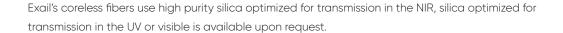
SPECIALTY OPTICAL FIBER

IXF-CORELESS Series

Coreless Fibers

Exail offers coreless fibers made of high-purity silica. Coreless fibers are pure silica glass rods with an acrylate coating for example used to terminate fiber end faces, either to reduce the power density, reduce back reflections, or manufacture micro-optics. In the case of micro-structured photonic crystal fibers, coreless fibers are used to seal and protect the microstructure.





Benefits & Features

- · Excellent diameter accuracy
- · Wide range of diameter, other diameters upon request
- Other coatings such as low-index acrylate are available upon request

Applications

- · Beam expansion to reduce the power density
- Seal and protect photonic crystal fibers
- · Micro-optics
- · Reduce back-reflection



Correles fiber



IXF-CORELESS Series TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameters

P/N: IXF-CORELESS-	80	125	200	225	250	300			
Silica refractive index @ 1550 nm	1.4440								
Silica refractive index @ 1060 nm	1.4497								
Silica refractive index @ 633 nm	1.4570								
Cladding diameter (µm)	80 ±1	125 ± 1	200 ± 2	225± 2	250 ± 2	300 ± 2			
Coating diameter (µm)	170 ±15	245 ± 15	350 ± 15	355 ± 15	360 ± 15	375 ± 15			

Design Parameters

Coating material						
Operating temperature range (°C)	-60 / +85					
Proof test level (kpsi)	100	100	50	50	50	50

