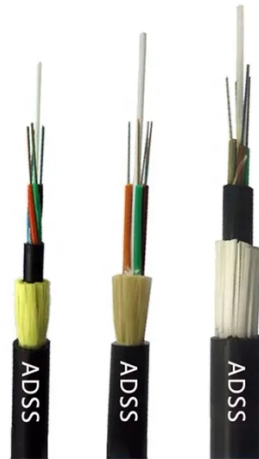


Detection distance of fiber optic sensor



AI Overview

Fiber optic sensors can detect distances ranging from nanometers to tens of kilometers, depending on the sensor type and measurement technique. Overview of Fiber Optic Distance Sensing Fiber optic sensors measure distance by analyzing changes in light signals transmitted through optical fibers. These changes can include light intensity, phase, wavelength, or time-of-flight alterations caused by environmental interactions or reflections from objects. The sensors are highly versatile, offering non-contact measurement, immunity to electromagnetic interference, and long-distance signal transmission.

Types of Fiber Optic Distance Sensors

- Proximity and Reflective Sensors** These sensors detect objects by measuring the intensity of reflected light. They are suitable for short to medium ranges, typically from a few millimeters up to several meters, depending on the fiber and light source used.
- Interferometric Sensors** Using interference patterns of split light beams, these sensors achieve nanometer to micrometer resolution over short distances, often up to 1 meter, making them ideal for precision manufacturing and micro-positioning applications.
- Optical Time-Domain Reflectometry (OTDR)** OTDR-based sensors send light pulses along the fiber and measure the time delay of backscattered or reflected light. This method allows long-range distance detection, from hundreds of meters to tens of kilometers, commonly used in structural health monitoring, pipeline inspection, and telecommunications.
- Distributed Sensing Techniques** like Brillouin or Rayleigh scattering enable continuous monitoring along the entire fiber length, allowing detection of strain, temperature, or displacement over kilometer-scale distances.

Factors Affecting Detection Range

- Fiber type:** Single-mode fibers support longer distances than multimode fibers due to lower signal attenuation.
- Light source power:** Higher-intensity lasers extend the measurable range.
- Environmental conditions:** Temperature, vibration, and chemical exposure can influence signal qua...

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