

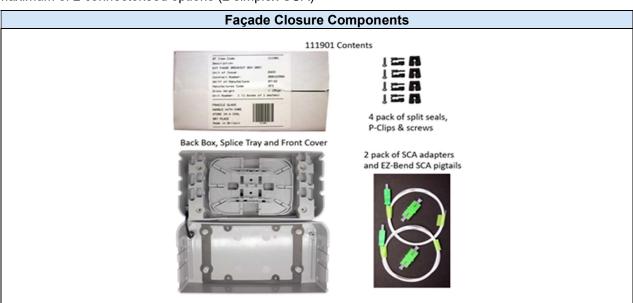
Façade Closure Installation Guide

The Façade Closure (Item Code 111901) is an external fibre distribution closure, that provides storage for a continuous feeder cable and up to 4 output cables

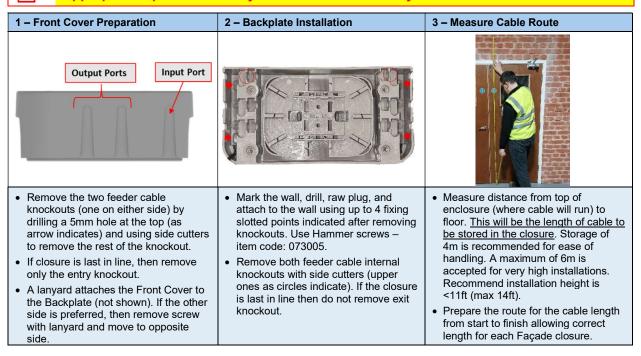
The closure stores a measured length of feeder cable, enabling it to be located at height, typically above covered walkway, MDUs and shop fronts. The recommended stored feeder cable length is 4m although, up to 6m is accepted for very high installations. Always check the working height prior to routing the correct length of cable.

At the point of installation of the Façade closure, <u>all</u> fibres required for drop in the closure should be connected at this time where feasible to avoid difficulties of post installation routing.

The output/drop cable(s) can either be spliced (maximum of 6 splices) directly to the feeder cable or via a maximum of 2 connectorised options (2 simplex SCA)



Appropriate Openreach Safety Procedures MUST always be followed



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4 - Measure Cable Route

 Run the cable typically in between brickwork or in an area where the cable will be safe and aesthetically pleasing.

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- From start; cleat cable to wall and upon reaching Façade closure, place final cleat approximately 50mm away from the entry port.
- · Approved Fire Proof Cleats:
 - o 110688: 3mm (White)
 - o 110689: 3mm (Black)
 - 110690: 4mm (White)110691: 4mm (Black)

6 - Insert Entry P Clip



• Place the first 'P' Clip over the entry side of the feeder cable.

7 - Entry P Clip & Split Seal Install



Slide on the split seal over the feeder cable

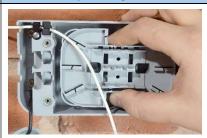
• Insert both the P clip and split seal in backplate as shown.

8 - Secure Entry P Clip



Insert clamping screw in P Clip and tighten.

9 - Remove Splice Tray



- · Remove the Splice Tray.
 - o Grip as shown.
 - \circ Push the tray to the left.
 - o Tilt up the left hand side of the tray
 - $_{\odot}$ Slide to the right
 - $_{\odot}$ Tilt up the right hand side
 - o Remove

10 - Feeder Cable Length



• Indicate the direction of traffic flow with arrows in the backbox.

 Using a tape measure, mark out the feeder cable length measured in point 3 above. Mark the distance with tape or reflective pen on the cable.
Measure from the inside of the entry seal the correct length.

11 - Feeder Cable Length



 Using a tape measure, mark out the final feeder cable distance measured with tape or reflective pen on the cable.

12 - Feeder Cable Length



 Wrap the marked length around the outside of the tray mandrel so the tape or reflective pen are on the inside of the second seal position.

• Push the tray back in to hold the cable.



13 - Insert Exit P Clip



- Place the second 'P' Clip over the exit side of the feeder cable.
- ** Note ** -> if the closure is the last in line then points 13, 14 and 15 will have no cable but fit the seal and P-Clip without cable. Tie a knot at the end of the cable to prevent fibre slippage during extraction.

14 - Exit P Clip & Split Seal Install



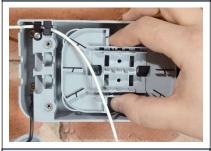
- Slide on the split seal over the exit side of the feeder cable
- Insert both the P clip and split seal in backplate as shown.

15 - Secure Exit P Clip



- Insert clamping screw in P Clip and tighten.
- Ensure measured length as marked is inside the split seal.
- Move onto subsequent closures.

16 - Remove Adapter Tray



- Remove the adapter tray.
 - o Grip as shown.
 - o Push the tray to the left.
 - $_{\odot}$ Tilt up the left hand side of the tray
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 - $\circ \ \text{Remove}$

17 - Unwrap cable



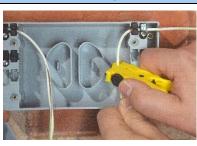
 Unwrap the cable <u>removing any twists</u> (if necessary tape to wall)

18 - Feeder Cable Preparation 1



 Using 'Adjustable Ring and Slit Stripping Tool for BFT Interception (Yellow Peg) 112794', cut a 50-100mm (2-4") window approximately 50mm from the Entry P Clip

19 - Feeder Cable Preparation 2



 Now cut a 100mm (4") window approximately 50mm from the Exit P Clip

Note: If the cable length is greater than 3m, then intermediate cuts can be made to aid the fibre extraction.

20 - Fibre/Bundle Identification



- Carefully expose the fibres in the window that is at the <u>furthest</u> side from the traffic flow as indicated by the arrows on the back box.
- Note: in 12f there is one bundle, in 24f there are two bundles identified by a BLUE and ORANGE binder.
- Select the correct binder if 24f

21 - Fibre Identification



- 12f: Carefully select the correct fibre(s) from the sheath.
- 24f: Carefully select the fibre(s) from the CORRECT coloured binding cord around each 12f bundle
- · Cut the fibre(s) as required



22 – Pullback Fibre(s) 23 – Spiral Wrap Over Window Cuts

24 - Rewrap Cable length







- At the non-cut end, open the jacket and gently pull back the cut fibre(s) from the sheath
- If intermediate cuts have been made, pull the fibre through to this window first. Pull to second window afterwards
- Keep the exposed/cut fibres to one side
- To protect the fibres in the cut windows firstly squeeze the fibres back into the jacket.
- Use some spiral wrap (element support tube 3A - item code 008121): at each window cut to cover.
- Rewrap the cable in the rear of the unit ensuring that the exposed fibres are kept to the side.
- Drop the exposed fibres into the adapter tray and wrap neatly.
- When the cable is sitting tidily, use a cable tie at each corner of the adapter tray to secure the feeder cable.

25 - Rewrap Cable length

26 - Pigtail Installation

27 - Secure Drop P Clips and Seals





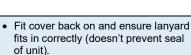


- Rewrap the cable in the rear of the unit ensuring that the exposed fibres are kept to the side.
- Drop the exposed fibres into the adapter tray and wrap neatly.
- Optional: Use a cable tie at each corner of the splice tray to secure the feeder cable.
- Insert the 2 * SCA adapters in their retaining slots provided
- Drop the fibres from the tray and cut the supplied EZ-Bend connectorised pigtail to length
- Splice on the pigtail(s) and insert in adapter with correct orientation
- For the future customer connect installation insert clamping screw in P Clips and fit seals in drop positions (indicated) and tighten.

28 - Front Cover Installation

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 Screw in place and closure is now prepared.