

Actual Cost Measurement of Drop Fiber Optic Cable Laying



Overview

Fiber optic installation for a commercial building runs about \$1 to \$6 per linear foot for interior labor and materials, or \$300 to \$800 per fiber drop installed for a typical office run. Whole-building projects with 100 to 200 drops generally land between \$15,000 and \$30,000. The main cost drivers are trench depth, fiber count and type (single-mode vs multi-mode), conduit requirements, and local permitting rules. Adding switches, high-end enclosures and other issues can also. phic and construction scenarios. Survey results will be anonymized and aggregated in a published report (expected December 2024), with the goal of providing the fiber industry with reliable and accurate cost benchmarking-out to a full city expansion. This guide presents cost ranges.



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