How are hybrid optical cables spliced



Overview

The two optical fibers of the main cable must be spliced crosswise with the optical fibers of the pigtail cord. As a best practice, fusion splice the optical fibers of the same color at the switch side, and fusion splice the optical fibers of different colors at the powered device. It is technically possible to have a separate fiber and electrical cable, but it adds complexity, cost, and maintenance overhead. A hybrid copper-fiber cable connects a switch and a powered device, for example, an AP for AC power supply and optical fiber. A hybrid cable incorporates optical fibers and copper wires within the same jacket, and can supply power to devices while transmitting data. On campus networks, hybrid cables are typically used to connect access switches and WLAN APs, so that the access switches can supply PoE power to the APs. A hybrid copper-fiber cable is a cable that integrates optical fibers and conductive copper wires. Figure9-1 shows the structure of a hybrid copper-fiber cable.

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