

# The high-rise building has several fiber optic splitters



## Overview

FTTB is a fiber optic deployment architecture where high-speed fiber cables extend from an internet service provider's main network directly to the entry point or telecommunications room of a multi-unit building, such as an apartment complex, office building, or shopping center. This guide focuses on two critical aspects of optical splitters that define FTTH performance: split ratios (how signals are divided) and splitting architectures (how splitters are deployed). By understanding these elements, network operators can design PON (Passive Optical Network) systems that. The FTTH network is divided into three parts: the central office OLT, the passive optical network (ODN), and the terminal (ONU). The utilization rate of the PON optical port is determined by the. According to the Broadband Forum, PLC splitters are essential for achieving scalable and cost-effective GPON and XGS-PON deployment in access networks. In this guide, you'll learn how fiber splitters function in PON networks, the difference between PLC and FBT types, and how to choose the best. In a recent FBA 101 Series article, FBA defined several splitter architectures. The centralized approach uses single-stage splitters located in a central hub in a star topology.

## Article Content

Do You Know How to Place and Use the Optical Splitter?

Optical cables can be routed from various sources, including first-level optical crossover boxes, second-level optical crossover boxes, or optical fiber splitter boxes. This method suits ...

White Paper: FTTH architecture overview

Splitter placement and split ratios strongly impact the location and amount of fiber required, and hence the cost of deployment. This is followed by a brief discussion of several designs.

Optical Splitters: Split Ratios, Splitting Architectures & PON Network ...

By dividing a single optical signal from a central Optical Line Terminal (OLT) into multiple outputs for Optical Network Terminals (ONTs) at users' homes, splitters eliminate the need for ...

What are FTTH splitters and how do they work?

Fiber to the Home (FTTH) has emerged as the prime solution for delivering high-speed broadband connectivity to end-users. At the heart of this network architecture are optical splitters. ...

How to Maximize the Use of Optical Splitters in FTTH Network ...

When building an FTTH network, we should fully consider how to maximize the use of optical splitters in FTTH network construction. Here are some methods.

Introduction to Passive Optical Network Splitter Architectures

In a recent FBA 101 Series article, FBA defined several splitter architectures. This article aims to summarize the pros and cons of each architecture. Due to the wide range of deployment ...

Optical Splitters

You use splitters in the field to allow you to share a single backbone fiber among up to 32 houses. You would rarely use a 1-32 splitter (maybe in a multiple unit building), and instead cascade the splitters ...

The FOA Reference For Fiber Optics

It's designed to operate over a standard telco PON (passive optical network) fiber architecture with short fiber lengths and including the losses of a FTTH PON splitter.

Fiber Optic Splitters for PON Networks: 2025 Guide

In this guide, you'll learn how fiber splitters function in PON networks, the difference between PLC and FBT types, and how to choose the best model for your rollout in 2025.

## Fiber to the Building (FTTB) 2026

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