

# Using POF for In-House Communication

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- 1. DieMount GmbH: company, technology and products
- 2. Broadband access for IPTV, VoIP and video gaming
- 3. POF and its competitive technologies
- 4. POF cables and installation options
- 5. Proposal for local POF infrastructure



## **DieMount GmbH**

# **Quick facts DieMount**



- Founded in 2001
- 5 employees
- Business fields
  - POF data transmission systems,
  - LED illumination
  - Fiber optic sensor systems











**DieMount technology** 



- Fiber chip coupling via microstructured submounts
- POF splitters







## DieMount products



## 30m distance

### 70m distance

## Optospider<sup>™</sup> POF data communication products



## Broadband access demand





# Inhouse communication technologies



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## Shared media communication



- bandwidth reduction with every new network node
- obstacles like walls, ceilings or rf-shortcuts reduce signal and bandwidth
- mutual interference with neighbour network
- unauthorized interception



## Wired data transmission



- bandwidth for each network node is fixed and reliable
- shared medium problems do not occur





	CAT5	POF
cable diameter	5 to 6mm	1 to 2.2mm
cable termination	expert required	simple blade cut
installation time/effort	high (installation parallel to power lines not allowed)	low (installation parallel to power lines not allowed)
WAF factor	low	high

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#### "woman acceptance factor

(WAF)" is low, if the inhouse communication system installation requires massive changes in the house infrastructure.

- Large diameter wall holes,
- Brickwork slot,
- Cabel tunnel installation,





#### media converter

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- WAF is high, if the inhouse communication system installation requires nearly no changes in the house infrastructure.
- The cable is nearly unvisible,
- Cable routable on or under the wallpaper,
- Cable termination in some seconds,

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cable on wall paper	POF cable types	dimensions	jacket materials
	standard duplex black	2.2mm x 4.4mm	PE (polyethylen)
	simplex white	2.2mmØ	PE (polyethylen) or PVC (polyvenylchlorid)
	simplex transparent jacket	2.2mmØ	PE (polyethylen) or PVC (polyvenylchlorid)
	bare fiber	1mmØ	_



## **Duplex and simplex POF**



**Duplex POF:** 

- 0.37 to 0.50 €/m
- risk to mix up Tx and Rx channel



#### Simplex POF:

- 0.08 €/m (bare POF) to 0.3 €/m
- PE, PVC, PA cable material
- 1.0x1.0mm to 2.2x2.2mm cross section
- each colour and "invisible" transparent
- no preferred bending direction
- no risk to mix up Tx and Rx channel



## Summary:

# To realize the most inconspicuous POF data network in private appartments and houses simplex POF transceivers are necessary.





Ceiling level installation



- POF is installed above eye height and should be as invisible as possible, i.e. simplex POF (white) and bare fiber POF preferred.
- No around door cable trip necessary; the cable length is reduced.
- Small 3-4mm wall holes reduce cable length further.
- Bare fiber POF is protected at critical parts by miniflex cables.



## Simplex bare POF termination











- Media converters
- PCI-cards

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**SOLUTIONS** 

• Switching units for house and appartment



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#### DIEMOUNT SOLUTIONS

## Local telecom infrastructure



- Public network connection up to 100 Mbit/s
- Services: Tripleplay
  - data (internet)
  - phone (VoIP)
  - IPTV
  - digital TV fed in locally to the LAN (DVB-T, DVB-S, DVB-C)
- House net manageable due to data security requirements (extension up to 70 m)
- Home (flat) net not manageable (extension up to 30 m)



Thank you for your attention!



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