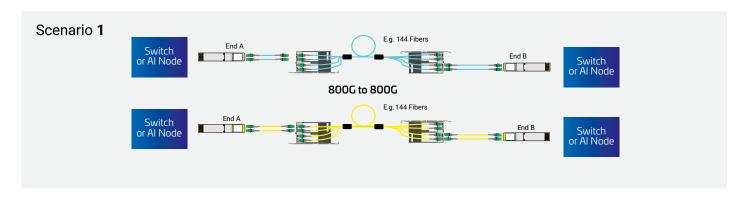
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Scenario	NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth	Fiber Type	Reach	CommScope Direct Conne MPO8 cable	t NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth
1	T-DQ8FNS-N00-M	1 x 400Gb/s SR8	OM4	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URXRVRV Plenum cable: UQXRVRV		1 x 400Gb/s SR8
1	MMA1T00-VS or MMA1T00-HS	1 x 200Gb/s SR4	OM4	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable (UPC): URXQPQF Plenum cable (UPC): UQXQPQF		1 x 200Gb/s SR4
3	T-DQ8FNS-N00-M	1 x 400Gb/s SR8	OM4	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: <u>URXQVBV</u>	8 MMA1T00-VS (2x)	2 x 200Gb/s SR4
1	MMS1V00-WM	1 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	500 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQF Plenum cable: UQGQPQF		1 x 400Gb/s DR4
1	MMS1V50-WM	1 x 400Gb/s FR4	OS2	2,000 m	LSZH/Riser cable: UFGLULU Plenum cable: UDGLULU	N/N/N 1 V/5(1-V/N/I	1 x 400Gb/s FR4
1	MMS1V90-WM	1 x 400Gb/s LR4	OS2	10,000 m	LSZH/Riser cable: UFGLULU Plenum cable: UDGLULU		1 x 400Gb/s LR4
1	MMS1V00-WM	1 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGQPQF Plenum cable: UQGQPQF		1 x 400Gb/s DR4
1	MMS1W50-HM	1 x 200Gb/s FR4	OS2	2,000 m	LSZH/Riser cable: UFGLULU Plenum cable: UDGLULU	NANAS I W/201-HNA	1 x 200Gb/s FR4
2	MMS4X00-NS (FLT) (100 m) or MMS4X00-NM (500 m)	2 x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	100 m or 500 m	LSZH/Riser cable: URGOPOF Plenum cable: UQGOPOF		2 x 400Gb/s DR4

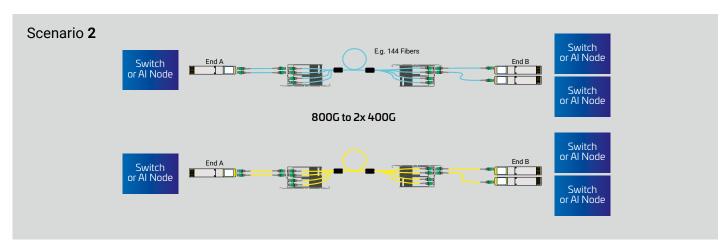
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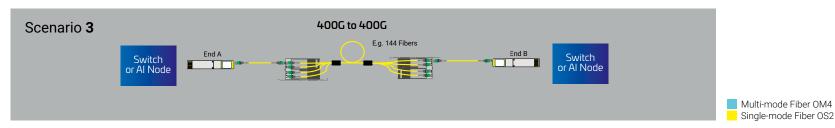
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NVIDIA Fiber Optic Transceivers structured cabling solutions







Adapter packs are mounted in Propel panels, see page 34 of this guide.

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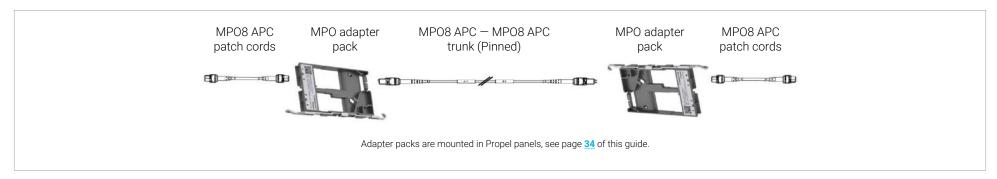
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Scenario	NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth	Fiber Type	Transceiver Interface	Reach	Array Base Code	Adapter Pack	Trunk*	Adapter Pack	Array Base Code	Transceiver Interface	NVIDIA Transceiver	Bandwidth
1	MMA4Z00-NS	2x 400Gb/s	OM4/	2x MP012	50 m			Plenum OM4 - <u>UGXQZQZTn</u>			2x MP012	MMA4Z00-NS	2x 400Gb/s
•	WIWIA4200-NS	SR8	OM5	APC	30 111	Plenum		OM5 - UGVQZQZTn		Plenum	APC	MMA4Z00-NS-FLT	SR8
						OM4 - <u>UQXQVQVF8</u> OM5 - <u>UQVQVQVF8</u>	DDI AD ANDO ALL D	CPR B2 _{CA}	DDI 4D 44D0 414 D	OM4 - <u>UQXQVQVF8</u> OM5 - <u>UQVQVQVF8</u>		2x MMA4Z00-NS400	
2	MMA4Z00-NS	2x 400Gb/s SR8	OM4 / OM5	2x MPO12 APC	50 m	Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) OM4 - <u>URXQVQVF8</u> OM5 - <u>URVQVQVF8</u>	PPL-AP-y-MPO-ALL-B	OM4 - <u>U3XQZQZTn</u> OM5 - <u>U3VQZQZTn</u> Dual-Rated OM4 - <u>UJXQZQZTn</u> OM5 - <u>UJVQZQZTn</u>	PPL-AP-y-MPO-ALL-B	Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) OM4 - <u>URXQVQVF8</u> OM5 - <u>URVQVQVF8</u>	1x MPO12 APC	2x MMA1Z00-NS400	1x 400Gb/s SR4
	MMS4X00-NS											MMS4X00-NM	
	MINIS4XUU-NS	2x 400Gb/s DR4		2x MPO12 APC	100 m						2x MPO12 APC	MMS4X00-NS-FLT	2x 400Gb/s
1	MMS4X00-NS-FLT		OS2									MMS4X00-NM	1
	MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s		1x MPO12 APC	500 m	Plenum		Plenum UGGQXQXTn		Plenum	1x MPO12 APC	MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s
	NAME AND A NO				100	UQGQPQPF8	PPL-AP-y-MPO-ALL-B	CPR B2 _{CA}	PPL-AP-y-MPO-ALL-B	UQGQPQPF8		2x MMS4X00-NS400	
2	MMS4X00-NS	2x 400Gb/s	OS2	2x MPO12	100 m	Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) <u>URGQPQPF8</u>		U3GQXQXTn Dual-Rated		Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) URGQPQPF8	1x MP012	2x MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s
2	MMS4X00-NM	2X 400GD/S	052	APC	500 m			UJGQXQXTn			APC	2x MMS1V00-WM	1X 400GD/S
	MMS4X00-NS-FLT				100 m							2x MMS1V00-WM	
3	2x MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s	OS2	1x MPO12	500 m						1x MP012	2x MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s
3	ZX IVIIVIS I VUU-VVIVI	1X 400GB/S	052	APC	100 m						APC	2x MMS1X00-NS400	1X 400GD/S

* Trunk cables have a ruggedized sheath with a larger o/d, protecting the cables when dressed into pathways.

Due to the number of cables required, network cabinets should be selected with sufficient vertical space to support AI builds (see reference design).

Multi-mode Fiber 0M4/0M5 Single-mode Fiber 0S2

- y = Number of MPO Ports Per Module Select 4, 8, or 12
- n = Number of fibers in trunk Select 8=8, R=16, F=24, S=32, H=48, U=64, K=72, L=96, M=144, N=192



^{*} Detailed information about Propel polarity schemes can be found here.

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Many of the transceiver interface options today are MPO12 or MPO8 based, which has proven to be an adequate presentation of fibers to support duplex and parallel optical transmission protocols.

The data center environment is constantly changing, especially with the advent of Generative Al. Data rates and the number of fibers required in this environment are increasing, whilst the demand for improved efficiency is being asked of every installed system.

Looking at the future of Ethernet optical standards, there is a mixture of 8- and 16-fiber interfaces up to 800G, and currently, 16-fiber interfaces are the only option available for both multi-mode and single-mode fibers above this speed. When compared side by side with the roadmap of Gen AI hardware manufacturers, it's apparent that these higher speeds are going to be required sooner than the industry first expected.

MPO8 is sufficient to support many parallel data rates and can be used to aggregate 4x duplex data rates (e.g., 10G, 25G), whereas MPO16 can support native 16-fiber applications, 2x 8-fiber applications, and 8x duplex-based transmission standards all over a single MPO16 fiber trunk cable, making it a dense fiber connector option.

When the request for a 16-fiber transmission standard is required for higher speeds (i.e., 8 Tx fibers and 8 Rx fibers), using an MPO8 cabling system can make the management and installation of the backbone complex.

When using MPO8 connectivity to support a 16-fiber application, 2x MPO8 trunks will need to be ordered, shipped, stored onsite, installed, inspected, and correctly audited. Each of these steps can add time and additional effort to the data center installation, whilst the request of the industry is to build faster and respond to change more quickly.

Importantly, a single MPO16 trunk cable can bring space savings to pathways and conduits when compared to deploying two MPO8 trunk cables. (See the diagram opposite).

Finally, looking back at the Ethernet optical roadmap, it's clear that there will be a continuous migration of connectivity required, from duplex to MPO8 to MPO16, and a toggling between those interfaces to achieve the optimum balance between performance and cost.

An MPO16 structured cabling system is a solution to seamlessly support these migrations.

8-fiber MPO (MPO8)



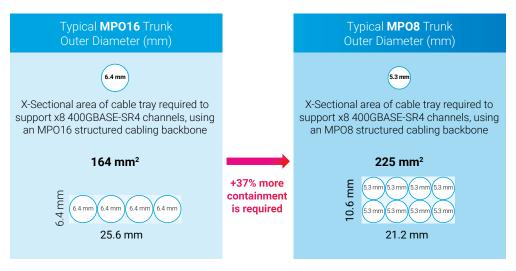
16-fiber MPO (MPO16)



MPO16 and MPO8—a single cable backbone comparison

	MP08 Backbone	MPO16 Backbone
Channel densities	1x 8F MPO / 4x LC Duplex	1x 16F MPO / 2x 8F MPO / 8x LC Duplex
Matches to mainstream Ethernet and InfiniBand optical interface standards between 100G and 1,600G	No	Yes
Project complexity in high cable count channels:	Higher Complexity	Lower Complexity
(Supply chain / cable installation / system audit / on-going operational management)		
Pathway and conduit efficiency in high cable count channels	Uses 37% more space than MPO16 at higher data rates	Better suited

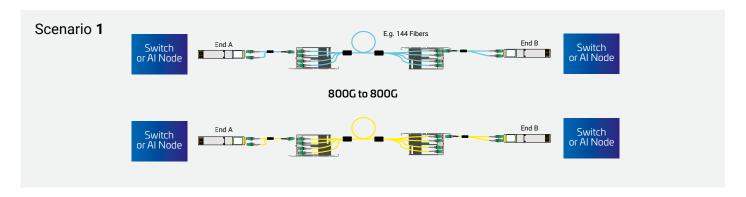
MPO16 and MPO8 containment comparison

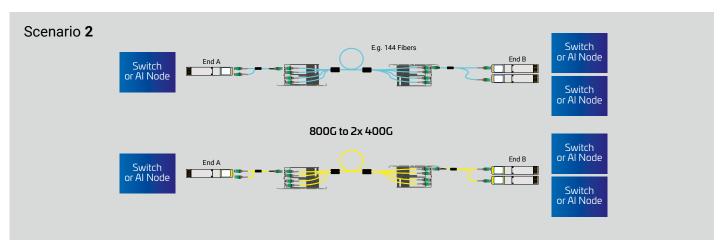


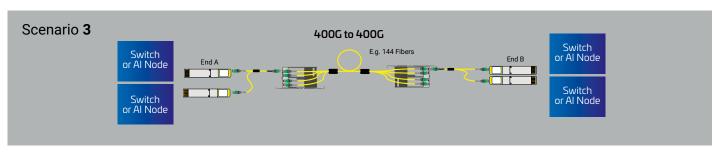
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Adapter packs are mounted in Propel panels, see page 34 of this guide.

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Multi-mode Fiber OM4
Single-mode Fiber OS2

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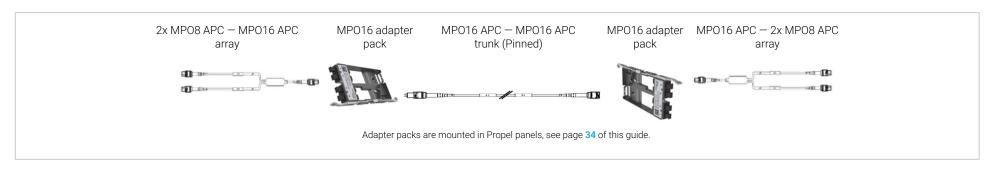
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Due to the number of cables required, network cabinets should be selected with sufficient vertical space to support AI builds (see reference design).

y = Number of MPO Ports Per Module - Select 4, 8, or 12

n = Number of fibers in trunk - Select R=16, S=32, U=64, L=96, Q=128, M=144, N=192



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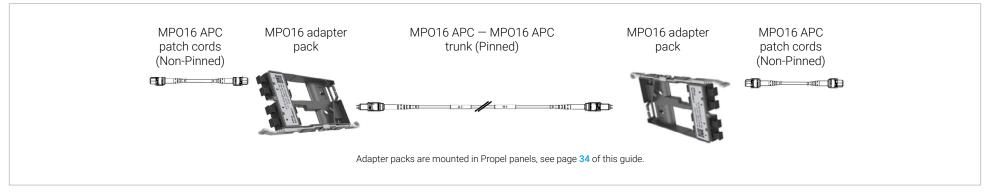
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T-DQ8FNS- N00-M	1x 400Gb/s SR8	OM4/OM5	1x MPO16 APC	100 m	Plenum OM4 - UQXRVRV7R OM5 - UQVRVRV7R Dual-Rated(OFNR/LSZH) OM4 - URXRVRV7R OM5 - URVRVRV7R	PPL-AP-y-MP016-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 - UGXRZRZ8n OM5 - UGVRZRZ8n CPR B2 _{ca} OM4 - U3XRZRZ8n OM5 - U3YRZRZ8n Dual-Rated OM4 - UJXRZRZ8n OM5 - UJYRZRZ8n	PPL-AP-y-MP016-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 - UQXRVRV7R OM5 - UQVRVRV7R Dual-Rated(OFNR/LSZH) OM4 - URXRVRV7R OM5 - URVRVRV7R	1x MPO16 APC	T-DQ8FNS- N00-M	1x 400Gb/s SR8

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Multi-mode Fiber OM4/OM5

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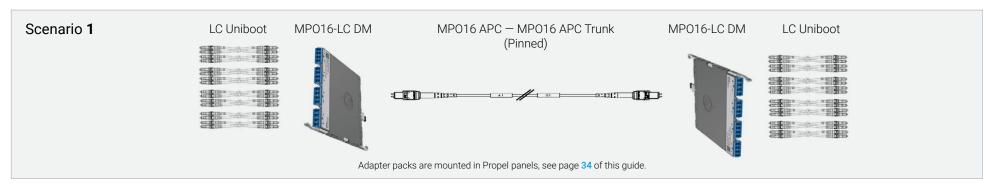
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1	MMS1V50- WM	1x 400Gb/s	OS2	1x Duplex	2,000 111	UDGLULUK2 Dual-Rated	PPL-DM-16AU-16LC-SM-BEU	CPR B2 _{CA} <u>U3RXRX8n</u>	PPL-DM-16AU-16LC-SM-BEU	Dual-Rated	1 Donalas de la	MMS1V50-WM	1x 400Gb/s
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	MMS4X50- NM	2x 400Gb/s FR4		2x Duplex LC	2.000	Plenum		Plenum UGGQXQXTn		Plenum	2x Duplex LC	MMS1V50-WM (2km) 400G	2x 400Gb/s FR4
2	MMS1V50- WM	1x 400Gb/s	OS2	1x Duplex	2,000 m	UDGLULUK2 Dual-Rated	PPL-DM-8AU-8LC-SM-BEU	CPR B2 _{CA} <u>U3GQXQXTn</u>	PPL-DM-8AU-8LC-SM-BEU	Dual-Rated	1 Douglass I O	MMS1V50-WM (2km)	1x 400Gb/s
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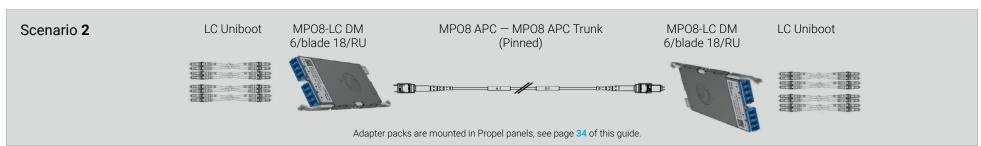
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Single-mode Fiber OS2

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Parallel-To-Parallel Optical Ports

800G Switch to 4 x 200G Switch or Node (2x400G to 4x200G)

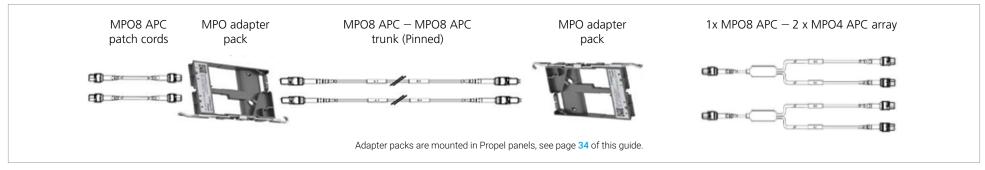
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MMA4Z00-NS	2x 400Gb/s SR4	OM4 / OM5	2x MPO12 APC	50 m	Plenum OM4 - UQXQVQVF8 OM5 - UQVQVQVF8 Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) OM4 - URXQVQVF8 OM5 - URVQVQVF8	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 - UGXQZQZTn OM5 - UGVQZQZTn CPR B2 _{CA} OM4 - U3XQZQZTn OM5 - U3VQZQZTn Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) OM4 - UJXQZQZTn OM5 - UJVQZQZTn	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 UQXQVBVF8 OM5 UQVQVBVF8 Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) OM4 URXQVBVF8 OM5 URVQVBVF8	1x MPO12 APC	4x MMA1Z00- NS400	1x 200Gb/s SR2
MMS4X00-NS	2x 400Gb/s DR4	OS2	2x MPO12 APC	100 m	Plenum UOGOPOPF8 Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) URGOPOPF8	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum UGGOXOXTn CPR B2 _{CA} U3GOXOXTn Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) UJGOXOXTn	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum UQGQPBPF8 Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH) URGQPBPF8	1x MPO12 APC	4x MMS1V-00	1x 200Gb/s DR2

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Multi-mode Fiber 0M4/0M5
Single-mode Fiber 0S2

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Parallel-To-Parallel Optical Ports

200G Switch to 200G Switch or Node

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MMA1T00-VS (Ethernet) MMA1T00-HS (InfiniBand)	1x 200Gb/s	OM4/ OM5	1x MPO12 UPC	100 m	Plenum OM4 - UQXQVQPF8 OM5 - UQVQVQPF8 Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) - OM4 - URXQVQPF8 OM5 - URVQVQPF8	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 - UGXQZQZTn OM5 - UGVQZQZTn CPR B2 _{cA} OM4 - U3XQZQZTn OM5 - U3VQZQZTn Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) - OM4 - UJXQZQZTn OM5 - UJVQZQZTn	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	Plenum OM4 - UQXQVQPF8 OM5 - UQVQVQPF8 Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH) - OM4 - URXQVQPF8 OM5 - URVQVQPF8	1x MP012 UPC	MMA1T00-VS (Ethernet) MMA1T00-HS (InfiniBand)	1x 200Gb/s SR4

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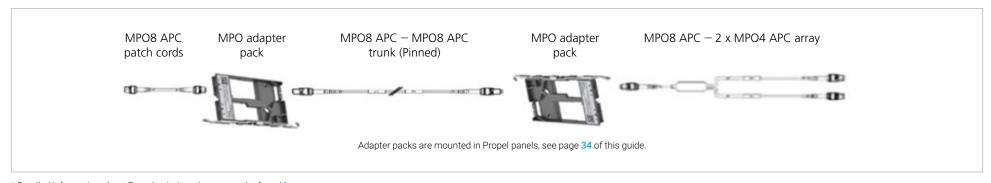
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Mesh Architectures

Risk-averse data center providers running mission-critical or possibly life-safety applications, or with limited onsite support, need to implement redundant networks to reduce the possibility of downtime. Implementing a mesh architecture can reduce the impact of port or switch failure while providing maximum native capacity between network layers.

In today's high-density data center networks, multi-pair transceivers provide higher data rates. These are typically 2-, 4- or 8-pair applications, with 4-pair most common today. Each transmit/receive pair has the same data rate. For example: 400Gb/s is comprised of 4 x 100Gb/s pairs (lanes). Since they are common across a network, implementing those transceivers in a mesh design enables redundancy with optimal network performance and reduces the possibility of unplanned downtime.

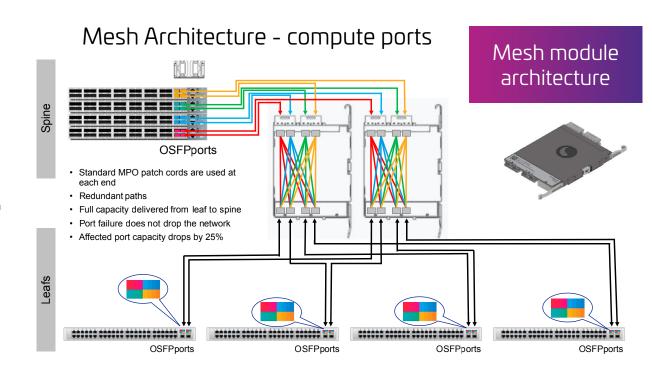
The mesh architecture provides full capacity between network layers by evenly distributing it across multiple physical paths. Uplink and downlink ports are grouped and connected using standard 4-pair (most common today), 8-pair (quickly emerging) or even 2-pair connections. A pair from each spine port is connected to each leaf port, as shown. The reference graphic can be 400Gb/s using 4 x 100Gb/s lanes. Each leaf switch receives 400Gb/s from the spine with 100Gb/s from each of the spine switches (shown with color coding). In practice, multiple ports would be used on each switch for higher capacity delivery.

If there is a switch or port failure, the network stays up. Traffic gets rerouted to the optimal physical path, and only the affected ports operate at a slightly reduced speed.

This architecture enables scheduled maintenance as needed until a qualified technician can remedy onsite. More information is available by contacting your local CommScope® technical team.

The values from a mesh architecture:

- · Redundancy is simplified
- · Patching complexity is reduced
- · Space required compared to traditional breakouts is reduced
- · Channel losses compared to traditional methods are reduced
- · Cost of implementation is reduced



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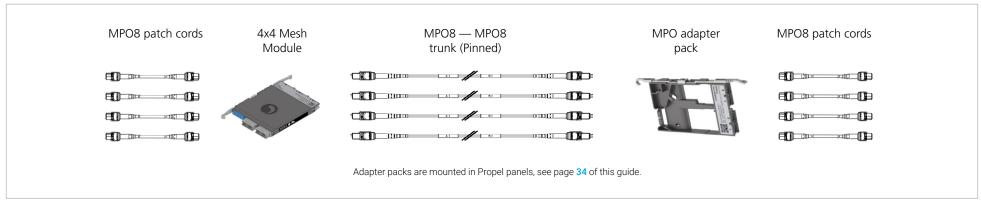
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					Plenum		Plenum UGGQXQXTn		Plenum	1x MPO12 APC	MMS1V00-WM (500 m)	1x 400Gb/s DR4	
MMS1V00-WM	1x 400Gb/s DR4	0S2	1x MPO12 APC	500 m	UQGQPQPF8 Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH)	PPL-MM-8AU-8AP-SM-BEU	CPR B2 _{CA} U3GQXQXTn	PPL-AP-4-MPO-ALL-B	UQGQPQPF8 Dual-Rated (ORNR/LSZH)	1x MPO12 APC	MMS4X00-NS400 (100 m)	1x 400Gb/s DR4	
					URGQPQPF8		Dual-Rated UJGQXQXTn		<u>URGQPQPF8</u>	1x MPO12 APC	MMS1X00-NS400 (100 m)	1x 400Gb/s DR4	

^{*} Trunk cables have a ruggedized sheath with a larger o/d, protecting the cables when dressed into pathways.

Due to the number of cables required, network cabinets should be selected with sufficient vertical space to support Al builds (see reference design).

Single-mode OS2

Note: Adapter packs and mesh modules are mounted in Propel panels, see page 34 of this guide



^{*} Detailed information about Propel polarity schemes can be found here.

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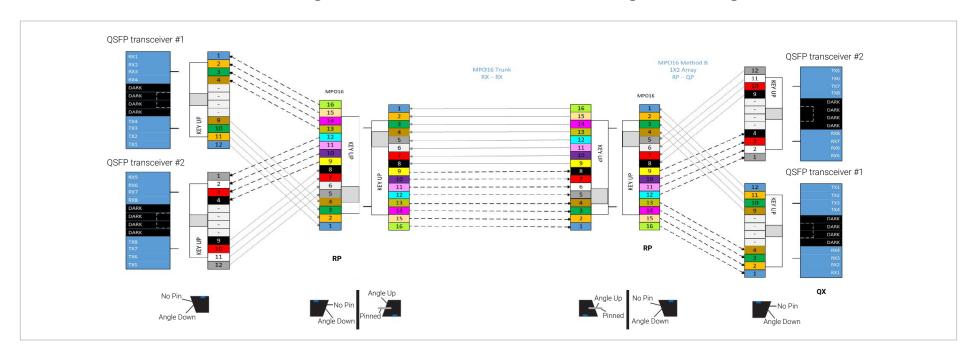
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y = Number of MPO Ports Per Module - Select 4, 8, or 12

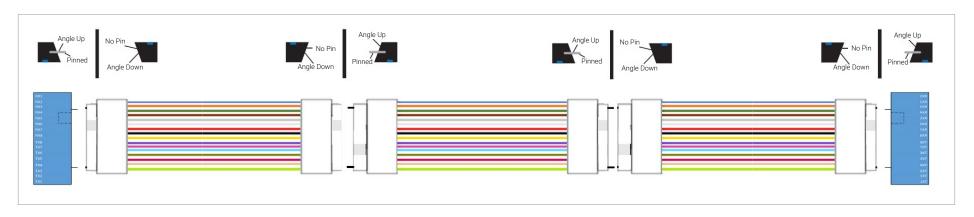
n = Number of fibers in trunk - Select 8=8, R=16, F=24, S=32, H=48, U=64, K=72, L=96, M=144, N=192

Fiber Polarity Schemes

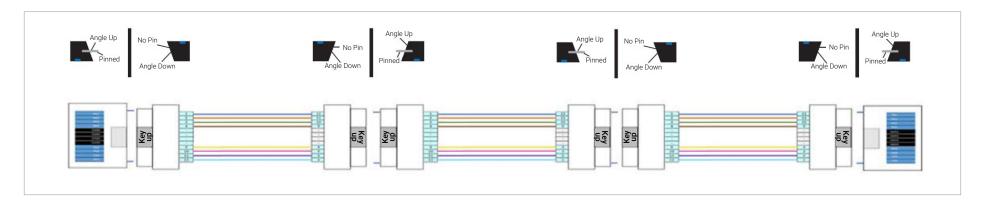
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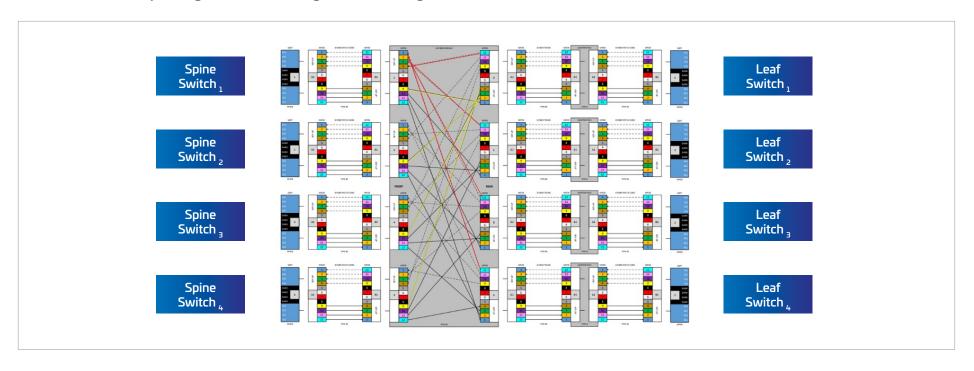
1x MPO16 APC to 1x MPO16 APC, using an MPO16 APC backbone trunk cable (See Page 18 for cabling and transceiver information).



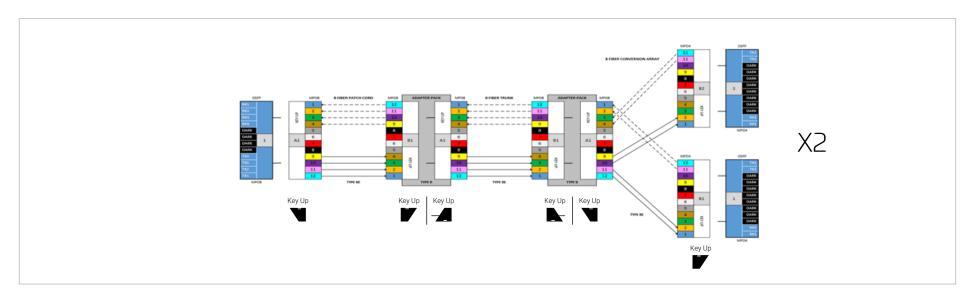
1x MPO8/12 APC to 1x MPO8/12 APC, using an MPO8 APC backbone trunk cable (See Page 14 for cabling and transceiver information).



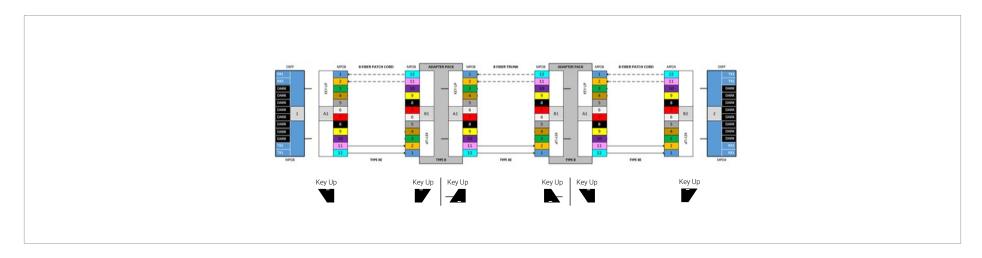
4 x 4 mesh module polarity scheme (See Page 25 for cabling and transceiver information).



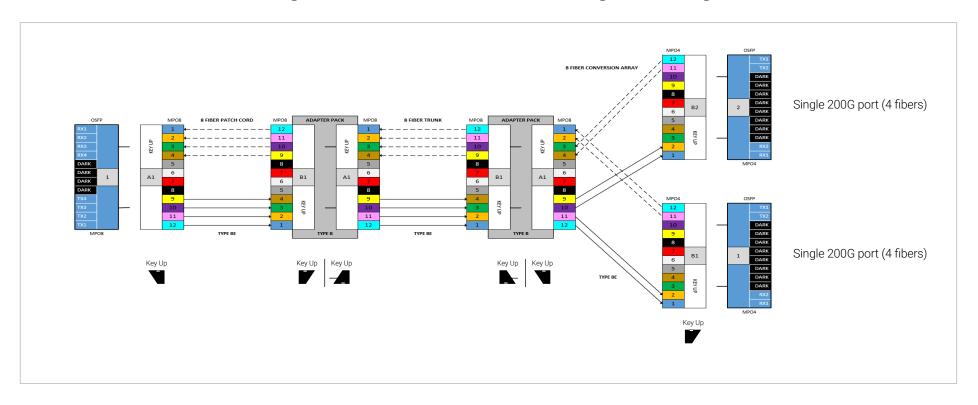
2x MPO8/12 APC to 4x MPO8/12 UPC, using 2x MPO8 APC backbone trunk cables (See Page 20 for cabling and transceiver information).



1x MPO8/12 UPC to 1x MPO8/12 UPC, using an MPO8 APC backbone trunk cable (See Page 21 for cabling and transceiver information).



1x MPO8/12 APC to 2x MPO4 UPC, using an MPO8 APC backbone trunk cable (See Page 22 for cabling and transceiver information).



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Why is ultra low loss important for AI networks?

Throughout this guide, you will find a variety of options for cabling implementation. In common, across each pre-terminated design, is CommScope® ultra low loss (ULL) connector end-face and system performance. Regardless of your organization's data center needs, ULL assists migration to higher data-rate applications as needed. This level of performance provides longer distance support, additional connection flexibility, or both, in multi-mode OM5 and OM4, and single-mode. As your data center speeds grow beyond 10G to 100G, 400G and beyond, applications are more sensitive and fiber connector performance is critical. CommScope ULL delivers!

CommScope's ULL High Speed Migration portfolio uses industry standard Method B polarity, the simplest method for migration between duplex and parallel fiber cabling applications, along with CommScope Method B Enhanced polarity within the modules to simplify design, installation, and testing further.

ULL - Ultra Low Loss Features

Method B Enhanced modules

- · 24-, 16-, 12-, or 8-fiber MPO rear connectors with duplex or MPO front
- · No mixing or flipping of components needed to achieve polarity (Tx-Rx)
- · Same module on each end of link-simplifies bill of material and designs
- Patch panel options to provide manageable high density for your environment

Pinned (male) MPO trunk cables

- · Enable unpinned (female-female) patch cords throughout
- · Simplifies installation and connections to active equipment

Single-mode and multi-mode cable options

- · Support multi-wavelength and traditional applications
- · Flexibility for your network architecture, TCO model, and network electronics choices

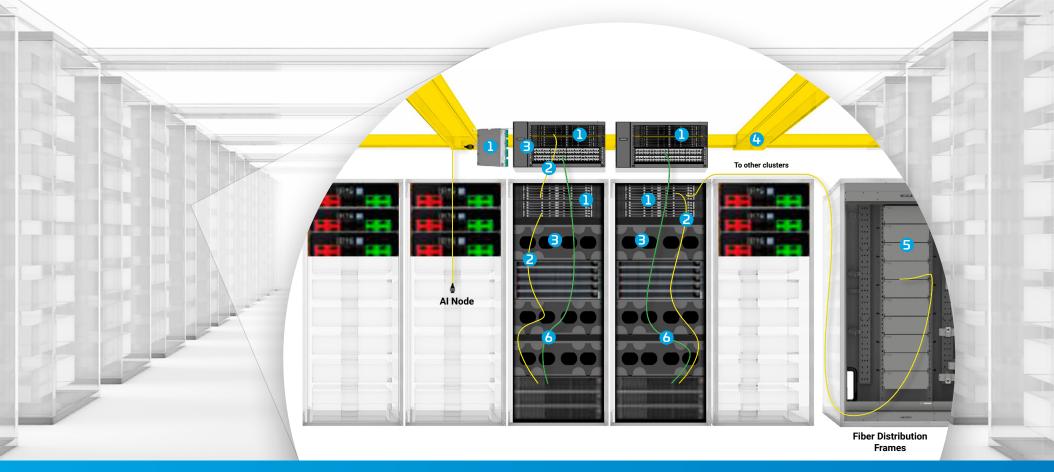
Multimedia Resources

- Ultra low-loss fiber connectivity solutions: the best way to support higher speeds in your DC
- · CommScope Method B Enhanced fiber polarity simplifies High-Speed Migration
- High-Speed Migration Bandwidth without boundaries

Brochure

 Data Center High-Speed Migration: Infrastructure issues, trends, drivers, and recommendations

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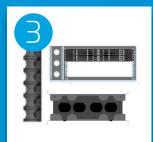




Propel Fiber Panels



Propel Cable Assemblies



CommScope Cable Management Solutions



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CommScope Fiber Distribution Frames



SYSTIMAX Copper Cabling Solutions

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Propel™ Fiber Cabling Platform

Propel high-density panels are designed to adapt and grow as your needs change. Like all Propel components, the panels are completely modular and interchangeable. They support 16-fiber connectivity and up to 144 LC-connected fibers per RU—giving you the flexibility and density to smoothly advance to 400Gb, 800Gb, and beyond.

Propel panels incorporate unique design features that make them faster to deploy and easier to manage than older-generation panels. For example, panel blades can be removed with one hand for easier maintenance and changes by a single technician. When inserted, the blades lock in place on both sides to provide more secure patching. A re-designed rear cable management system allows more cable to be securely stored and attached.

At the same time, each panel is highly versatile. Module and adapter pack sizes can be scaled or mixed in each panel or blade.

Material ID	Product Number	Description	Height (in/mm)	Width (in/mm)	Depth (in/mm)	Weight (lbs/kg)	Density
760252002	PPL-1U	Propel 1RU sliding panel	1.75/44	19/483	18.52/470	11.7/5.3	72 duplex LC, 72 MPO, 144 SN
760252003	PPL-2U	Propel 2RU sliding panel	3.50/89	19/483	18.52/470	17.3/7.9	144 duplex LC, 144 MPO, 288 SN
760252004	PPL-4U	Propel 4RU sliding panel	7.00/178	19/483	18.52/470	30.5/13.8	288 duplex LC, 288 MPO, 576 SN
760255953	PPL-1U-W	PPL-1U Propel 1RU white sliding panel	1.75/44	19/483	18.52/470	11.7/5.3	72 duplex LC, 72 MPO, 144 SN
760255954	PPL-2U-W	PPL-2U Propel 2RU white sliding panel	3.50/89	19/483	18.52/470	17.3/7.9	144 duplex LC, 144 MPO, 288 SN
760255955	PPL-4U-W	PPL-4U Propel 4RU white sliding panel	7.00/178	19/483	18.52/470	30.5/13.8	288 duplex LC, 288 MPO, 576 SN



Modules and adapter packs per blade

Product Number	8-fiber modules/adapter packs	12-fiber modules/adapter packs	16-fiber modules/adapter packs	24-fiber modules/adapter packs
PPL-1U	Up to 6 per blade/18 per panel	Up to 4 per blade/12 per panel	Up to 3 per blade/9 per panel	Up to 2 per blade/6 per panel
PPL-2U	Up to 6 per blade/36 per panel	Up to 4 per blade/24 per panel	Up to 3 per blade/18 per panel	Up to 2 per blade/12 per panel
PPL-4U	Up to 6 per blade/72 per panel	Up to 4 per blade/48 per panel	Up to 3 per blade/36 per panel	Up to 2 per blade/24 per panel



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Propel ULL Trunk Cables

Propel trunk cables are supplied with a fastening clip for panel mounting

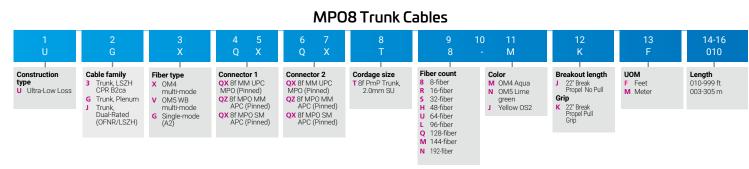
Propel pulling elements (pulling grip) enable a pulling force of up to 100 lbs (45 kg)

Pre-assembled and tested with test protocol

Polarity method: Method B Enhanced







Propel ULL Array Cables

MPO/LC Uniboot breakout cable with 2 mm breakout construction for mechanical strength

Pre-assembled and tested with test protocol





MPO8 MPO/LC Array Cords



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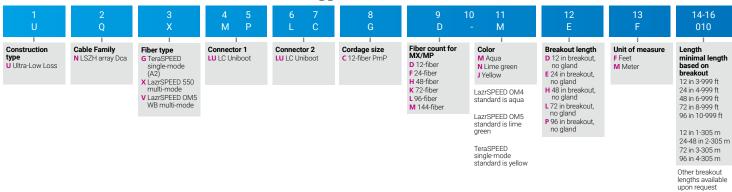
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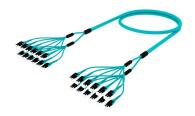
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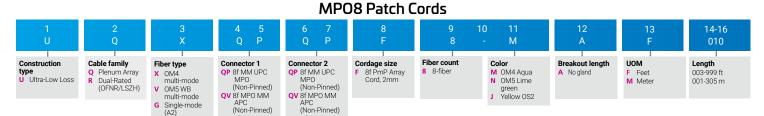
for installations with high

packing density

SYSTIMAX ULL Ruggedized LC/LC Distribution Cable







SYSTIMAX ULL Patch Cords

Description	Patch Cord Type	Application	Fiber Type	Description Code	Part Number
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED® 550 OM4 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 1.5 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 1.5 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Distribution/XC	OM4	UFXLULUK2	UFXLULUK2
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 WideBand OM5 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 1.5 mm Duplex, LSZH/ Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 1.5 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Distribution/XC	OM5	UFVLULUK2	<u>UFVLULUK2</u>
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) TeraSpeed® LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 1.5 mm Duplex, LSZH/ Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 1.5 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Distribution/XC	OS2	UFGLULUK2	UFGLULUK2
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 OM4 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	OM4	UFXLULU62	UFXLULU62
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 OWideBand OM5 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	ОМ5	UFVLULU62	UFVLULU62
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) TeraSpeed LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	OS2	UFGLULU62	UFGLULU62

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OP 8f MPO SM (Non-Pinned) (Non-Pinned)

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Propel ULL Trunk Cables

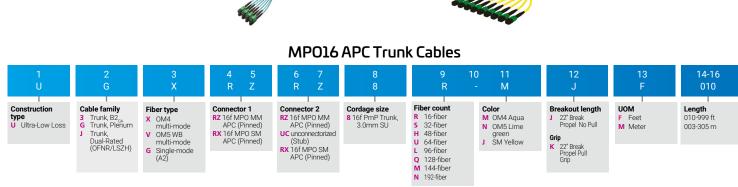
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Pre-assembled and tested with test protocol

Polarity method: Method B Enhanced



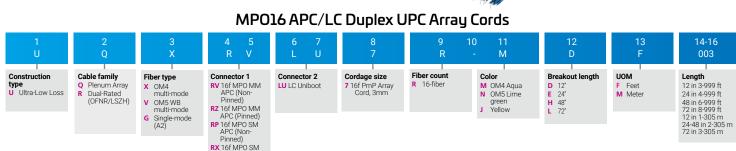


Propel ULL Array Cables

MPO/LC Uniboot breakout cable with 2 mm breakout construction for mechanical strength

Pre-assembled and tested with test protocol





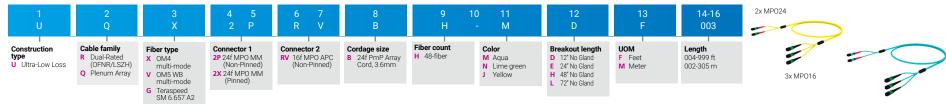
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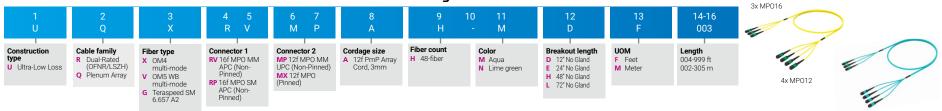
MPO16 1x2 Conversion Array Cords



MPO16 2x3 Conversion Array Cords



MPO16 3x4 Conversion Array Cords

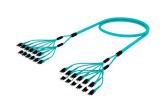


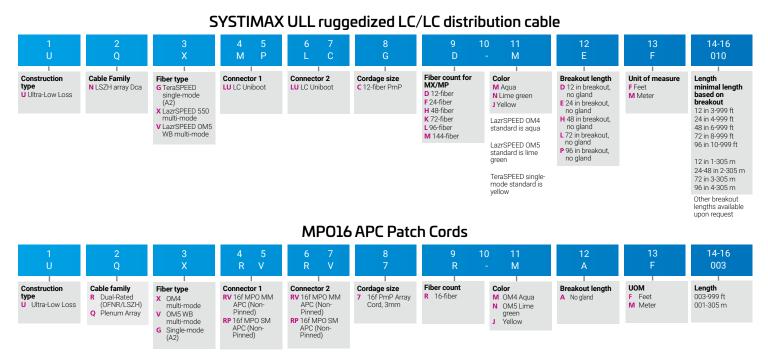
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ULL LC-LC distribution cable Pre-assembled LC/LC distribution cables with test protocol LC Duplex Uniboot connectors for installations with high packing density Possibility of polarity change

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SYSTIMAX ULL Uniboot Patch Cords

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Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 WideBand OM5 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 1.5 m Duplex, LSZH/ Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 1.5 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Distribution/XC	OM5	<u>UFVLULUK2</u>
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) TeraSpeed® LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 1.5 m Duplex, LSZH/ Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 1.5 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Distribution/XC	OS2	UFGLULUK2
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 OM4 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	OM4	UFXLULU62
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) LazrSPEED 550 OWideBand OM5 LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	OM5	UFVLULU62
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) TeraSpeed LC Uniboot to LC Uniboot, Fiber Patch Cord, 2.0 mm Duplex, LSZH/Riser	LC-D to LC-D, 2 mm diameter, LSZH/Riser	Equipment Area	OS2	UFGLULU62

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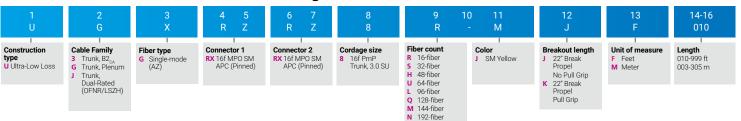
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SN Modules

Description	Fiber Type	Fiber Count	Front interface	Rear interface	Description Code	Part Number
Propel ULL distribution module, Method B Enhanced, 18 per 1 RU	0S2	16	8 SNs with dust caps	2 MPO8/APC non-pinned with internal shutters	PPL-DM-8AU-8SN-SM-BEU	760252342
Propel ULL distribution module, Method B Enhanced, 18 per 1 RU	0S2	16	8 SNs with dust caps	1 MPO16/APC non-pinned with dust cap	PPL-DM-16AU-8SN-SM-BEU	760252355



MPO16 Single-mode APC Trunk Cables





MPO8 Single-mode Trunk Cables

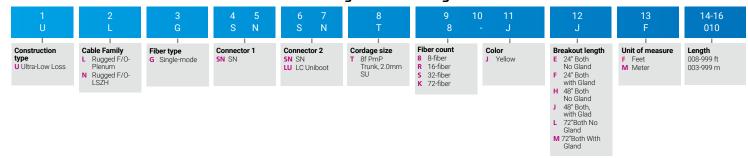


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SN Single-mode Arrays





SN Single-mode Patch Cords



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Cable Management

Cable Management	Description Code	Part Number
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Horizontal cable trough, 2U, single sided	HKT-19-SS-2U	760072959
Horizontal cable trough, 3U, single sided	HKT-19-SS-3U	760072967
Cable Manager 1U		1671495-1
Cable Manager 2U		<u>1671495-2</u>
Cable Manager 4U		1671495-4
Cable Manager 6U		<u>1671495-6</u>
Cable Manager 15U		1-1671495-5
Filler/Blank Panel, 1U x 19 in, Solid, Black	FPANEL-19-1U	760162065
1U Patch cord Management – D ring style	HCM-19-SS-1U	760038240
2U Patch cord Management – D ring Style	HCM-19-SS-2U	760038257
Horizontal Trough Kit, 1 RU, 19 in, single sided	HTK-19-SS-1U	760072942
Horizontal Trough Kit, 2 RU, 19 in, single sided	HTK-19-SS-2U	760072959
Horizontal Trough Kit, 3 RU, 19 in, single sided	HTK-19-SS-3U	760072967

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Blanking Panels	Description Code	Part Number
Blanking Panel, 1U, Black	CPP-FPANEL-19-1U	<u>760162065</u>
Blanking Panel, 2U, Black	CPP-FPANEL-19-2U	<u>760162073</u>
Blanking Panel, 3U, Black	CPP-FPANEL-19-3U	760162081

VERTICAL CABLE MANAGERS (VCM) OVERHEAD

Material ID	Catalog number	Description
760158592	OVRHDRACKVCM	3 in (76 mm) Channel x 9.4 in (239 mm) H – 19 in (482.6 mm) Overhead Patch Panel Rack (4U) 3/8 Sq Punch, with Mini Vertical Cable Management, Black
760169599	OVRHDRACKVCM6	3 in (76 mm) Channel x 12.9 in (327.66 mm) H – 19 in (482.6 mm) Overhead Patch Panel Rack (6U) 3/8 Sq Punch, with Mini Vertical Cable Management, Black
760169607	OVRHDVCM6U	Mini Vertical Cable Management for Overhead Patch Panel Rack, 6U, black
760164061	OVRHDVCM4U	Mini Vertical Cable Management for Overhead Patch Panel Rack, 4U, black
760169581	OVRHDRACK6U	3 in (76 mm) Channel x 9.5 in (239 mm) H – 19 in (482.6 mm) Overhead Patch Panel Rack (6U) 3/8 Sq Punch, Black
<u>760157800</u>	OVRHDRACK4U	3 in (76 mm) Channel x 9.4 in (239 mm) H – 19 in (482.6 mm) Overhead Patch Panel Rack (4U) 3/8 Sq Punch, Black



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SYSTIMAX® Copper Cabling Solutions

Description	Part Number		
M2400 1U Modular Panel, 24 port (MGS600 / MGS400 / UNJ10GT / UNJ10G / UNJ600 / UNJ500), Black	760118323 M2400-1U-GS		
M4800 1U Modular Panel, 48 port (MGS600 / MGS400 / UNJ10GT / UNJ10G / UNJ600 / UNJ500), Black	760105429 M4800-1U-GS	THE THE PARTY OF T	KINKE
M4800 Blank Kit, Black (50 ea/pkg)	760193409 M4800 Blank Kit		
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 1091B Cable Pre-terminated Cord Solid	White - CPCUUM2-88Mxxx Gray - CPCUUM2-3CMxxx Light Blue - CPCUUM2-2ZMxxx		
GigaSPEED X10D MGS600 to MGS600 on 2091B Plenum Cable Pre-terminated Cord Solid	White - CPCUUO2-88Mxxx Gray - CPCUUO2-3CMxxx Light Blue - CPCUUO2-2ZMxxx		Additional Color and Configuration options available with InstaPATCH® Cu connectivity system
GigaSPEED X10D MGS600 to MGS600 on 3091B Low Smoke Zero Halogen Cable Pre-terminated Cord Solid	White - <u>CPCUUW2</u> -88Mxxx Gray - <u>CPCUUW2</u> -3CMxxx Light Blue - <u>CPCUUW2</u> -2ZMxxx		
MiNo6A Cat 6A U/UTP Reduced Diameter RJ45 Patch Cord, LS-CM Dual Rated	White - <u>C0199K2</u> -08Mxxx Gray - <u>C0199K2</u> -03Mxxx Light Blue - <u>C0199K2</u> -02Mxxx		

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FiberGuide® System

A FiberGuide system in a Gen AI enabled data center is an essential system. Why? Because the power required by Generative AI operations does not match the sq meter/sq foot power and cooling systems that are supplied by a traditional data center, thus leading to highly distributed switching layers. Plus, today AI nodes are installed into cabinets that are constructed offsite, meaning that they are built separately to the data center (DC) backbone, and then simply rack-and-rolled into the required position on the DC floor.

The FiberGuide system offers a number of benefits to support this shift in DC design thinking. Firstly, in a complex build environment, it offers a dedicated pathway for high-speed optical fiber cabling. Secondly, it offers physical protection to the optical fiber as it transitions between the now highly disaggregated switch layers located in different areas of the DC (Figure 1). Finally, the FiberGuide system offers a perfect point to handoff backbone cabling to a demarcation point for the backbone cabling, in readiness for the rack-and-roll cabinets to quickly and simply be patched (Figure 2).

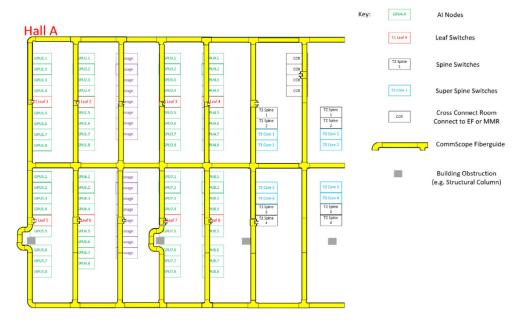


Figure 1 - Example Gen DC Al layout using the FiberGuide system. The switching layers have more physical separation than traditional designs, allowing for the power and cooling constraints of a traditional data center construction.

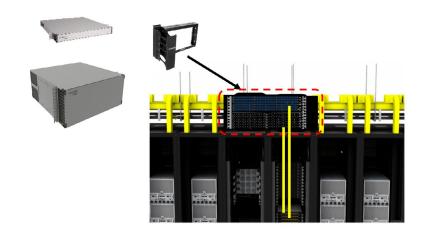


Figure 2: A 4U Propel panel with LC and MPO presentation housed in XTRA-U Aerial Holder.

FiberGuide Design Pro is a software tool allowing DC Engineers to configure raceway architectures and visualize how alternative build options can support a specific network layout.

FiberGuide Design Pro Configurator Tool

<u>CommScope</u>

<u>Technical Assistance Center (TAC)</u> can answer FiberGuide and design tool questions.

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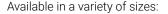
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The industry's most comprehensive optical raceway system

The FiberGuide fiber management systems offer the greatest breadth of optical raceway products in the industry. FiberGuide systems add greater flexibility and drive down installation time to assist with a smooth deployment.

The FiberGuide raceway system is designed to protect and route fiber-optic patch cords, multi-fiber cable assemblies and intrafacility fiber cable (IFC) to and from fiber splice enclosures, fiber distribution frames and fiber-optic terminal devices. The FiberGuide raceway system is designed to maintain a two-inch minimum bend radius throughout the system. Tool-less, Snap-Fit junction options can significantly reduce the amount of time required for installation.

The FiberGuide system is a complete set of products designed and manufactured to support total off-frame protection and ease of use. Basic components include horizontal and vertical straight sections, horizontal and vertical elbows, downspouts, junctions and numerous support hardware and flex vertical kits.



4x6 – Features the same benefits of the 4-inch system and a maximum trough capacity of 2,400, 2 mm patch cords.

4x12 – The 12-inch-wide trough has a maximum capacity to support nearly 5,000, 2 mm patch cords. Perfect for runs over fiber-frame lineups and perimeter routes.

4x24 – The 4x24-inch system is the ultimate raceway solution to securely route and protect patch cords over high-density optical distribution frames including CommScope® Next Generation Frame (NGF) and Next Generation 3 Frame (NG3®). Designed for maximum capacity, this robust system provides the same support and flexibility as the traditional 4x12-inch system while doubling capacity.





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4"x6" FiberGuide System

Description	Part Number	
4x6 Horizontal Straight Section, 6' long, yellow	FGS-MSHS-B	
4x6 Horizontal Stack Storage Section, yellow	FGS-MSHS-STOR-B	11111
4x6 Horizontal T, yellow	FGS-MHRT-B	
4x6 Horizontal Cross, yellow	FGS-MHXP-B	6
4x6 Horizontal Elbow 90°, yellow	FGS-MH9E-B	
4x6 Down Spout, yellow	FGS-MDSP-B	
4x6 Trumpet Flare, yellow	FGS-MTRM-B	- an
4x6 Down Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MD4E-B	
4x6 Up Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MU4E-B	
4x6 Junction	FGS-MFAW-B	
4x6 End Cap, black	FGS-HMEC-B	

4"x6" Supports

Description	Part Number	
L Bay Support Bracket	FGS-HLBK	P
Center Support Bracket Kit (xx = size: 1/2", 5/8", 12 mm, 14 mm, 16 mm)	FGS-HTUB-XX	
Unistrut Kit; 10 Quick Knob T-Bolt	FGS-ACC532	

Express Exit®

Description	Part Number	
4" Express Exit with 4x4 exit opening, yellow	FGS-MEXP-E-A/B/F	
2x2 Trumpet Flare for 2" Express Exit, yellow	FGS-MTRM-C	
Single 2" Flex Tube Attachment 2" flex tube and 2x2 junction to attach to Expre	ss Exit	
5' length	FGS-MEX1-C-5F	
10' length	FGS-MEX1-C-10F	
15' length	FGS-MEX1-C-15F	

Note: For additional FiberGuide products, see online catalog available here.

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4"x12" FiberGuide System

Description	Part Number	
4x12 Horizontal Straight Section, 6' long, yellow	FGS-MSHS-F	
4x12 Horizontal Slack Storage Section, yellow	FGS-MSHS-STOR-F	11111
4x12 Horizontal T, yellow	FGS-MHRT-F	>
4x12 Horizontal Cross, yellow	FGS-MHXP-F	
4x12 Horizontal Elbow 90°, yellow	FGS-MH9E-F	500
4x12 Down Spout, yellow	FGS-MDSP-F	
4x12 Trumpet Flare, yellow	FGS-MTRM-F	
4x12 Horizontal Cross with two 6" exit, yellow	FGS-MHXP-F	
4x12 Down Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MD4E-F	
4x12 Up Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MU4E-F	
4x12 Junction	FGS-MFAW-F	
4x12 End Cap	FGS-HMEC-F	**
Trapeze Bracket Kit (xx = size: 1/2", 5/8", 12 mm, 14 mm, 16 mm)	FGS-HNTP-F-XX	

4"x24" FiberGuide System

Description	Part Number	
4x24 Horizontal Straight Section, 6" long, yellow	FGS-MSHS-H	
4x24 Horizontal T, with single 12" exit, yellow	FGS-MHRT-H/F	5
4x24 Horizontal T with three 24" exits, yellow	FGS-MHRT-H	
4x24 Horizontal Cross, yellow	FGS-MHXP-H	
4x24 Horizontal Cross with dual 12" exits	FGS-MHXP-F/H	5
4x24 Horizontal Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MH4E-H	
4x24 Down Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MD4E-H	
4x24 Up Elbow 45°, yellow	FGS-MU4E-H	
4x24 Junction	FGS-MFAW-H	
4x24 End Cap	FGS-HMEC-H	
Threaded Rod Trapeze Bracket Kit for New, 5/8"	FGS-HNTP-H-5/8	

Note: For additional FiberGuide products, see online catalog available here.

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Cabling Reference Designs

The purpose of the reference designs in this document is to show how NVIDIA Scalable Units and NVIDIA DGX SuperPOD configurations can be cabled with the use of structured cabling. The designs highlight the hardware requirements of the NVIDIA configurations and are offering a best practice for developing a cabling infrastructure to support AI configurations. The guiding principles for these designs have been:

- · Design simplification
- · Readiness for future network applications
- · Effective cable management
- · Easy operation

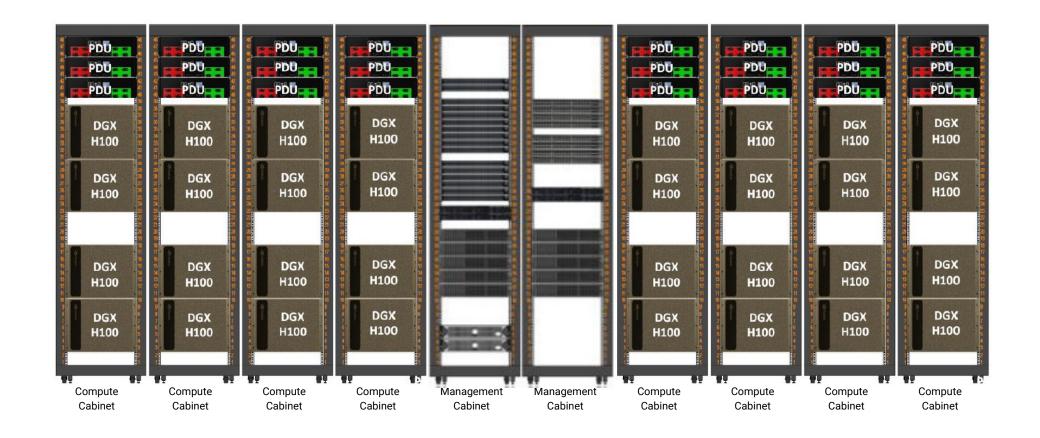
Cabling NVIDIA Scalable Units and NVIDIA DGX SuperPOD configurations can be done in many ways. Hence, the reference designs in this section are meant to be an example of best practices that can be adopted for different cable types, connector types etc.

The cabling designs in this document are based on the use of an MPO8 APC backbone (see section "Structured Cabling" in this document for more information). The design can be converted to using an MPO16 APC backbone instead, resulting in a more future-proof design with fewer connectors in the patch panels, and more efficient use of precious data center cable pathways and conduit.

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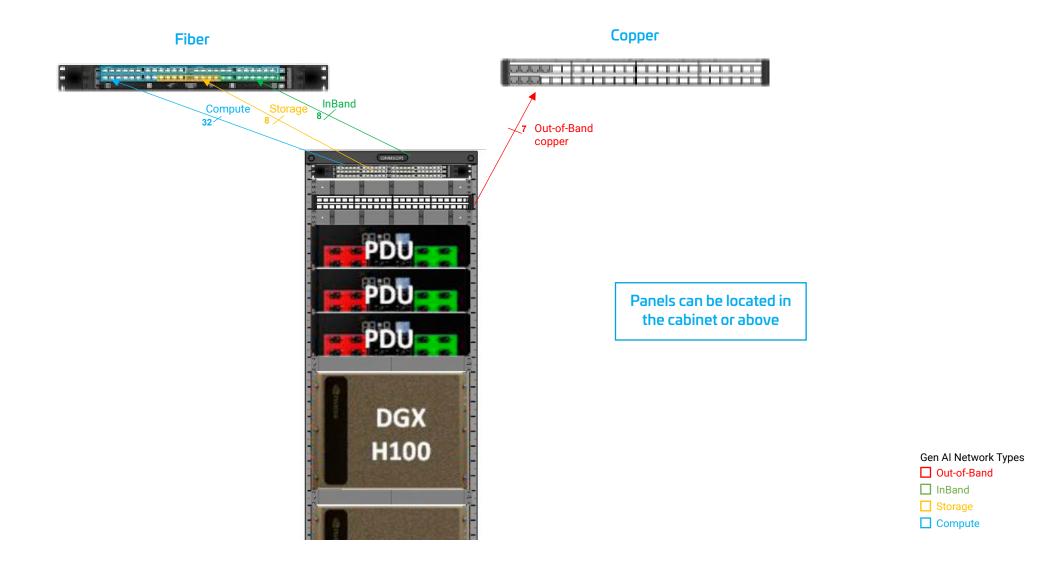
NVIDIA Scalable Unit (SU) DGX H100 Reference Design

MPO8 APC Backbone



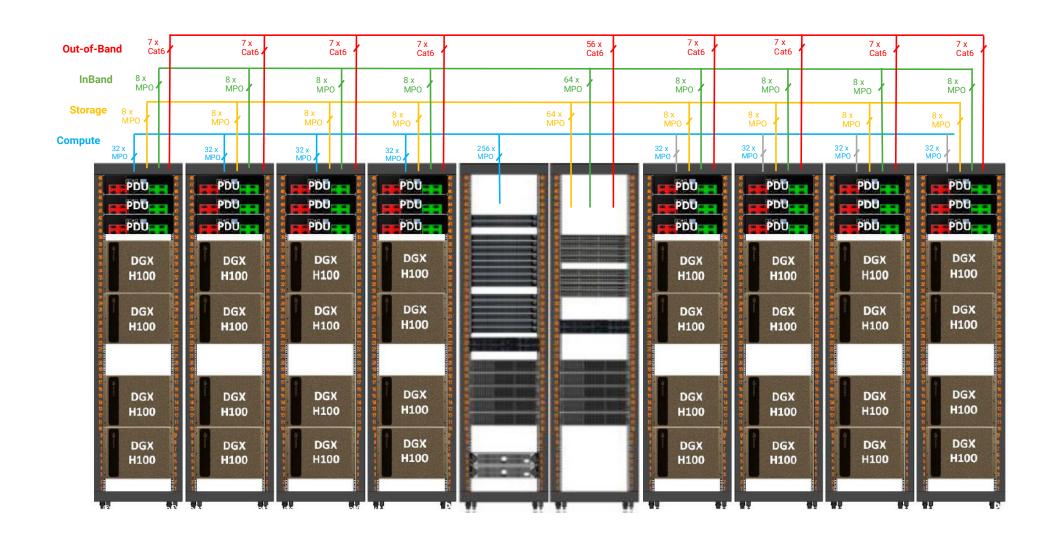
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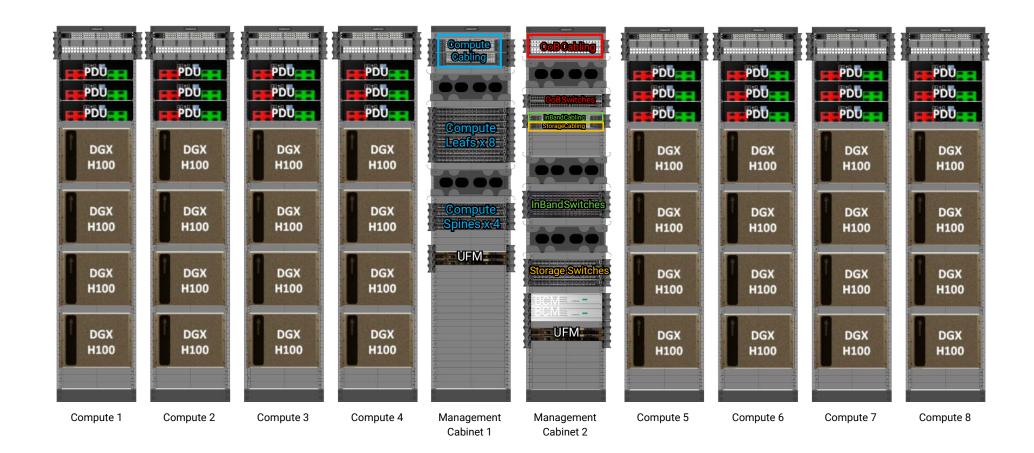
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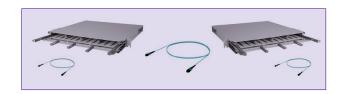


Suggested Passive Infrastructure Panel Locations
Out-of-Band
InBand
Storage

Compute

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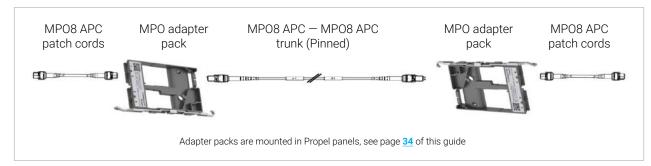


Cabinets



Cabinets

Cabling Channel



Note: - The structured cabling backbone is built with MPO8 APC connectors to be ready for 400G + applications.

			Compute Cabinets and	Management Cabinets	
Product	Code	Material ID	Panels in/above Compute Cabinets/ quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	
Propel 1RU sliding tray fiber panel, accepts Propel ULL modules or adapter packs, providing up to 72 duplex LC ports, 72 MPO ports or 144 SN ports (288f)	PPL-1U	760252002	8		
Propel 2RU sliding tray fiber panel, accepts Propel ULL modules or adapter packs, providing up to 144 duplex LC ports, 144 MPO ports or 288 SN ports (576f)	PPL-2U	760252003		3	
Propel pass-through adapter pack, 12 x MPO8-12-24 ports, Type B	PPL-AP-12-MPO-ALL-B	760252374	32	36	
Panel-to-Panel Fiber Assemblies, MPO8 Multi-mode Backbone: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Pinned) to MPO8 APC (Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)		URXQZQZF8	384		LSZH/Riser
or			or		
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Pinned) to MPO8 APC (Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Plenum		UQXQZQZF8	384		Plenum
Panel-to-Panel Fiber Assemblies, MPO8 Single-mode Backbone: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MPO8 (Pinned) to MPO8 (Pinned), Fiber Patch Cord, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)		URGQXQXF8	384		LSZH/Riser
or			or		
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MP08 (Pinned) to MP08 (Pinned), Fiber Patch Cord, 8-Fiber, Plenum		<u>UQGQXQXF8</u>	384		Plenum

Note: This bill of material for the reference design uses single MPO8 fiber array assemblies. This assembly type demands the least space in pathways and cabinets. In case of a requirement to use B2_{CA} CPR-rated cable assemblies for the panel-to-panel connections, please select these cables from the MPO8 APC backbone pages in this document. B2_{CA} cables assemblies have a larger diameter, resulting in higher space requirements in pathway and cabinet spaces.

The structured cabling in this design is built with MPO8 trunks for simplification reasons. It is recommended to use Multi-MPO trunks to reduce installation work. For selecting Multi-MPO trunks, please see the section about structured cabling in this document.

Notes: - all quantities are estimations based on NVIDIA documents and CommScope® assumptions.

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Structured Cabling between

Patch Cords to Connect Inband Equipment to Structured Fiber Cabling (4 of 5)

			InBand	
		Patch Cords for struc Compute Cabinets and	Patch Cords for structured cabling between Management Cabinets	
Product	Material ID	Compute Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity
Multi-mode OM4 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Non-Pinned) to MPO8 UPC (Non-Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URXQVQPF8	64	64	20
Single-mode OS2 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MP08 (Non-Pinned) to MP08 (Non-Pinned), Fiber Array Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URGQPQPF8	64	64	20

Notes: InBand requires MPO UPC for Ethernet Multi-mode 100G & 200G Transceivers—plenum patch cords can be found in the section "Structured Cabling Solutions" in this document.

Select multi-mode or single-mode according to the fiber type used in the structured cabling.

For Multi-mode, a MPO8 APC to MPO8 UPC patch cord must be used to patch to the MPO8 APC backbone.

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Patch Cords to Connect Compute and Storage Equipment to Structured Fiber Cabling (5 of 5)

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			tructured cabling ite Cabinets and nt Cabinets	Patch Cords for Spine/Leaf connections	eaf between Compute Cabs and		Patch Cords for Spine/Leaf connections
Product	Material ID	Compute Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity	Compute Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity
Multi-mode OM4 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Non-Pinned) to MPO8 APC (Non-Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URXQVQVF8	254	254	254	64	64	64
Single-mode OS2 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MPO8 (Non-Pinned) to MPO8 (Non-Pinned), Fiber Array Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URGQPQPF8	254	254	254	64	64	64

Notes: – plenum patch cords and MPO splitter cables (1xMPO16 to 2xMPO8 for 400G -> 2 x 200G) to connect storage devices can be found in the section "Structured Cabling Solutions" in this document.

Select multi-mode or single-mode according the fiber type used in the structured cabling.

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Patch Cords for OoB





8 x Compute Cabinets



Management Cabinets

Product	Copper Technology	Description Code	Part Number	Panels in/above Compute Cabinets/ Quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity				
Modular Copper Patch Panel										
M4800 1U Modular Panel, 48-port (MGS600 / MGS400 / UNJ10GT / UNJ10G / UNJ600 / UNJ500), Black	U/UTP	M4800-1U-GS	760105429	8	2					
Panel Accessories										
M4800 Blank Kit, Black (50 ea/pkg)		M4800 Blank Kit	760193409							
Pre-Terminated Copper Cord										
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 1091B Cable Pre-terminated Cord, Black Jacket-Non Plenum	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUUM2	56						
Or				Or						
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 2091B Plenum Cable Pre-terminated Cord, Red Jacket-Plenum	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUU02	56						
Or				Or						
GigaSPEED X100® MGS600 to MGS600 on 3091B Low-Smoke Zero Halogen Cable Pre-terminated Cord—LSZH	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUUW2	56						
Copper Patch Cords										
MiNo6A Cat 6A U/UTP Reduced Diameter RJ45 Patch Cord, LS-CM Dual-Rated	U/UTP, C6A		C0199K2	56	56	20				

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Management Cabinet 2



Compute Cabinet

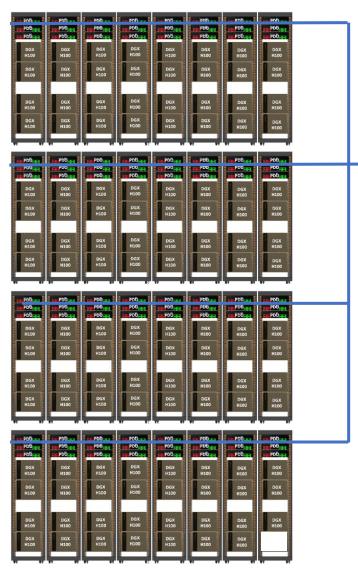
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Overlength storage, 5U	<u>1671711-1</u>	2	3	
Cable Manager 2U	1671495-2		6	
Cable Manager 4U	1671495-4	10	8	16
Filler/Blank Panel, 1U x 19", Solid, Black	760162065	25	19	

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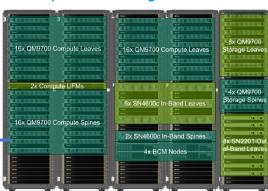
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NVIDIA SuperPOD DGX H100 Reference Design

MPO8 APC Backbone



SuperPOD Management Racks

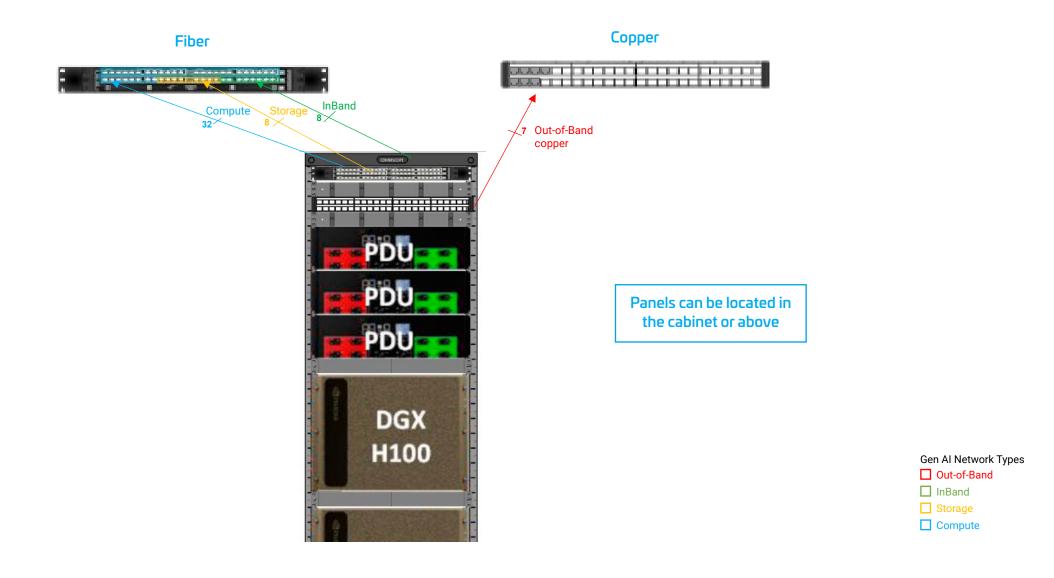


DGX SuperPOD with 127x DGX H100 systems

Note: In a SuperPOD, the management racks of the scalable units usually are moved out of the row and consolidated.

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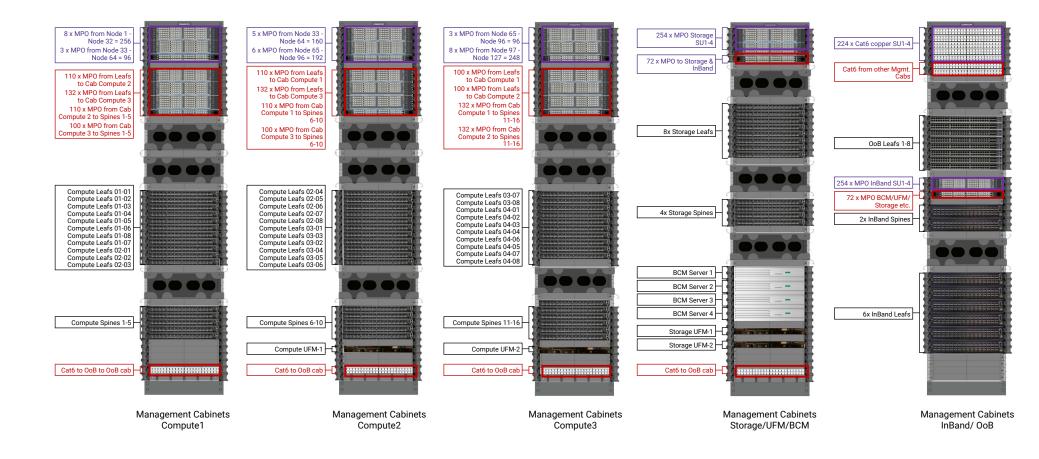
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Reference Design for DGX H100 SuperPOD Management Cabinet (1 of 6)

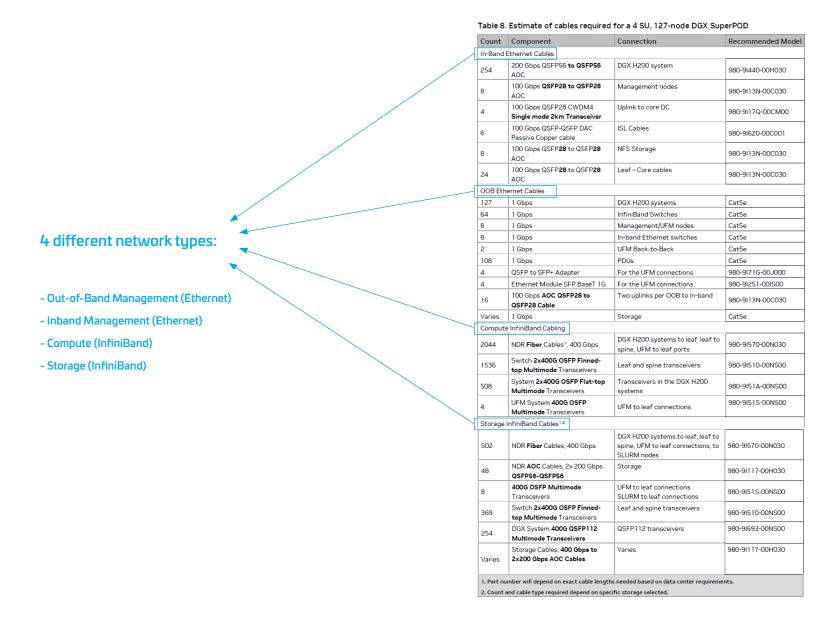


Suggested Location of Passive Infrastructure Patching Panels From Compute Cabinets

Suggested Location of Passive Infrastructure Patching Panels Between Management Cabinets

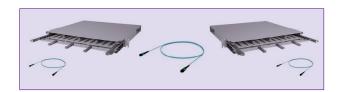
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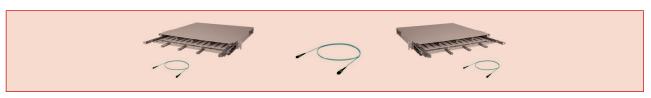
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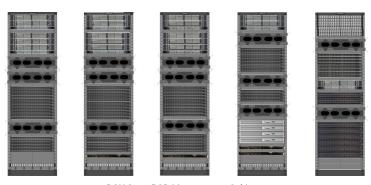
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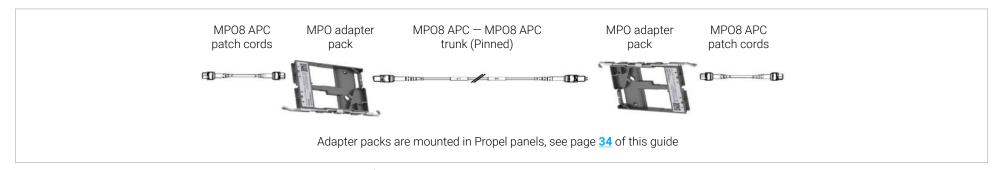


32 x Compute Cabs



DGX SuperPOD Management Cabinets

Cabling Channel



Note: The structured cabling backbone is built with MPO8 APC connectors to be ready for 400G + applications.

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Plenum

Structured Cabling Fiber, MPO8 APC Backbone, continued (4 of 6)

Example bill of material (MPO8 backbone) for NVIDIA DGX SuperPOD configurations with DGX H100, DGX H200 and DGX B200 systems			Structure between Com and Managen	pute Cabinets	Structured Cabling between Management Cabinets	
Product	Code	Material ID	Panels in/above 32 Compute Cabinets/ quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	
Propel 1RU sliding tray fiber panel, accepts Propel ULL modules or adapter packs, providing up to 72 duplex LC ports, 72 MPO ports or 144 SN ports (288f)	PPL-1U	760252002	32	3	5	
Propel 2RU sliding tray fiber panel, accepts Propel ULL modules or adapter packs, providing up to 144 duplex LC ports, 144 MPO ports or 288 SN ports (576f)	PPL-2U	760252003		9	9	
Propel pass-through adapter pack, 12 x MPO8-12-24 ports, Type B	PPL-AP-12-MPO-ALL-B	760252374	128	134	139	
Panel to Panel Fiber Assemblies, MPO8 Multi-mode Backbone:						
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Pinned) to MPO8 APC (Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)		URXQZQZF8	1536		1668	LSZH/Rise
or			or		or	
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Pinned) to MPO8 APC (Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Plenum		UQXQZQZF8	1536		1668	Plenum
Panel to Panel Fiber Assemblies, MPO8 Single-mode Backbone:						
Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MPO8 (Pinned) to MPO8 (Pinned), Fiber Patch Cord, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)		URGQXQXF8	1536		1668	LSZH/Rise

Note: In case of a requirement to use B2, CPR-rated cable assemblies for the panel-to-panel connections, please select these cables from the MPO8 APC backbone pages in this document.

Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MP08 (Pinned) to MP08 (Pinned), Fiber Patch Cord, 8-Fiber, Plenum

			Reference D	esign Menu			
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B2_{ca} cables assemblies have a larger diameter, resulting in higher space requirements in pathway and cabinet spaces.

The structured cabling in this design is built with MPO8 trunks for simplification reasons. It is recommended to use Multi-MPO trunks to reduce to reduce installation work. To select Multi-MPO trunks, please see the section about structured cabling in this document.

NVIDIA's recommended SuperPOD configuration

In-Band E	thernet Cables		
254	200 Gbps QSFP56 to QSFP56 AOC	DGX H200 system	980-9I440-00H030
8	100 Gbps QSFP28 to QSFP28 AOC	Management nodes	980-9113N-00C030
4	100 Gbps QSFP28 CWDM4 Single mode 2km Transceiver	Uplink to core DC	980-9117Q-00CM00
6	100 Gbps QSFP-QSFP DAC Passive Copper cable	ISL Cables	980-91620-00C001
8	100 Gbps QSFP 28 to QSFP 28 AOC	NFS Storage	980-9113N-00C030
24	100 Gbps QSFP 28 to QSFP 28 AOC	Leaf – Core cables	980-9I13N-00C030

			InBand	
		between Com	r structured cabling pute Cabinets and nent Cabinets	Patch Cords for structured cabling between Management Cabinets
Product	Material ID	Compute Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity	Management Cabinets quantity
Multi-mode OM4 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) OM4 MPO8 APC (Non-Pinned) to MPO8 UPC (Non-Pinned), Fiber Trunk Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URXQVQPF8	254	254	50
Single-mode OS2 Patch Cords: Ultra Low Loss (ULL) Single-mode MPO8 (Non-Pinned) to MPO8 (Non-Pinned), Fiber Array Cable Assembly, 8-Fiber, Dual-Rated (OFNR/LSZH)	URGQPQPF8	254	254	50

Notes: - Inband uses UPC Ethernet multi-mode transceivers for 100G & 200G-plenum patch cords can be found in the section "Structured Cabling Solutions" in this document

Select multi-mode or single-mode according to the fiber type used in the structured cabling. For multi-mode, a MPO8 APC to MPO8 UPC patch cord must be used to patch to the MPO8 APC backbone.

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Patch Cords to Connect Compute and Storage Equipment to Structured Fiber Cabling (6 of 6)

NVIDIA's recommended SuperPOD configuration

Comput	e InfiniBand Cabling		
2044	NDR Fiber Cables ¹ , 400 Gbps	DGX H200 systems to leaf, leaf to spine, UFM to leaf ports	980-91570-00N030
1536	Switch 2x400G OSFP Finned- top Multimode Transceivers	Leaf and spine transceivers	980-91510-00NS00
508	System 2x400G OSFP Flat-top Multimode Transceivers	Transceivers in the DGX H200 systems	980-9151A-00NS00
4	UFM System 400G OSFP Multimode Transceivers	UFM to leaf connections	980-9151S-00NS00

494	NDR Cables, 400 Gbps	DGX H100 systems to leaf, leaf to spine	980-91570-00N030
48	NDR Cables, 2x 200 Gbps	Storage	980-9I117-00H030
4	UFM System Transceivers	UFM to leaf connections	980-9151S-00NS00
369	Switch Transceivers	Leaf and spine transceivers	980-9I510-00NS00
254	DGX System Transceivers	QSFP112 transceivers	980-91693-00NS00
2	NDR Cables, 200 Gbps	UFM to leaf ports	980-91557-00N030
4	HDR 400 Gbps to 2x200 Gbps	Slurm management	980-9I117-00H030
Varies	Storage Cables, NDR200	Varies	980-9I117-00H030

				Structured Cabling Cabinets and Mana	Cabling between Management Cabinets	
Product	Copper Technology	Description Code	Part Number	Panels in/above Compute Cabinets/ Quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity
Modular Copper Patch Panel						
M4800 1U Modular Panel, 48-port (MGS600 / MGS400 / UNJ10GT / UNJ10G / UNJ600 / UNJ500), Black	U/UTP	M4800-1U-GS	760105429	32	5	6
Panel Accessories						
M4800 Blank Kit, Black (50 ea/pkg)		M4800 Blank Kit	760193409			
Pre-Terminated Copper Cord						
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 1091B Cable Pre-terminated Cord, Black Jacket-Non Plenum	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUUM2	235		100
Or				Or		Or
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 2091B Plenum Cable Pre-terminated Cord, Red Jacket-Plenum	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUU02	235		100
Or				Or		Or
GigaSPEED X10D® MGS600 to MGS600 on 3091B Low-Smoke Zero Halogen Cable Pre-terminated Cord-LSZH	U/UTP, C6A		CPCUUW2	235		100
Copper Patch Cords						
MiNo6A Cat 6A U/UTP Reduced Diameter RJ45 Patch Cord, LS-CM Dual-Rated	U/UTP, C6A		CO199K2	235	235	Approx. 200

Notes: - plenum patch cords and MPO splitter cables (1xMPO16 to 2xMPO8) to connect storage devices (see green box above) can be found in the section "Structured Cabling Solutions" in this document.

Select multi-mode or single-mode according the fiber type used in the structured cabling.

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Structured

Cabling between













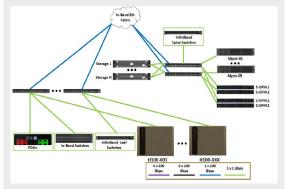




DGX SuperPOD Management Cabinets

NVIDIA's SuperPOD Reference Architecture

OOB Eth	ernet Cables	
127	1 Gbps	DGX H200 systems
64	1 Gbps	InfiniBand Switches
8	1 Gbps	Management/UFM nodes
8	1 Gbps	In-band Ethernet switches
2	1 Gbps	UFM Back-to-Back
108	1 Gbps	PDUs
4	QSFP to SFP+ Adapter	For the UFM connections
4	Ethernet Module SFP BaseT 1G	For the UFM connections
16	100 Gbps AOC QSFP28 to QSFP28 Cable	Two uplinks per OOB to in-band
Varies	1 Gbps	Storage



Structured Cabling between Compute Cabinets and Management

			Cabir	nets	Cabinets
Product	Code	Material ID	Panels in/above Compute Cabinets/ quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity	Panels in Management Cabinets quantity
Unshielded Discrete Distribution Module Panel, Cat 6, Coupler, 1U, 48-port, Black	CPP-6-UDDM-CPLR-1U-48	760258687	32	5	6
Coupler, RJ45, Cat6 Unshielded, Black	CPLR-UTP-6-BK	760258688	235	235	200
GigaSPEED XL® GS8E U/UTP Patch Cord, Cat.6, Plenum, for panel-to-panel connections		CA133P2	235		100
or			or		or
GigaSPEED XL® GS8E U/UTP Patch Cord, Cat.6, LSZH, for panel-to-panel connections		CPP3392	235		100
Copper MINo6 Cat.6 patch cord, LSZH/Riser, for equipment connection		C0166S2	235	235	Appr. 200

Notes:

- The fiber used to connect the Out-of-Band to InBand networks (see blue box) are covered in the InBand section of this document
- All quantities are estimations based on NVIDIA documents and CommScope assumptions

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Product	Material ID	Management Cabinets 1	Management Cabinets 2	Management Cabinets 3	Management Cabinets 4	Management Cabinets 5	Each of the 32 Compute Cabs
Overlength storage, 4U	<u>1671711-1</u>	3	3	3	3	2	
Cable Manager 1U	1671495-1	6	6	6	4	2	
Cable Manager 4U	1671495-4	4	4	4	16	8	2
Cable Manager 6U	1671495-6	8	8	8		6	
Filler/Blank Panel, 1U x 19", Solid, Black	760162065	10	9	9	11	10	
1U Patch cords Management	760038240	1	1	1	1		2

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