

Miniflex[®] Zipper Tool

Installation Instruction



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Overview

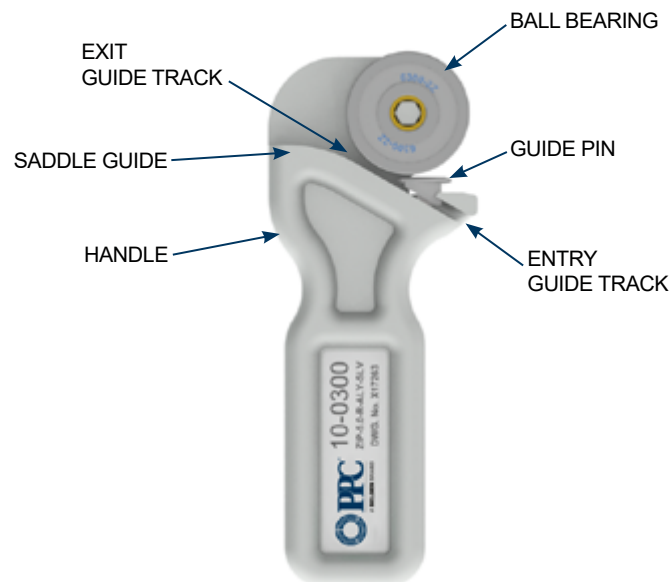
Zipper Tool:

- Application tool permits retrofitting of Optical Fibre Protection Tube (OFPT) onto Miniflex[®] fiber cables manually.
- Accommodates pre-terminated fiber cables.
- Three individual tool sizes for OFPT: 4.0mm, 5.0mm & 6.35mm (0.25").

Zipper Tool Ordering Codes

| OFPT Size (OD) | PPC Part Number |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 4.0 MM | 10-0302 |
| 5.0 MM | 10-0300 |
| 6.35 MM (0.25") | 10-0301 |

Features of Zipper Tool



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Step 1

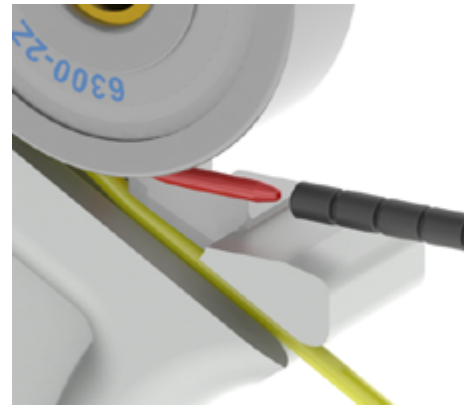
Place the fiber cable inside the guide track with the connectorized end facing away toward the upper left corner of the tool.



Step 2

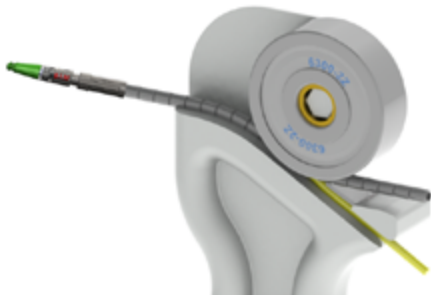
Position the OFPT onto the guide pin with the slit pointing downward.

Push the OFPT over the guide pin to induce the opening of the slit.



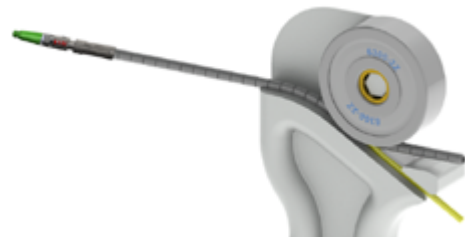
Step 3

The guide pin will force the OFPT to open and accept the cable. Continue pushing until the OFPT reaches the base of the connector, then push both the cable and OFPT until you are able to pull it through the zipper tool.



Step 4

Pull the installed end through the zipper tool over the curved saddle to guide the movement. The OFPT will continue to be zipped onto the cable.



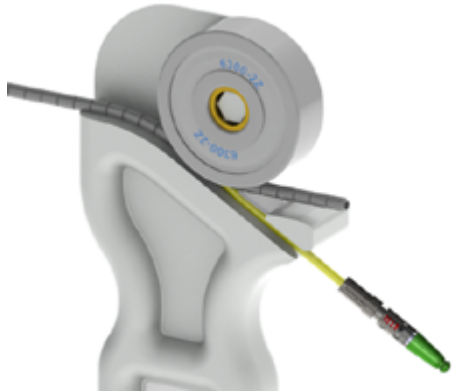
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Step 5

When the OFPT is fully installed onto the cable, cut the OFPT to its desired length with a tube cutter and remove the cable assembly from the zipper tool.



Step 6

Push the remaining OFPT onto the cable to complete the installation.



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