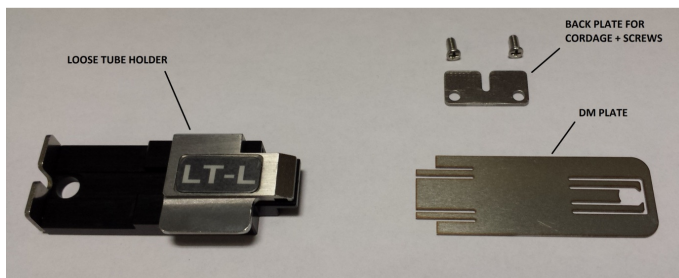


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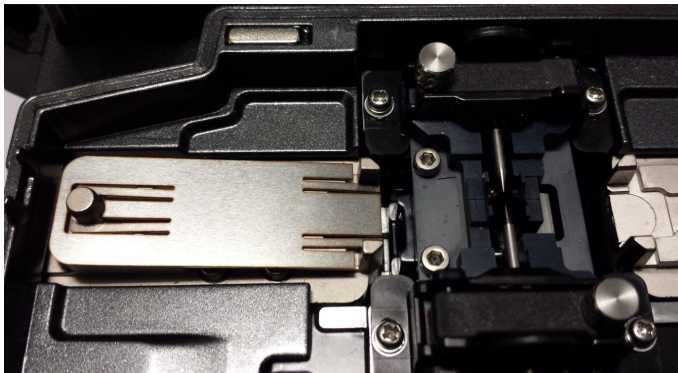
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How to use a loose-tube holder (S712S-LT)

The standard kit is composed of the following items:



- 1) Install the DM plate into the splicer



- 2) Strip the 900 coating



- 3) Strip the 250 coating (at the same place as the 900)



Note: if the 900 coating is so loose that you cannot strip the 250 coating without the 250 fibre pulling out, please proceed with step 5) before steps 2) and 3). The holder will hold the 250 fibre in place inside the 900 coating.

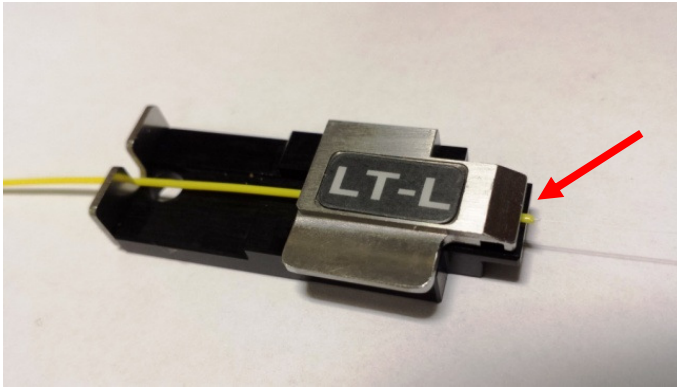
- 4) Clean the fibre

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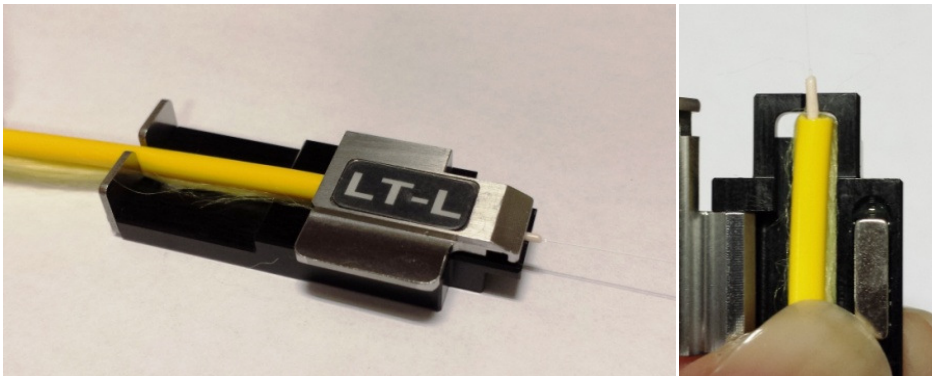
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- 5) Place the fibre into the loose tube holder, **making sure you pinch the 900 coating!**

900 loose tube fibre:

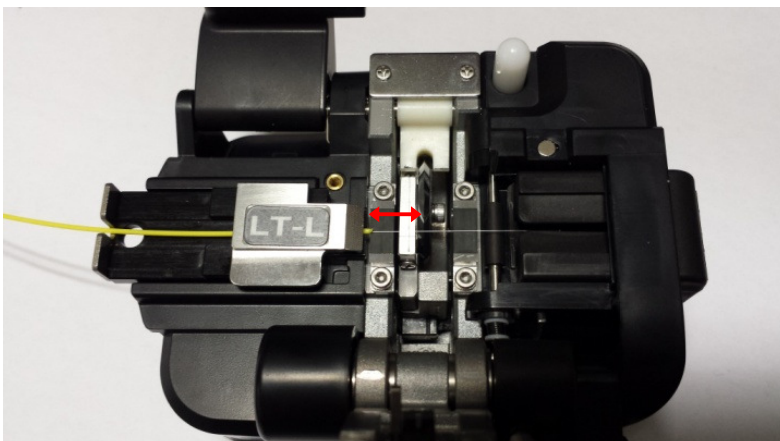


Cordage:



- 6) Place the loose tube holder in the cleaver. Make sure the end of the coating is sitting in the right position to achieve your requested cleave length. You may need to adjust the fibre in the loose tube holder

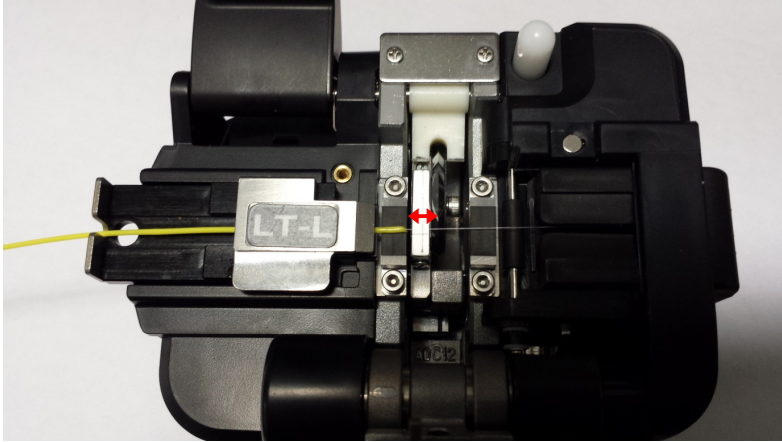
10mm cleave:



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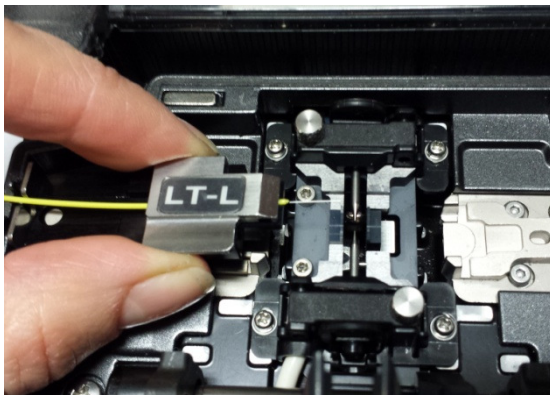
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5mm cleave:



7) Cleave the fibre

8) Insert the loose tube holder carrying the fibre into the splicer (on the DM plate)



Tip: Lower the “bottom” end of the holder into the holder carriage first so as not to bump the fibre.

9) Splice

10) Protect the splice