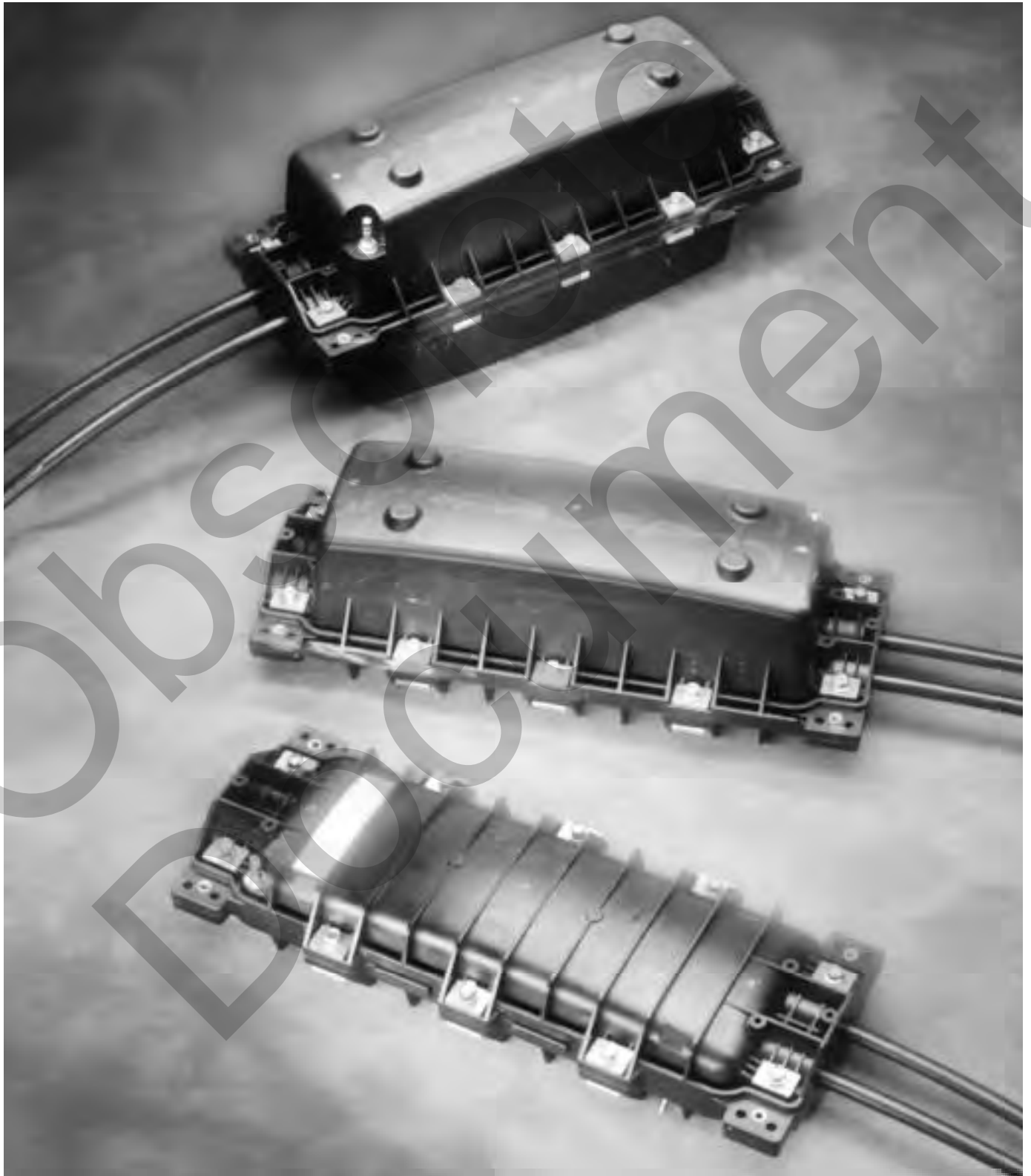


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2178-ML/S Series Fiber Optic Splice Case Systems



The 3M™ 2178 Fiber Optic Splice Case family has always given you great protection for fiber optic connections. Now, the addition of 3M™ 2178-ML/S Series Fiber Optic Splice Cases adds more capabilities to the family.

More chemical-resistant

The 2178-ML/S Splice cases consist of a tough chemical-resistant material and a new gasket seal that make them the ideal splice case for outside plant, underground, aerial, pedestal and direct buried applications.

Meets your changing network needs

The 2178-ML/S series is designed with larger and smaller interchangeable closure halves so you can select the size case that meets your needs today, but with the flexibility to expand for the future. Cable ports and space for trays can be added at reentry with the 3M™ 2181-ML/S Cable Addition Kit.

The ease of installation is unsurpassed, requiring no special tools or complicated training procedures. The closures are easily reenterable to allow access to the splices.

The ultimate protection for fiber optic connections

The 2178-ML/S series feature a tough, rigid non-filled case, tested under real-world conditions, that stands up to even the most severe conditions of moisture, vibration and extreme temperatures. The closure will withstand up to 200 pounds (90.7 kg) compression.

Design elements of the 2178-ML/S series include changes to improve the cable strain relief and a movable tray support. The closures hold cables of varying sizes and provide flexibility to add ports on both ends with the cable addition kit.

Features	Benefits
Constructed of a highly chemical-resistant material	Use in buried applications
Gasket seal	Easy reentry and reusable seal
Unique strength member clamp assembly	Prevents cable sheath movement with temperature changes
Several sizes with interchangeable parts	Expandable system to fit capacity and space requirements
Multiple cable entry options	Butt or in-line configuration for splicing
No special tools required	Easy installation and reentry
Non-filled closure	No compound required; easier reentry
Includes External Ground Isolation Kit	Isolated grounding capability
Pressurization Valve	Provides ability to flash test
Varying cable port sizes	Accommodates all common trunk and feeder cable sizes
Expandable from two cable entries per end up to eight	Add cable with minimum disturbance; eliminates splice rebuilding when adding lines



3M™ 2178-S case mounted on strand.

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Gasket Kit

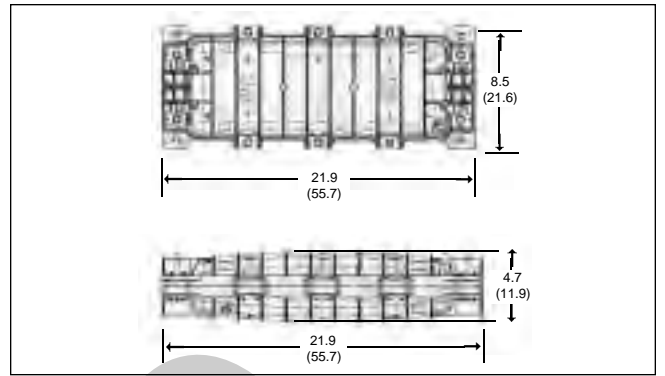
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2178-MS Fiber Optic Splice Case



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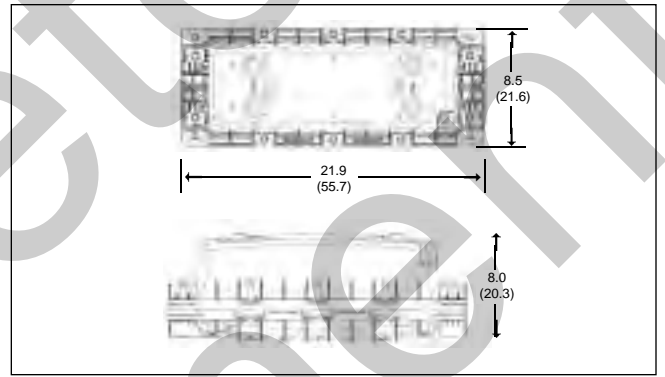
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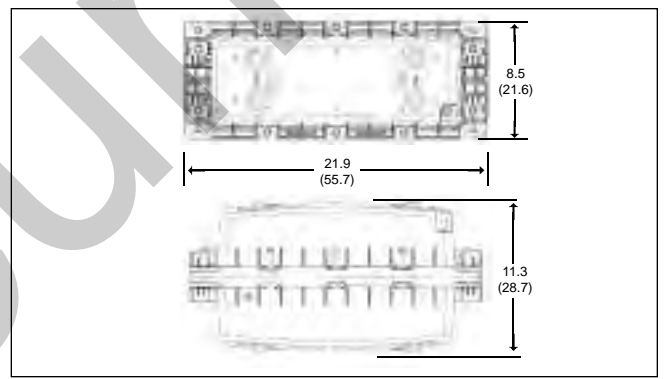
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2181-ML Cable Addition Kit
(Gasket is factory installed.)

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2198/2199 Mounting Brackets

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External Grounding Insert Kit

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Tray Supports

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3M™ 2178-ML/S Series Splice Case System Ordering Information

3M™ 2178-ML/S Series Splice Case System

Product	Description	Packaging	Min. Order
2178-MS	Splice case; small cover, small base, for low fiber count. Includes sealing gasket and 2 external ground units (EGI Kit)	1 kit/case	1 kit
2178-MLS	Splice case; large cover, small base, for high fiber count. Includes sealing gasket and 2 external ground units (EGI Kit)	1 kit/case	1 kit
2178-MLL	Splice case; large cover, large base, for high fiber count with additional base storage for buffer tubes. Includes sealing gasket and 2 external ground units (EGI Kit)	1 kit/case	1 kit
2181-MLS	Cable Addition Kit for adding 2 additional cable entry ports to each end of a 2178-MS, MLS, or MLL splice case. Includes sealing gasket and 2 external ground units (EGI Kit)	1 kit/case	1 kit

3M™ 2178-MLS Series Splice Case Accessories

2172	Strength Member Clamp for fiber cable clamps strength member to cable sheath	100/case	100 each
2178-EGI	External Ground Isolation Kit	5/case	5 each
2178-LS / GSKT	Gasket for 2178-ML/S Series Fiber Optic Splice Cases	10/case	10 each
2178-LTS	Tray Support for Large Cover applications. Tray is raised to allow additional buffer storage in base.	4/case	4 each
2178-STS	Tray Support for Small Cover applications. Tray is flat to allow maximum tray storage area.	1/case	4 each
2178-LTOP	Large Cover. Converts a 2178-MS to a 2178-MLS when additional tray space is needed after initial installation	1/case	1 each
2181-B Fiber Optic Double Butt Adapter Kit	Contains bolts for installation of two 2181-MLS Cable Addition Kits	1 kit/case	1 kit
2181-C Triple Adapter Kit	Contains bolts for installation of three 2181-MLS Cable Addition Kits	1 kit/case	1 kit

Mounting Hardware Accessories

2183 Universal Hanger Bracket	Hardware for aerial installation	1/case	1 kit
2198 Mounting Bracket	Hardware to mount 2178-MS or 2178-MLS to wall or pole	1 kit/case	1 kit
2199 Mounting Bracket	Hardware to mount 2199-MLL to wall	1 kit/case	1 kit
Scotchlok™ 4460-D/FO Shield Bond Connector Assembly	Provides grounding and strength member clamp	100/case	100 each

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