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## Distributed Split Architecture Guide



Whether your deployment is centralized split, distributed split, or optical tap, you can count on our fiber-to-the-home expertise. Distributed split (DS) architectures are gaining popularity in the United States based on widespread success in Latin America and Europe. By distributing or cascading splits in two or more field locations, the physical volume of products in the field can shrink in size as the ports at each location are shared until the last access point is reached. We've compiled the most commonly used preconnectorized products for distributed split. This document outlines two methods of deploying the distribution portion of the network depending on the level of connectivity used.

Our broad portfolio of products addresses your specific challenges from speed of deployment, labor and cost considerations, performance requirements, future-readiness, and more.

Select your options across these areas of the network:

- (A) Central Office (CO)
- (B) Feeder Cable
- (C) Fiber Distribution Hub (FDH)
- (D & E) Distribution Segment
- (F) Customer Premises

## Cost Components Comparison

### Labor Effort

Level of connectorization impacts crew & size



Full Splice



Spliced Terminals



Full Preconnectorized



### Material Cost

Level of connectorization impacts upfront cost



Full Splice

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Spliced Terminals

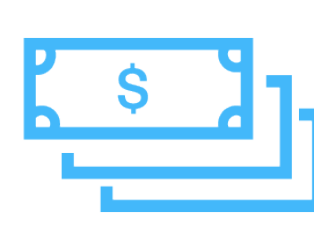
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### Total Cost

Labor effort and material cost drive total cost



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## Connectivity for the Win!

We are willing to bet on connectivity for your build. Decades of experience with connectivity have proven a wise investment for network operators around the world.

Your next deployment's fully connectorized design is on us.

Reach out to our subject matter experts to get your consultation started at [connect@corning.com](mailto:connect@corning.com)

# Distributed Split Option 1

## Spliced Terminals

The distributed split option shown on this page highlights a spliced design. Note: First layer splitters may exist in the fiber distribution hub (FDH), cabinets, or closures.

### Cost Components Comparison

#### Labor Effort

Eliminates splice events downstream of splitter cabinet



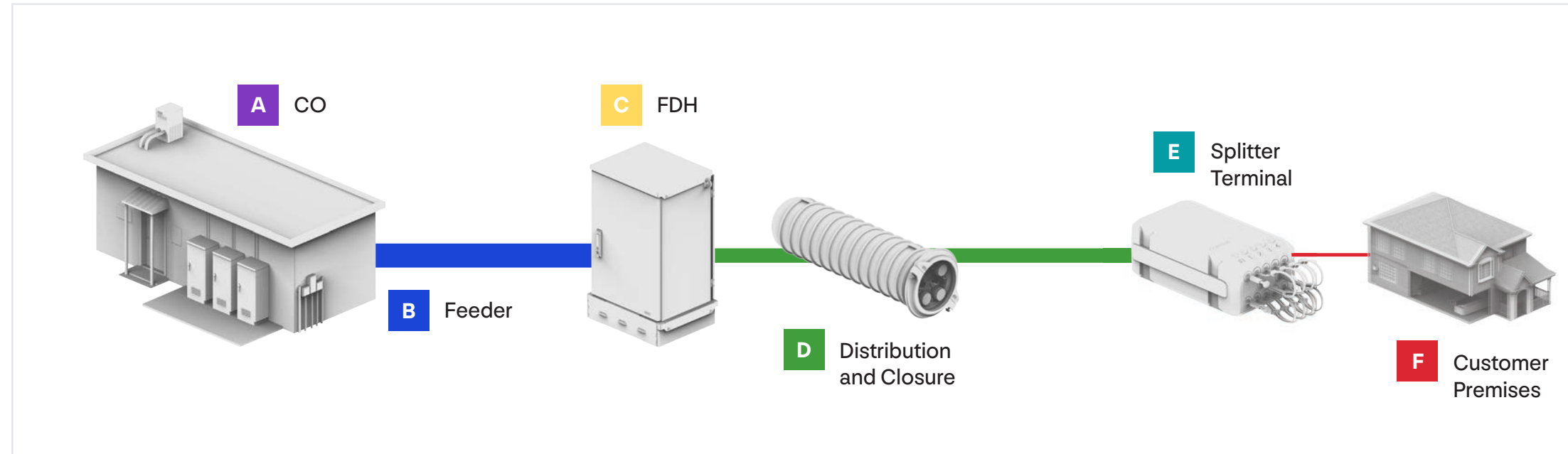
#### Material Cost

Pre-installed connectors along distribution cable increase material cost



#### Total Cost

Savings result from reduction of splice events and cable placement labor



### A Central Office (CO)



The Centrix™ hardware system is a pay-as-you-grow solution where you can choose to order fully loaded racks/frames on day one, or simply start with a cassette in a housing. The core of the solution is a single, modular cassette that can be tailored to include a variety of optical devices and can contain up to 36 LC connector adapters.

### B Feeder Cable



Whether aerial or buried, we have the fiber count, quality, and reliability your network demands. For higher fiber counts, ribbon cable may be a good option for you! For below-grade applications, consider using an armored cable. If you are looking for a solution to place in congested ducts with microducts, MiniXtend® cable may be the right fit.

### C Fiber Distribution Hub (FDH)



The Panel Access Cabinet (PAC) series provides everything necessary to manage up to 864 fibers for an outside plant FTTx application in pole- and pad-mount environments. For below-grade installations, the LCPE is designed to house five 1x32 splitters (ordered separately) with preterminated SC APC adapters.

### D Distribution Cable & Splice Closures



Depending on your deployment method and architecture type, cable attributes may vary from self-support to armored or even microduct suitable cables. In the distribution, cables chosen may or may not be identical to the feeder depending on the serving area's needs.

### E Splitter Terminals



Evolv® terminals are up to 4x smaller, significantly reducing new infrastructure pathway costs or enabling reuse of existing assets.

### F Customer Premises



Corning's drop cable portfolio and associated assemblies allow for full plug-and-play at the subscriber premises and also support field-installable terminations.

# Distributed Split Option 2

## Full Preconnectorized

The distributed split option shown on this page highlights a fully preconnectorized design leveraging FlexNAP™ single-fiber distribution cable. Note: First layer splitters may exist in the fiber distribution hub (FDH), cabinets, or closures.

### Cost Components Comparison

#### Labor Effort

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### See How GoNetspeed Deployed This Connectivity Solution.



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#### D FlexNAP™ System



The FlexNAP system utilizes optical fiber cables upon which network access points are pre-installed at customer-specified locations along the length of the cable. In this design, the FlexNAP system has single-fiber Pushlok® tethers that begin an optical tap chain of terminals.

#### E Splitter Terminals

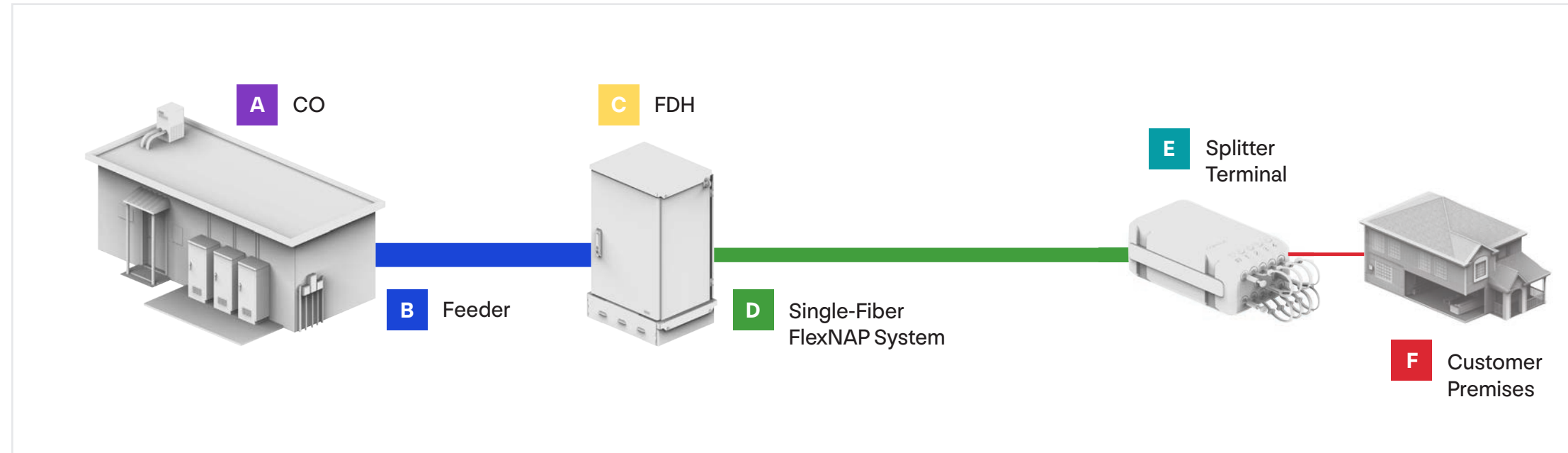


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# Product Ordering Information

A Central Office (CO)	
Part Number	Description
<b>Frame</b>	
CTX-SA-FRAME-7	Standard Rear Cable Access Frame, 7 ft
<b>Housings</b>	
CTX-S4U	Centrix™ Housing, 4U, 12 cassette positions, empty
CX4WWP36-B3-2RJ000	432F Centrix 4U Splice Housing, 36F LCA cassettes
CX4U831246C-xx002B	288F Centrix 4U Stubbed Housing, 24F SCA cassettes, 31-m stub, xx cable
<b>Cassettes</b>	
CTXCMA00-6C-SP8102	Centrix Splitter Cassette, 1x2 splitter, SC APC,
CTXCMA00-B3-SP1132	Centrix Splitter Cassette, 1x32 splitter, LC APC
CTX360236A9-D9893B	Centrix Stubbed Cassette, 36 LCU to 3 MTP®, 2 m
CTXOPP24-6C-2RH000	Centrix Pigtail Cassette, 24 SC APC
CTXCA36-B3B	Centrix Patch Cassette, 36 LC APC
<b>Jumpers</b>	
444401G3116004M	Jumper, SC APC to SC APC, 4-m long, 1.6-mm OD
585801G3116004M	Jumper, SC UPC to SC UPC, 4-m long, 1.6-mm OD
222201G3116004M	Jumper, LC APC to LC APC, 4-m long, 1.6-mm OD
020201G3116004M	Jumper, LC UPC to LC UPC, 4-m long, 1.6-mm OD

B Feeder Cable	
Part Number	Description
<b>Ribbon Cables</b>	
xxxZC5-14100D53	SST-Ribbon™ Armored Cable (144-864 fibers)
xxxEC4-14100D53	SST-Ribbon All-Dielectric, Non-Armored (012-216 fibers)
xxxEV4-14100D53	SST-UltraRibbon™ All-Dielectric, Non-Armored (288-864 fibers)
xxxEV4-44101D53	RPX® All-Dielectric Self-Supporting Cable (024-144 fibers)
<b>Loose Tube Cables</b>	
xxxZU4-T4F22D20	ALTOS® Loose Tube Cable (012-288 fibers)
xxxZUC-T4F22D20	ALTOS Lite Single-Jacket, Armored (012-288 fibers)
<b>Microduct Cables</b>	
xxxZM4-T4F22A20	MiniXtend® Cable (012-144 fibers)
xxxZH4-Y4F40A20	MiniXtend HD Cable (144-288 fibers)
xxxZH4-S4F40A20	MiniXtend HD Cable (288-432 fibers)

C Fiber Distribution Hub (FDH)	
Part Number	Description
<b>Cabinets/Splice Closures</b>	
SCPP431C41E31V4S00-U	Gen III Series Cabinet, pole mount, 288 fibers, 48-fiber feeder, ribbon cable, 100-ft stubs
SDPP131UC1C31UCS00-U	Gen III Series Cabinet, pole mount, 144 fibers, 12-fiber feeder, ALTOS® armored cable, 100-ft stubs
PAG-D3DDU4SUCL6C000LXFA-U	Panel Access Cabinet, pole mount, 432 fibers, 72-fiber feeder, 72-fiber pass through, ALTOS Lite armored cable, 31-m stubs
PAG-C3CCU4SU4P6C000LXFA-U	Panel Access Cabinet, pad mount, 288 fibers, 48-fiber feeder, 48-fiber pass through, ALTOS dielectric cable, 31-m stubs
EDBS00BBS00BBS00P-U	Local Convergence Point Enclosure, 144 fibers, loose tube feeder cable, splice capable
UMR1CC6CZ6C21132	RMS Splitter, 1x32
WMR4CC6CA6C12014	LS Series Splitter Module, Dual 1x4
WMR4CC6CA6C12018	LS Series Splitter Module, Dual 1x8
XSB1DDA91A912014	LCPE Splitter Module, Dual 1x4
XSB1DDA91A911018	LCPE Splitter Module, 1x8

D Option 1: Cable & Splice Closures	
Part Number	Description
<b>Ribbon Cables</b>	
xxxZC5-14100D53	SST-Ribbon™ Armored (144-864 fibers)
xxxEC4-14100D53	SST-Ribbon Dielectric, Non-Armored (012-216 fibers)
xxxEV4-14100D53	SST-UltraRibbon™ Dielectric, Non-Armored (288-864 fibers)
<b>Loose Tube Cables</b>	
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D Option 1: Cable & Splice Closures (continued)	
Part Number	Description
<b>Splice/Splitter Closures</b>	
FDC-08M-G-NON-01Q-A-00-U	Fiber Dome Closure, 8 S12 ports, 1 2543-D-XSB tray, 4 single fusion splice holder (48 SF), 2 RF splice holder (144 RF), 1 ground, 2 trays max
FDC-08S-G-NON-01R-A-00-U	Fiber Dome Closure, 8 S12 ports, 1 2543-D tray, 8 single fusion splice holder (96 SF), 4 RF splice holder (288 RF), 1 ground, 2 trays max
SCA-9T24-LRS-U	SCA Aerial Terminal, SNAP-9T24, standard end caps, direct fusion splicing, 16 drop ports
BPEO-S15-AMX-U	BPEO Splice Closure Size 1.5, MiniXtend
BPEO-SPS-1-PLS-1A04-BZZC2	BPEO Splitter Tray, 5 mm, 1x4, unconnectorized
BPEO-SPS-1-PLS-1A08-BZZC2	BPEO Splitter Tray, 5 mm, 1x8, unconnectorized

D Option 2: FlexNAP™ System	
Part Number	Description
<b>FlexNAP Trunk Cables</b>	
FNAP-CBL-xxxEU4	FlexNAP Distribution Trunk Cable, ALTOS loose tube cable, dielectric, xxx fibers (012-432 fibers)
FNAP-CBL-xxxEUC	FlexNAP Distribution Trunk Cable, ALTOS loose tube cable, armored, xxx fibers (012-432 fibers)
<b>FlexNAP Tether Attachment Points</b>	
FSD4AxxD1TN010F	FlexNAP Tether Attachment Point, ALTOS loose tube cable, dielectric, Pushlok® connector, aerial, xx tether count (01 = single tether or 02 = dual tether)
FSD4CxxD1RN015F	FlexNAP Tether Attachment Point, ALTOS loose tube cable, dielectric, low-profile (up to 72-fiber only), below-grade, xx tether count (01 = single tether or 02 = dual tether)
FSDCAxxD1RN015F	FlexNAP Tether Attachment Point, ALTOS loose tube cable, armored, Pushlok connector, below-grade, xx tether count (01 = single tether or 02 = dual tether)
<b>Tether Extenders</b>	
D1D101EB49RxxF-P-U	Pushlok ROC™ Drop Cable, Jumper, dielectric, xxx feet
D1D101EB19RxxF-P-U	Pushlok ROC Drop Cable, Jumper, toneable, xxx feet
<b>1-Fiber Pushlok Adapter</b>	
Adapter-Pushlok-SF	1F to 1F Adapter

E Splitter Terminals	
Part Number	Description
<b>Terminals</b>	
DSH2F100D1NCO00SOP-U	Evolv® Splitter Terminal, unstubbed, 1x2 splitter
DSH4F100D1NCO00SOP-U	Evolv Splitter Terminal, unstubbed, 1x4 splitter
DSF8F100D1NCO00SOP-U	Evolv Splitter Terminal, unstubbed, 1x8 splitter

F Customer Premises	
Part Number	Description
<b>Drops</b>	
OOD101EB49RxxF-P-U	ROC Drop Cable, Pushlok to Pigtail, dielectric, xxx feet
OOD101EB19RxxF-P-U	ROC Drop Cable, Pushlok to Pigtail, toneable, xxx feet
D14401EB4R3xxF-P-U	ROC Drop Cable, Pushlok to SC, dielectric, xxx feet
D14401EB1R3xxF-P-U	ROC Drop Cable, Pushlok to SC, toneable, xxx feet
OOD101UB4JRxxF-P-U	Round ROC Drop Cable, below-grade jetting/duct, Pushlok to pigtail, xxx feet
<b>Field-Installable Connectors</b>	
OSNP-SCA-900-Z	OptiSnap® Field-Installable Connector, SC APC, Qty 25
NPCP-SCA-48	NPC+ (No Polish Connector), field-installable SC APC, compatible with 250 µm and 900 µm fiber, no toolkit required, package of 48 connectors
TKT-OPTISNAP-CF	OptiSnap Connector Installation Toolkit with flat cleaver (FBC-009), fiber prep and cleaning supplies, gray case
TKT-NPCP-FBC007	FBC-007 precision cleaver plus accessories for NPC+
<b>Fiber Transition Housing</b>	
FTH-602-A1100-U	Fiber Transition Housing, 1 SC APC simplex adapter, ground post for toning, hex security screw, 3-m slack storage
FTH-602-A0100-U	Fiber Transition Housing, 1 SC APC simplex adapter, hex security screw, 3-m slack storage

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