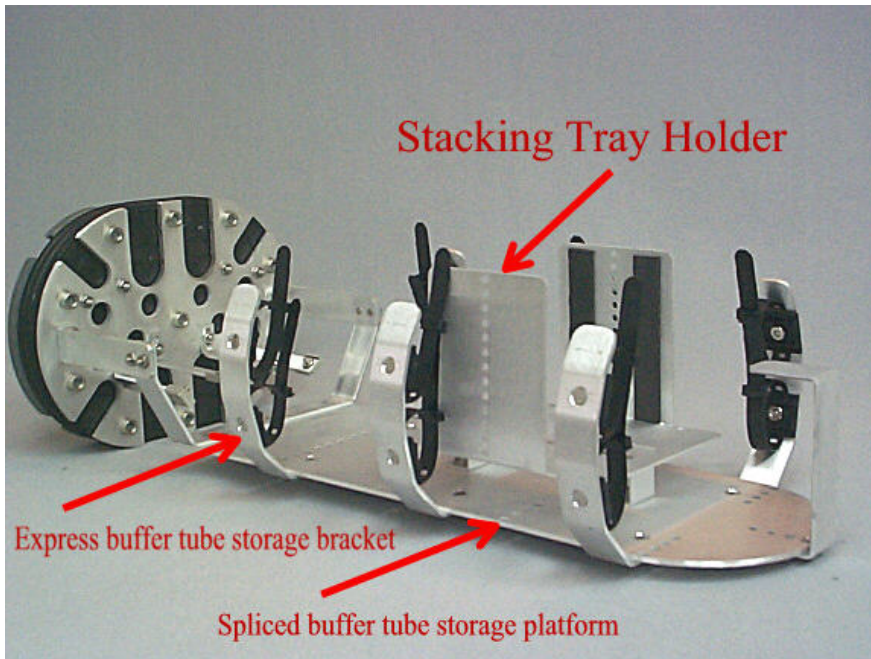


10.00-1 This section provides instructions on the installation of a 790-ES (express buffer tube storage bracket).

10.00-11 The 790-ES is used for a mid sheath application to store expressed buffer tubes. See Fig 1 for illustration of the accessory bracket installation.

FIGURE 1



10.00-12 Prepare cable per standard/local practice.

NOTE: No less than 46" of buffer tube from cable "butt" to splice tray should be exposed. Desired amount of fiber in splice tray dictates total length of buffer tube to be exposed.

Example: If 36" of fiber is desired in splice tray expose $36" + 46" = 82"$ of total buffer tube. Therefore from cable "butt" to cable "butt" a total of 164" of buffer tube must be exposed for mid sheath application.

10.00-13 Prepare and splice fibers in accordance with standard local practice. Store spliced buffer tubes on buffer tube storage platform. Store expressed buffer tubes in express storage bracket. See Fig. 2 for buffer tube storage illustration.

FIGURE 2

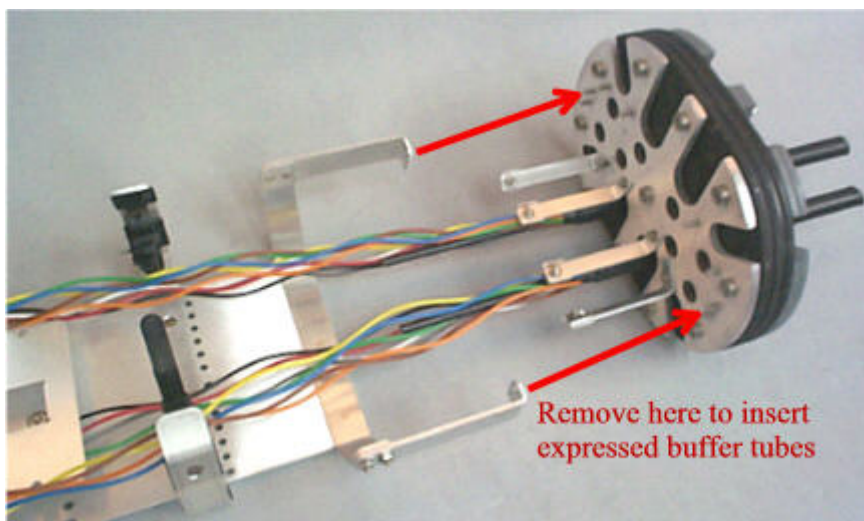


FIGURE 7

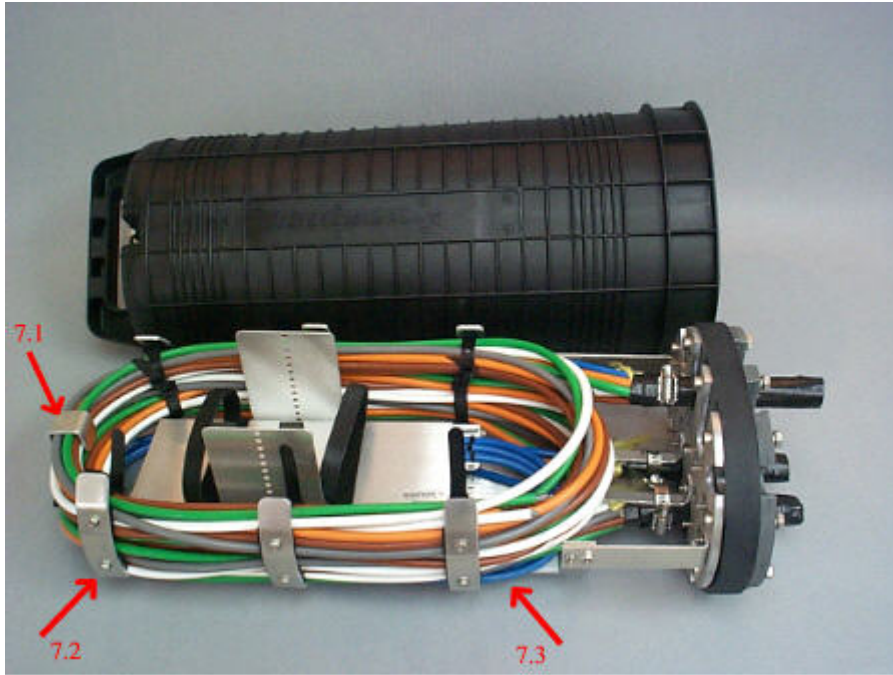


FIGURE 7 & 8: MID-SHEATH STORAGE BRACKETS FOR EXPRESS BUFFER TUBES

7.1, 8.1 express buffer tube storage

7.2, 8.2 mid-sheath storage bracket

7.3, 8.3 store spliced buffer tubes on bottom

FIGURE 8

