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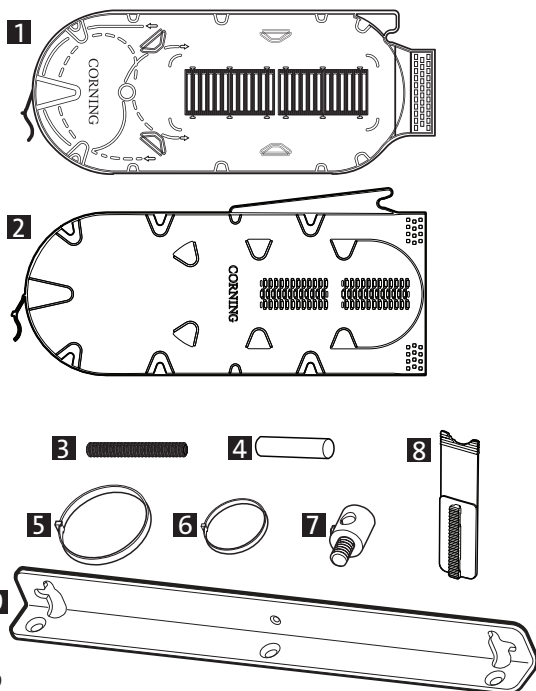
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1. General

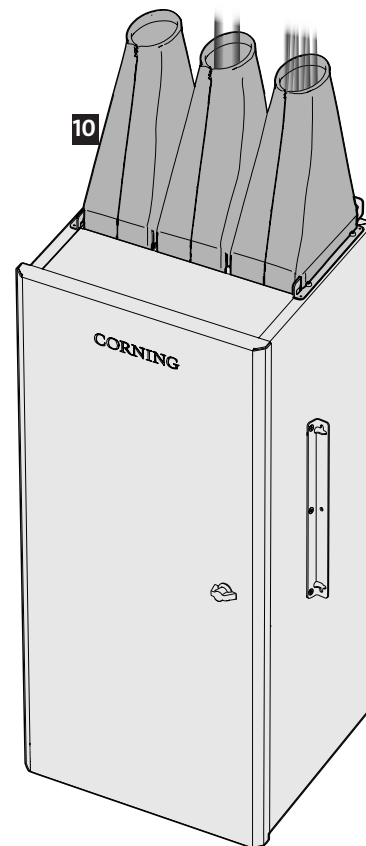
This document describes the installation of the RocketRibbon™ Extreme-Density Optical Splice Enclosure (RXD).

2. Carton Contents

- RocketRibbon™ Extreme-Density Optical Splice Enclosure (P/N RXD-OSE-1 or RXD-OSE-1L, RXD-OSE-1-HD, or RXD-OSE-1L-HD)
 - 1 (24) 288f Splice trays (RXD-OSE-1 or RXD-OSE-1L)
 - 2 (24) 576f Splice trays (RXD-OSE-1-HD, or RXD-OSE-1L-HD)
 - 3 (192) Corrugated tubing
 - 4 (192) 2-in heat-shrink tubing
 - 5 (200) 10.75-in cable ties
 - 6 (200) 4-in cable ties
 - 7 (1) Ground lug
 - 8 (54) Cable retention clips
 - 9 (2) Mounting brackets
 - 10 Mounting brackets and cable covers



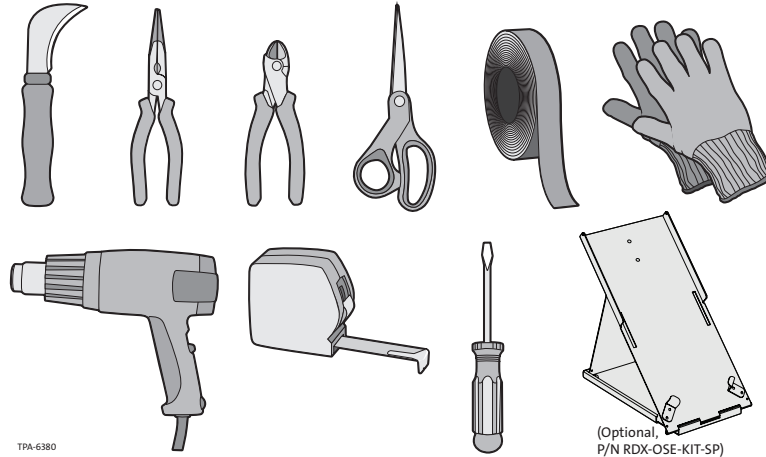
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3. Tools and Materials Required

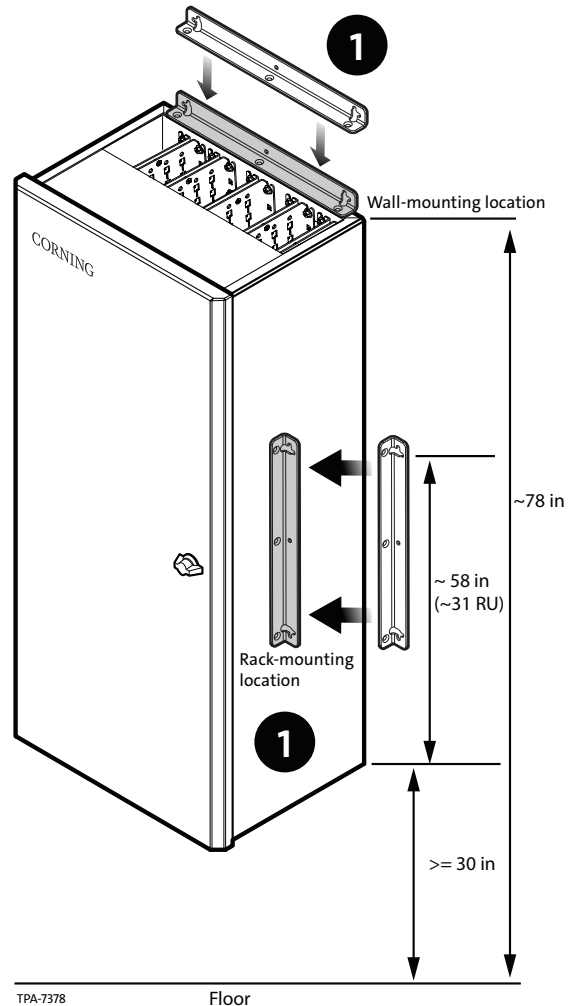
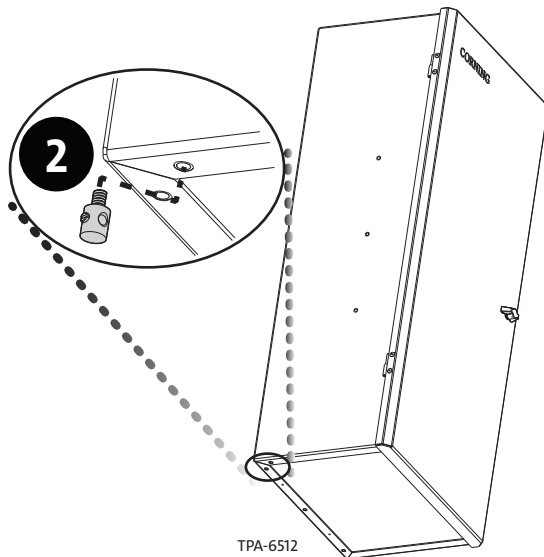
- Utility knife with hook-blade and straight blade
- Needle-nose pliers
- Diagonal cutting pliers (side cutters) (P/N 100300-01)
- Scissors (P/N 100294-01)
- Friction tape
- Gloves
- Heat gun
- Screwdriver
- Tape measure (P/N 2102003-01)
- (OPTIONAL) Service platform



4. Installation

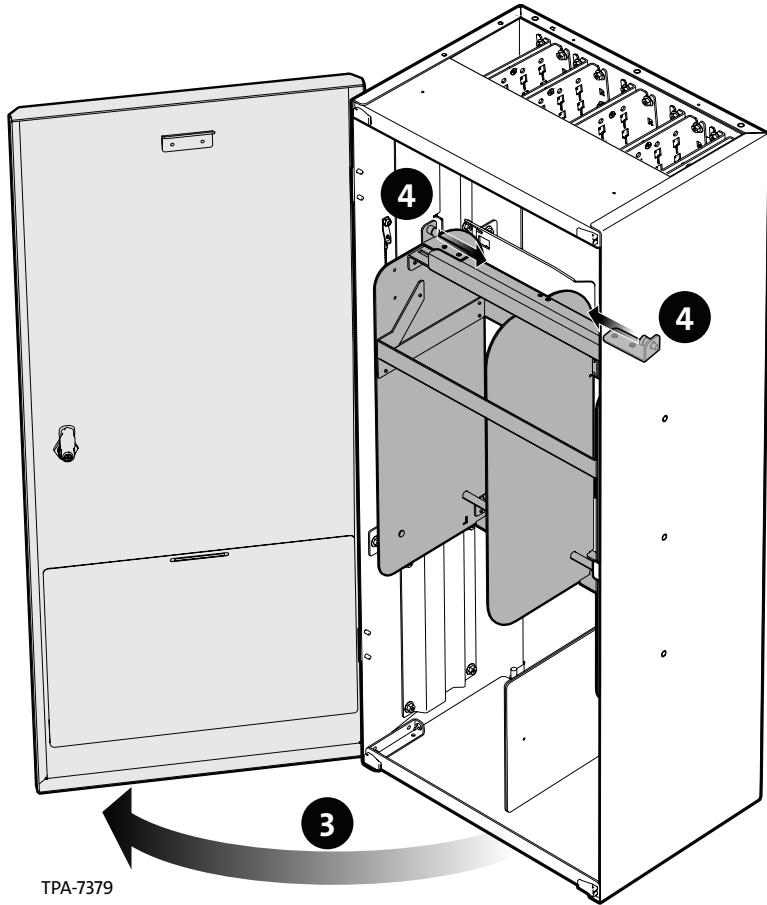
Step 1: Use one of the brackets to mark the initial mounting position, then install mounting bracket for 19-in rack or wall mounting. Mount in desired location using fasteners appropriate for the mounting surface.

Step 2: Ground the cabinet per local codes and standard company procedures.



Step 3: Rotate latch to open door.

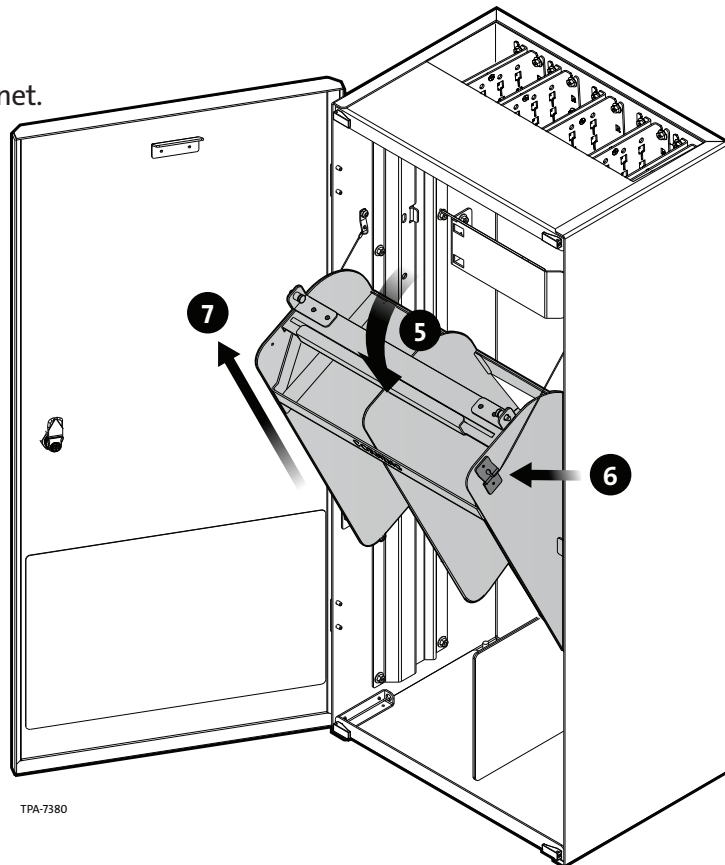
Step 4: Release plungers on each side of the tray housing.



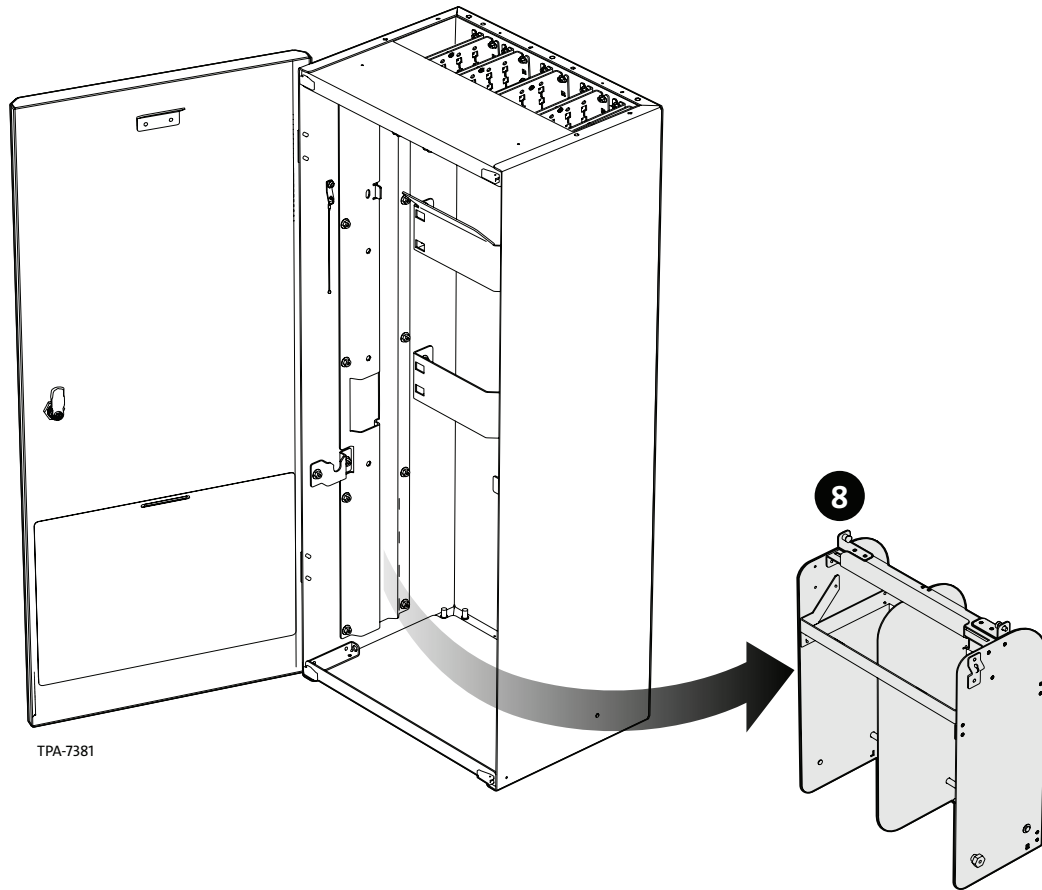
Step 5: Rotate housing downward.

Step 6: Unclip safety lanyards.

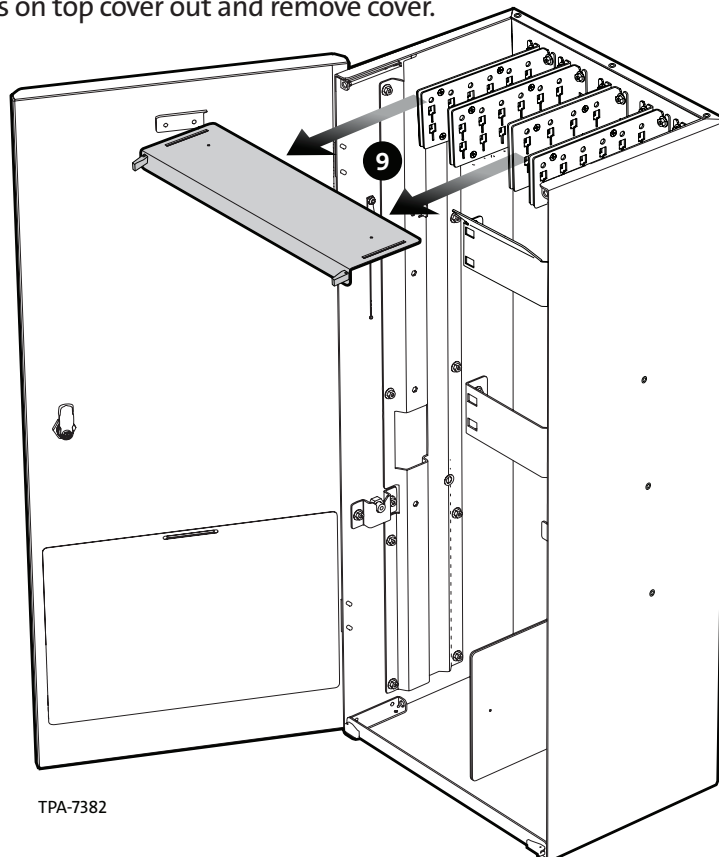
Step 7: Lift tray housing out of the cabinet.



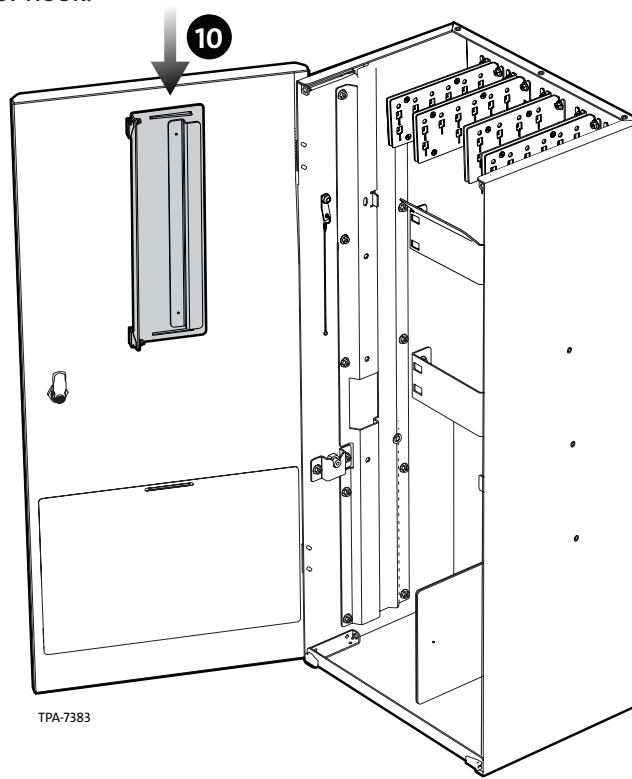
Step 8: Set the tray housing aside.



Step 9: Flip swell latches on top cover out and remove cover.



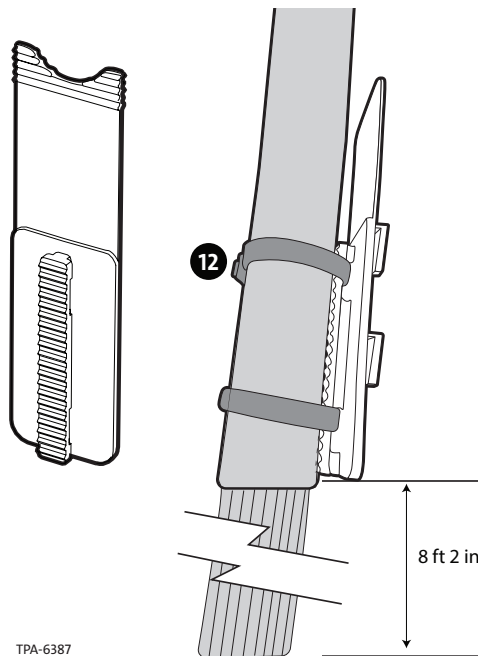
Step 10: Hang cover on door hook.



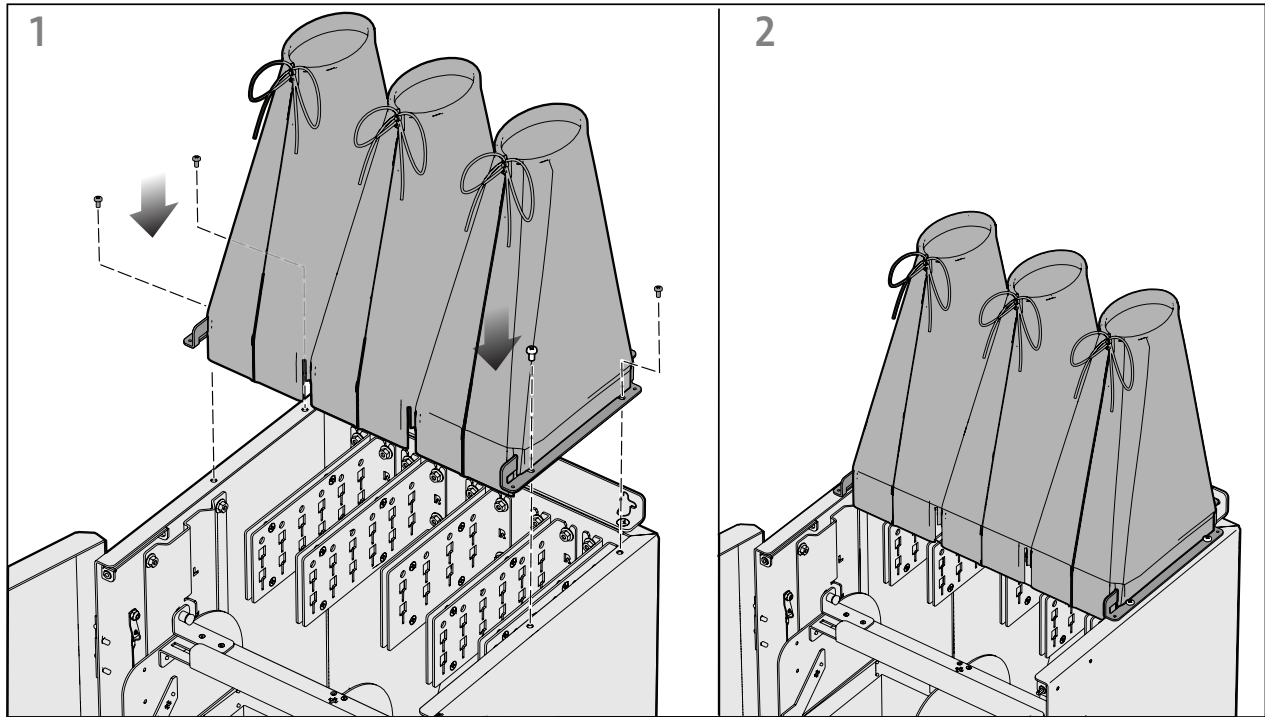
Step 11: Refer to [Standard Recommended Procedure 004-281, Sheath Removal of 1728-Fiber RocketRibbon™ Extreme-Density Cable](#), for directions on removing the cable sheath from 10 ft from the end of the cable to expose the routable subunits.

Step 12: With 10.75-in cable ties, position cable retention clip on the cable at the end of the cable sheath.

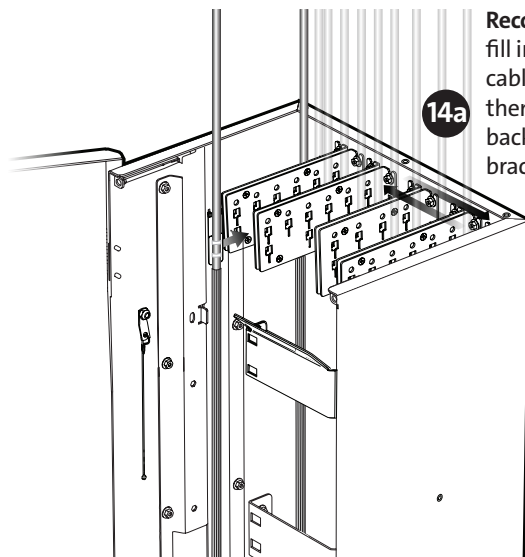
IMPORTANT: *Strain-relieve the cable outside the enclosure per standard company practices.*



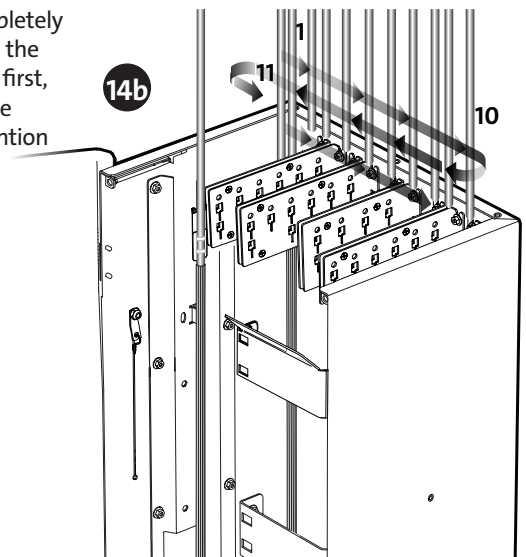
Step 13: Install cable cover kit.



Step 14: Starting at back of the cabinet, position the cables through the top of the cabinet to the open port.



Recommendation: Completely fill in the back row on all the cable retention brackets first, then the second from the back position on all retention brackets, etc.

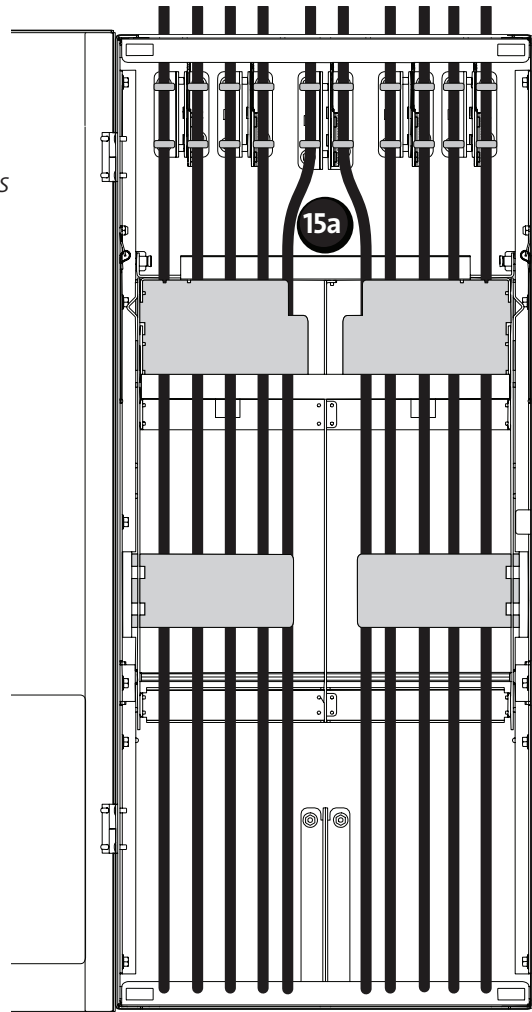
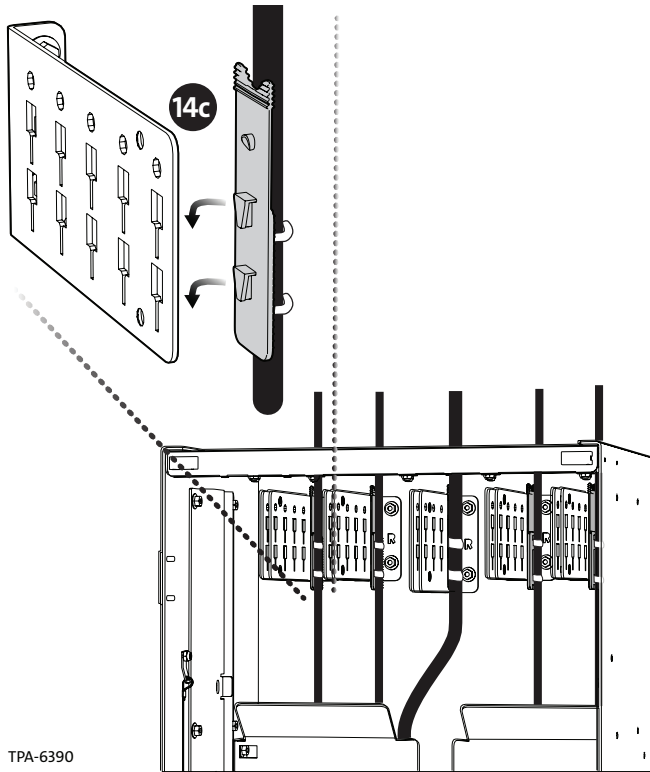


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Step 14c: Slide the cable retention clip into a strain-relief bracket at the top of the cabinet. Route the cable behind the cable retention brackets.

Step 15a: Repeat steps 14a-14c for all cables.

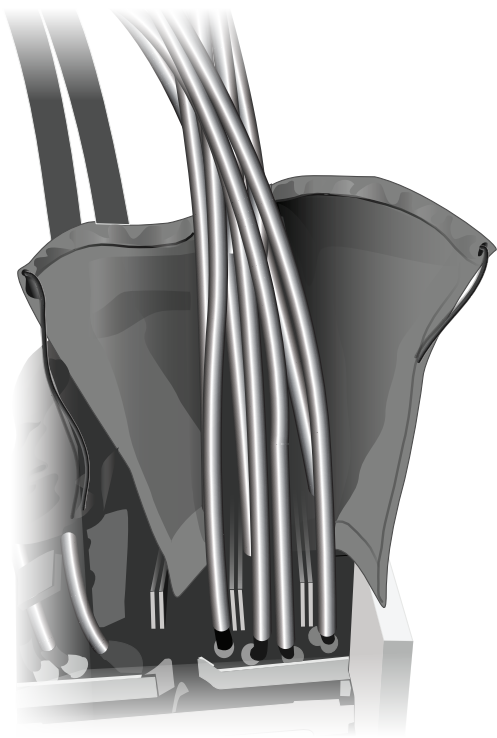
NOTE: *Secure outside plant cable to the large strain-relief brackets in the center of the cabinet. Inside plant cables can be attached to the strain-relief brackets on side of the center brackets.*



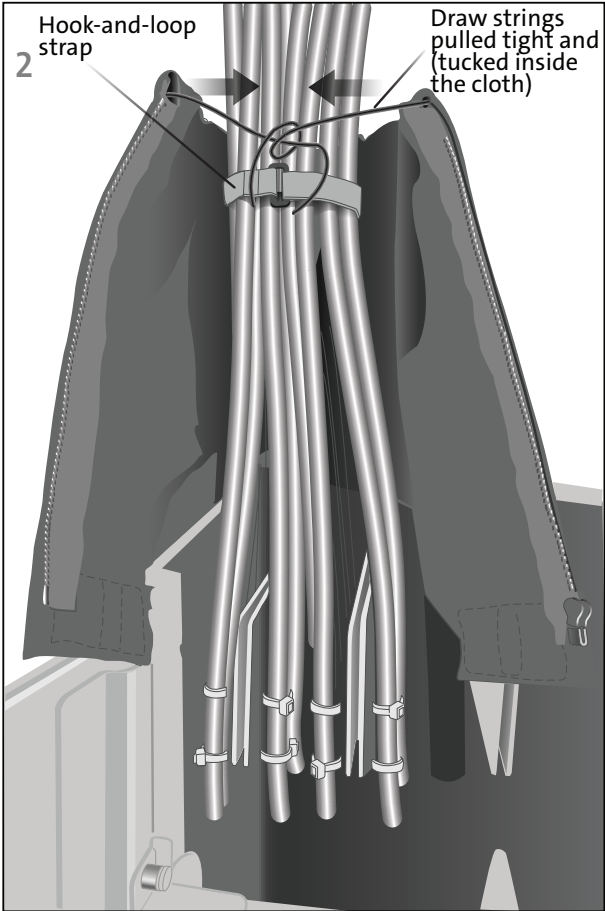
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Step 15b: Untie the draw strings and unzip the surrounding cover. Install the hook-and-loop strap to make sure the cables are grouped tightly together.

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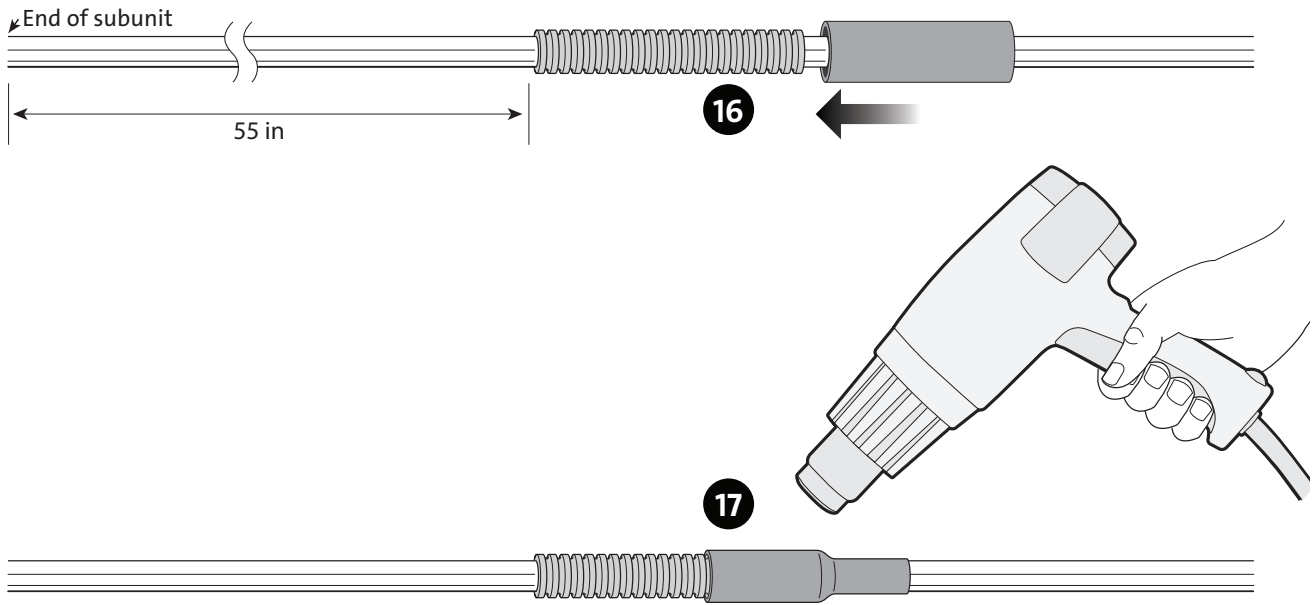


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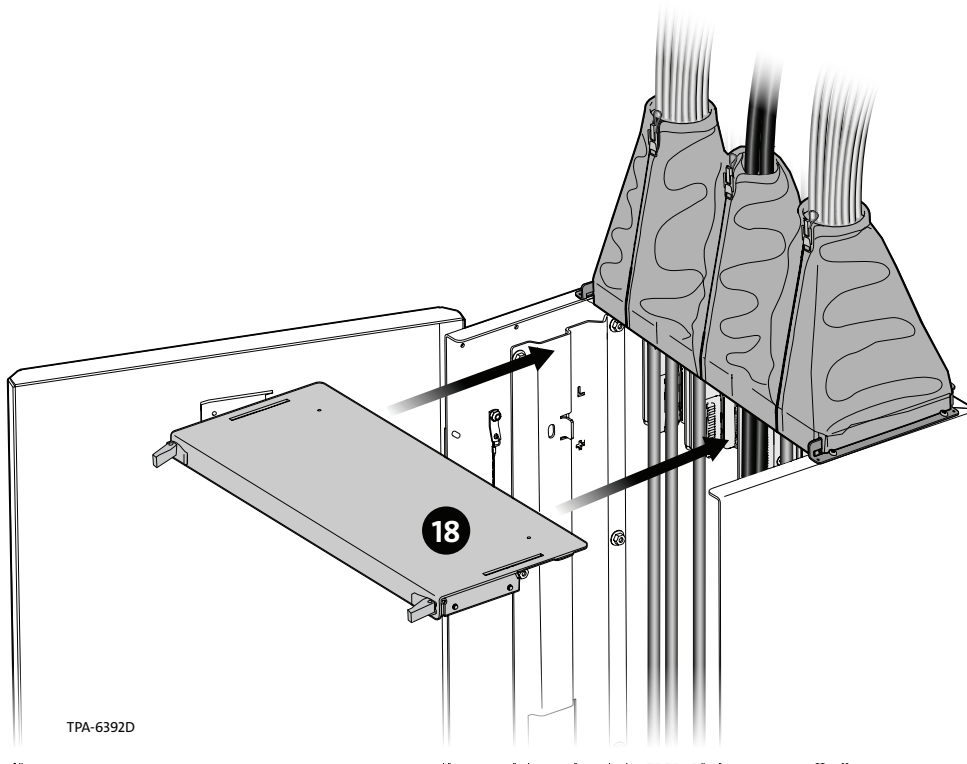
Step 16: Slide the heat-shrink tubing and corrugated tubing onto the routable subunit. Move them up the subunit a minimum of 55 inches from the end of the subunit.

Step 17: Shrink the heat-shrink tubing over the corrugated tubing at that distance.



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Step 18: Replace the top cover of the cabinet. Close swell latches to lock cover.



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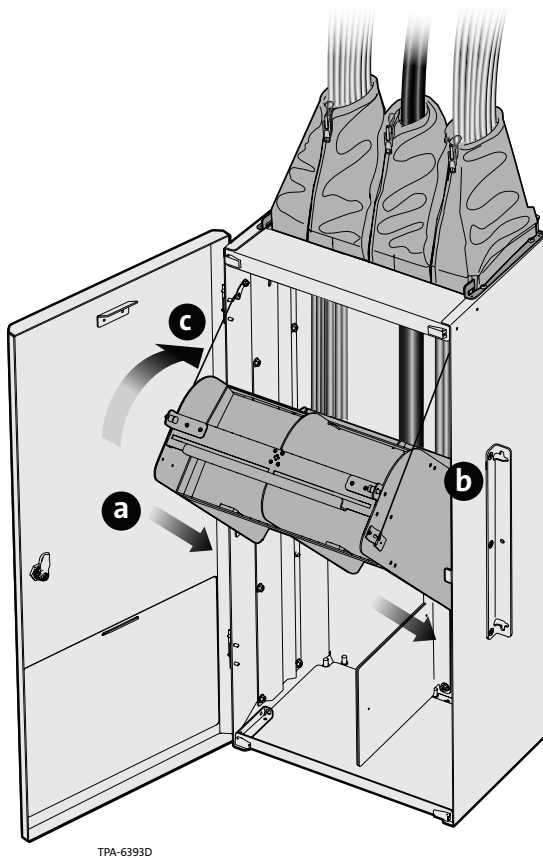
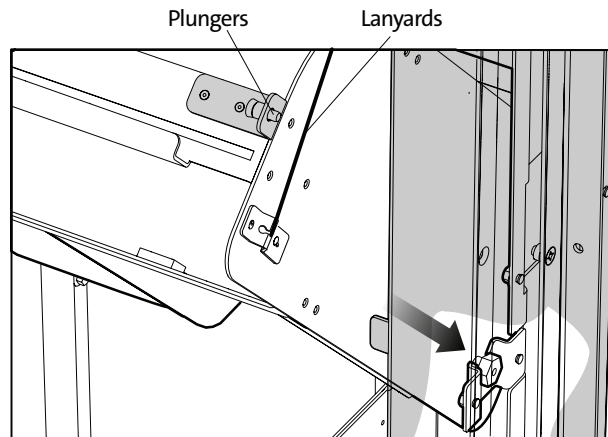
Step 19: Reinstall the splice tray housing and reattach the safety lanyards.

Step 20: Slide the housing down into the securing slots.

Step 21: Reattach the lanyards to the housing.

Step 22: Ensure the plungers click into place to secure the housing.

IMPORTANT: *Ensure the plungers click in place to secure the housing.*



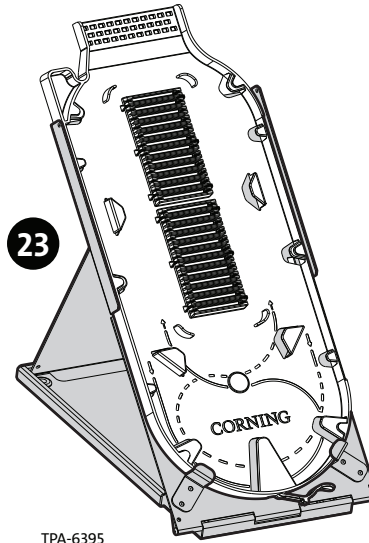
IMPORTANT: Hold on to the top and bottom of the splice housing when installing into the enclosure. Set the hardware into securing slots and then reattach lanyards to housing.

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Step 23: Bring a tray to a 30-in high work surface in front of the cabinet. Remove the plastic cover from the tray.

Step 23b: An optional service platform (P/N RDX-OSE-KIT-SP) is available to assist with the splicing operation.

NOTE: Reference section 5 for routing diagrams for 576f tray.

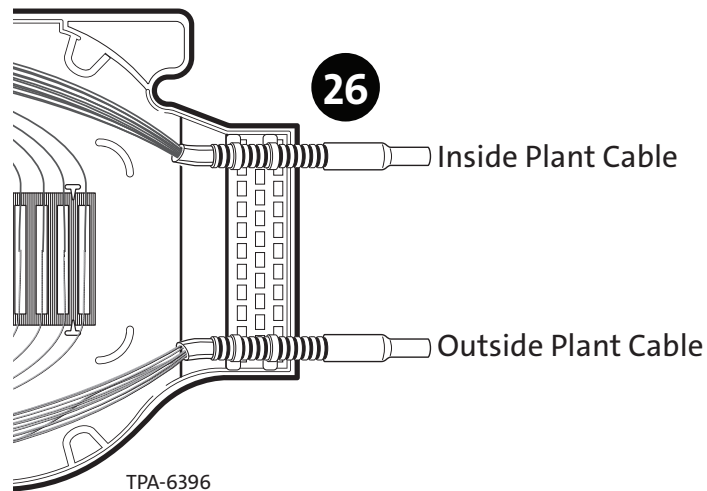


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Step 24: Select the appropriate feeder and distribution routable subunits.

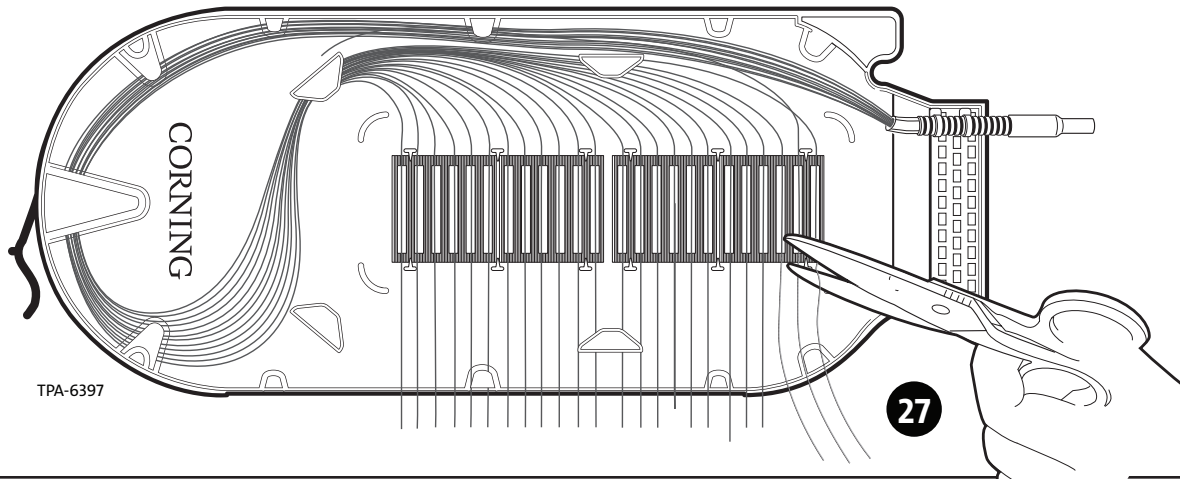
Step 25: Refer to [Standard Recommended Procedure 004-281, Sheath Removal of 1728-Fiber RocketRibbon™ Extreme-Density Cable](#), for preparing the routable subunits.

Step 26: Secure the corrugated tubing to the splice tray with cable ties.

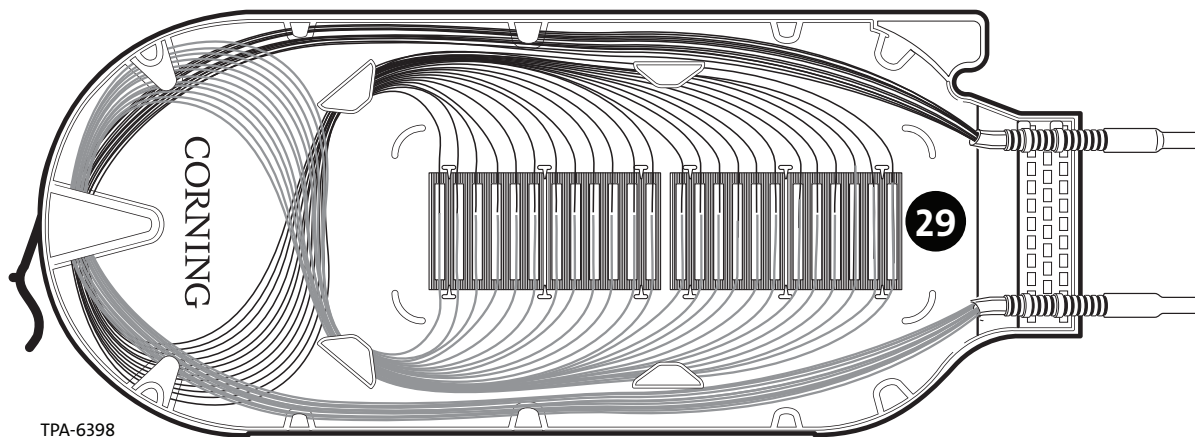


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Step 27: Pre-route and measure each fiber ribbon to its splice location in the organizer. Cut the ribbon at the splice point. Repeat for all subunits in the tray. Refer to section 5.3 at the end of this document for additional guidance on ribbon organization within the splice tray.

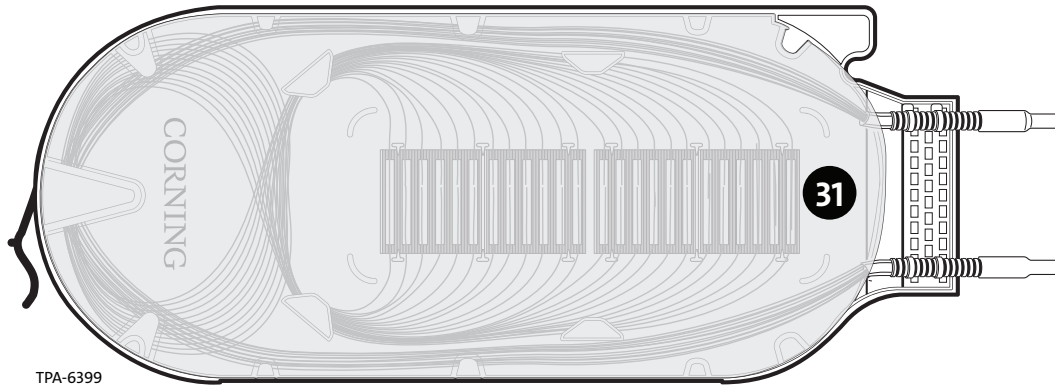


Step 28: Splice using 40 mm heat-shrink tubes per the instructions provided with the splicing equipment.
Step 29: Store the splice point in the organizer.



Step 30: Repeat Steps 28-29 for all splices in this tray.

Step 31: Replace the plastic cover on the splice tray.

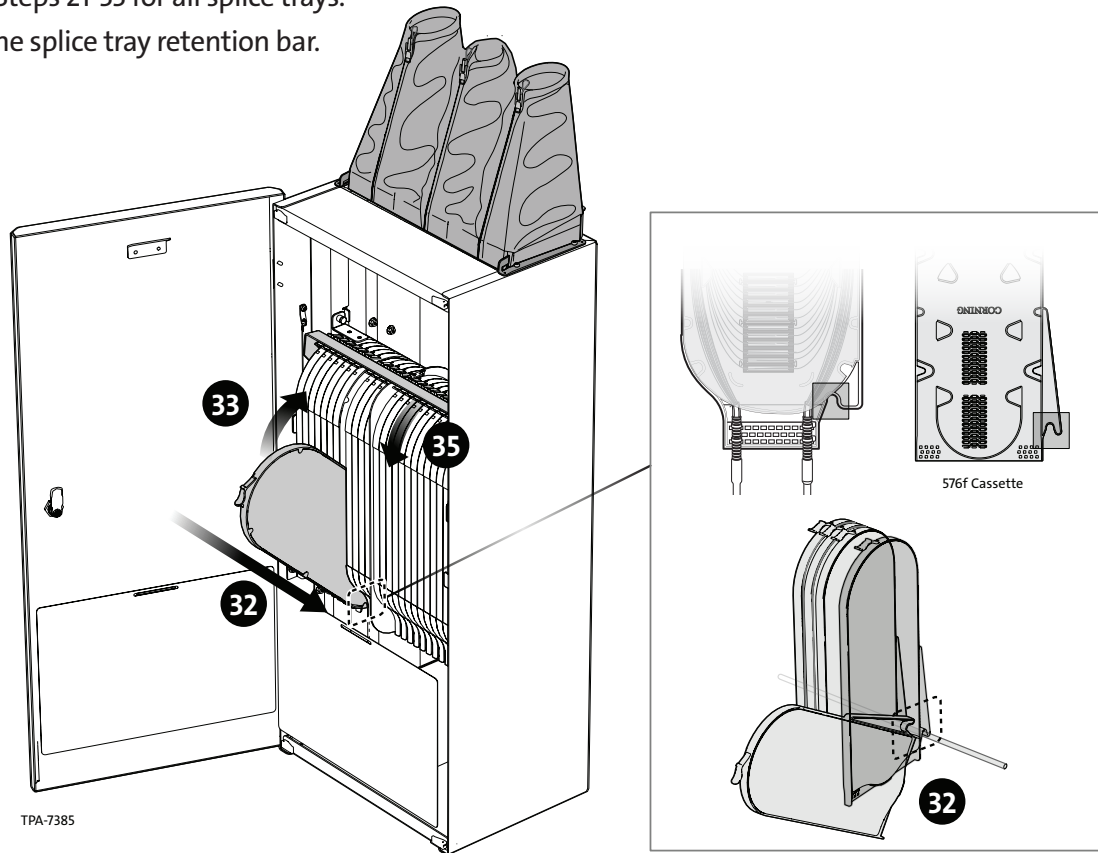


Step 32: Tilt the tray into the housing and capture the rod in the notch of the tray.

Step 33: Continue tilting the tray into the housing until the clip at the top of the tray engages the latch point.

Step 34: Repeat Steps 21-33 for all splice trays.

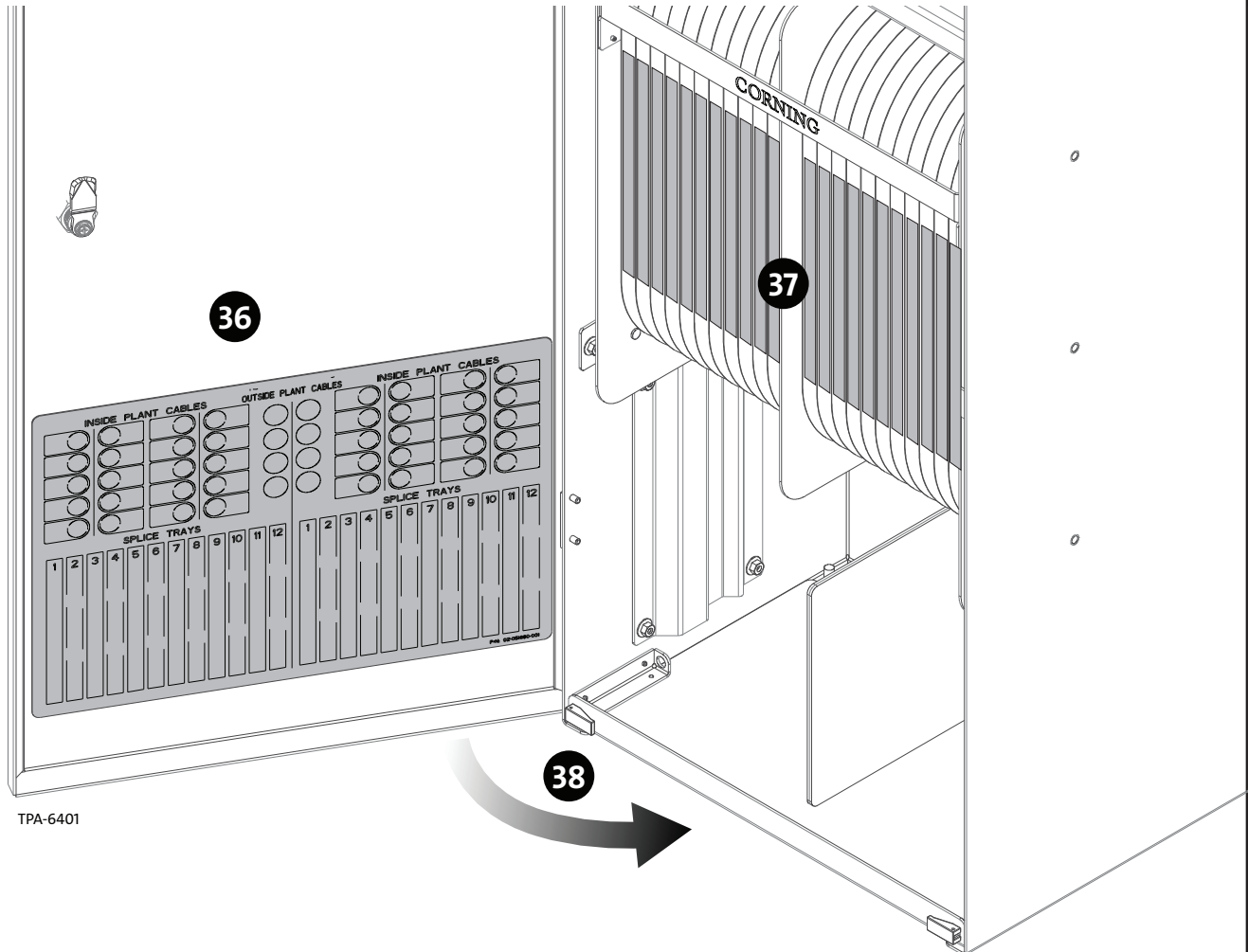
Step 35: Lower the splice tray retention bar.



Step 36: Document cable routing on the label on the door.

Step 37: Attach ½-in labels to the front edge of the tray, if desired, to document splicing locations.

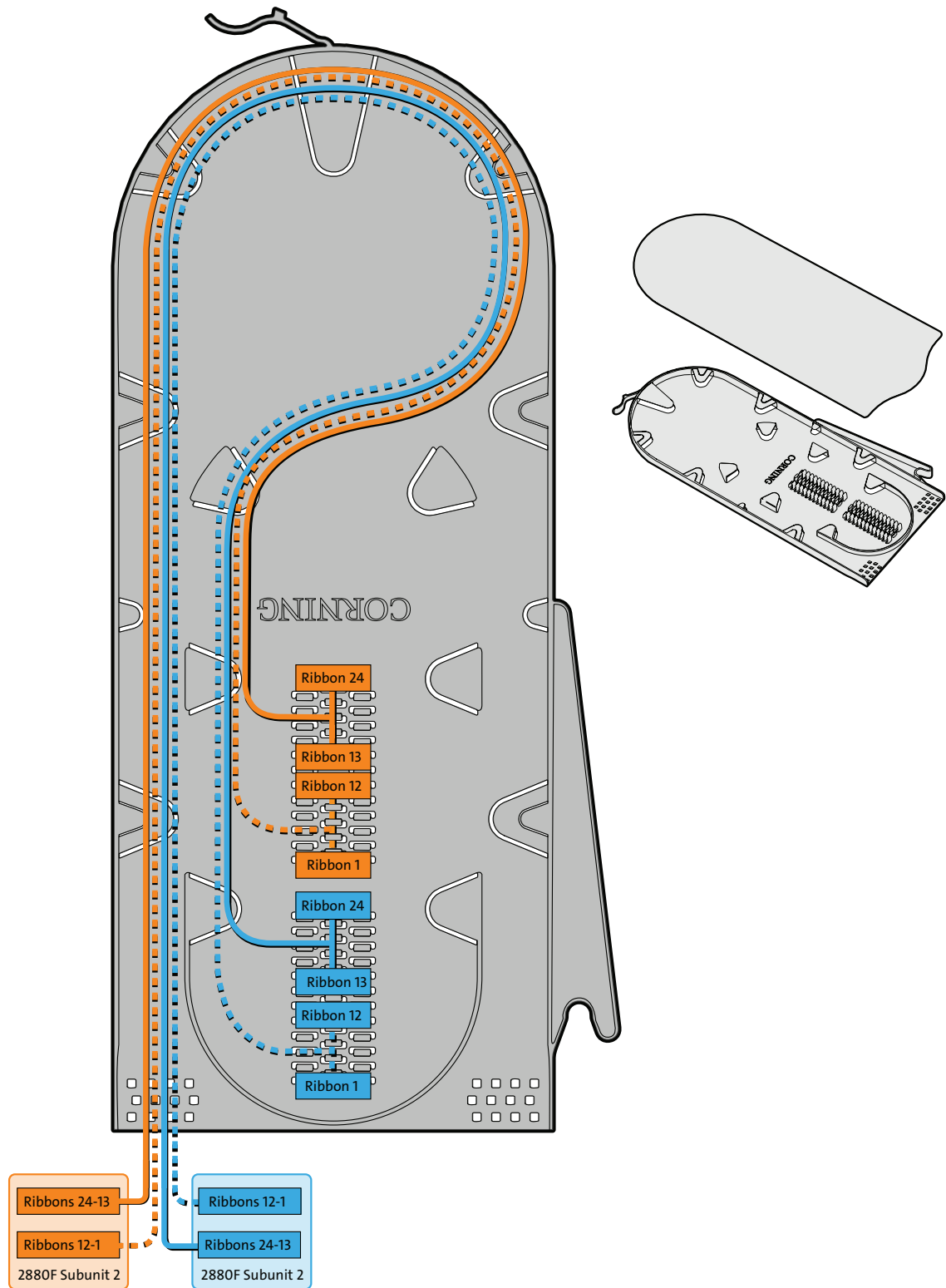
Step 38: Close front door and rotate the latch to secure it.



5. 576f Splice Tray Routing Diagrams

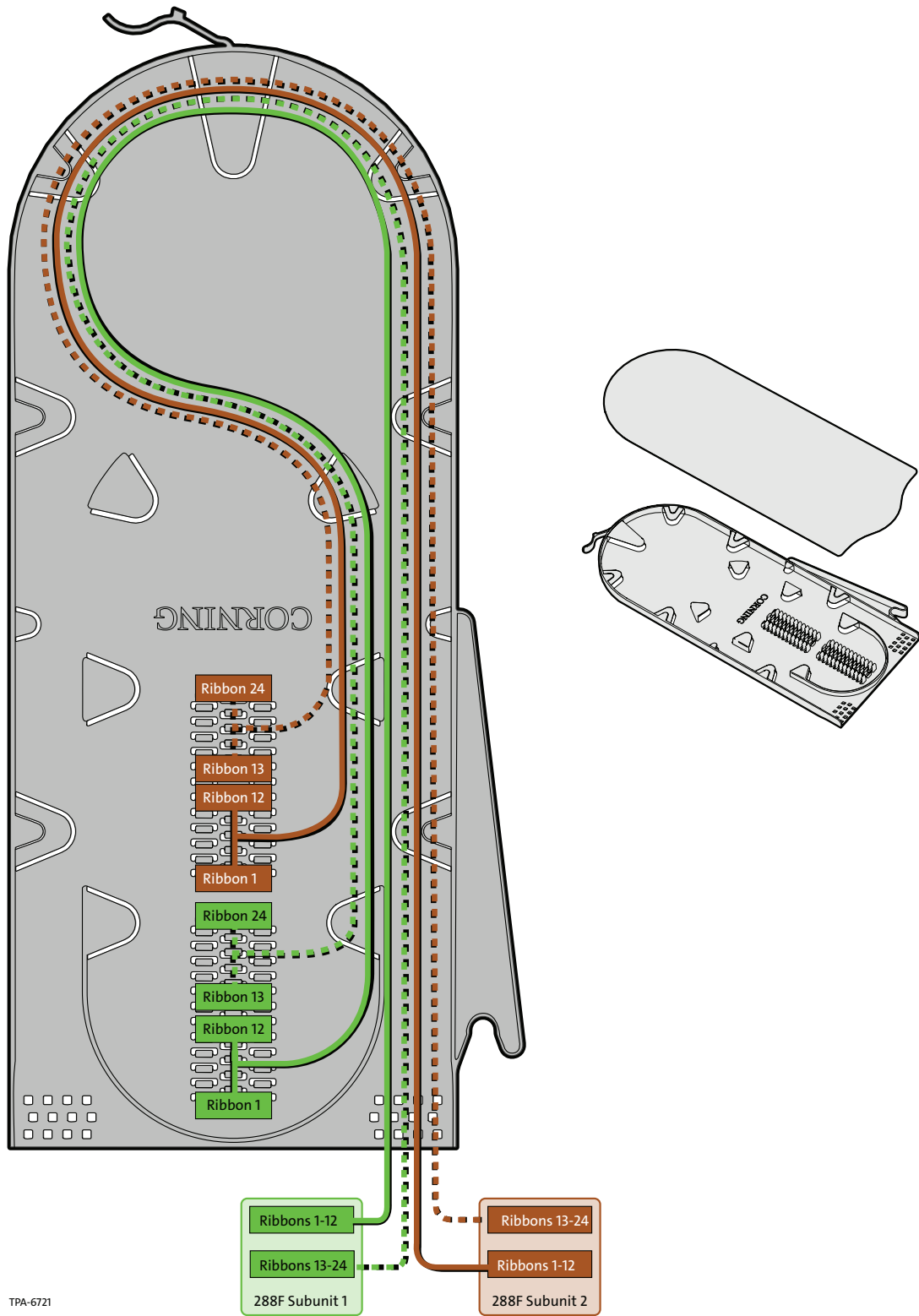
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Input Fiber Routing



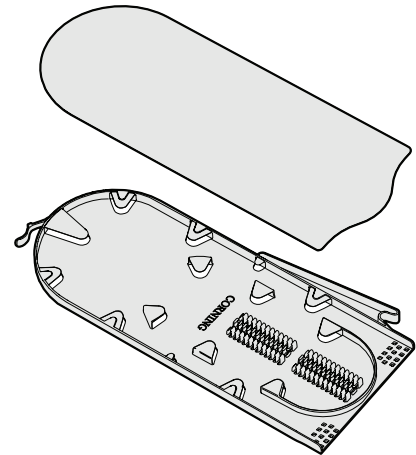
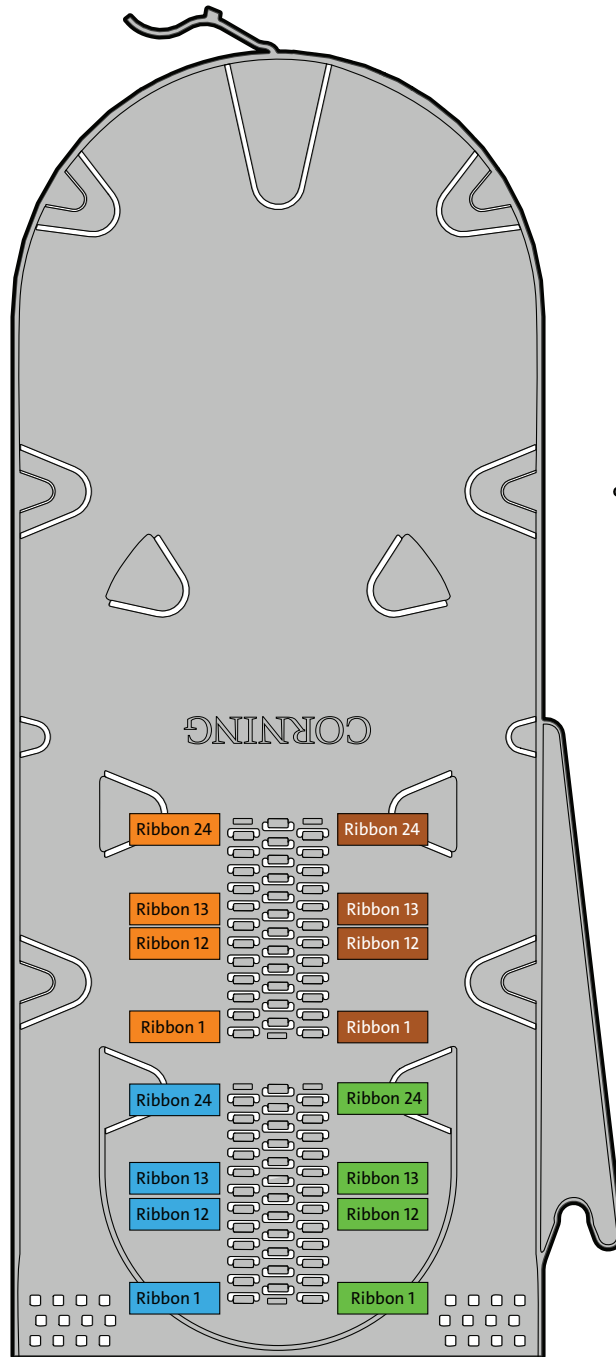
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Option 1

Output Fiber Routing



5.2 576f Splice Tray Routing Diagrams
Option 1

Ribbon Splicing Summary



NOTE: Fibers may have to be re-organized in the tray to get the proper ribbon orientation for the polarity required for the specific system design. (see section 5.3)

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Ribbons 12-1
2880F Subunit 2

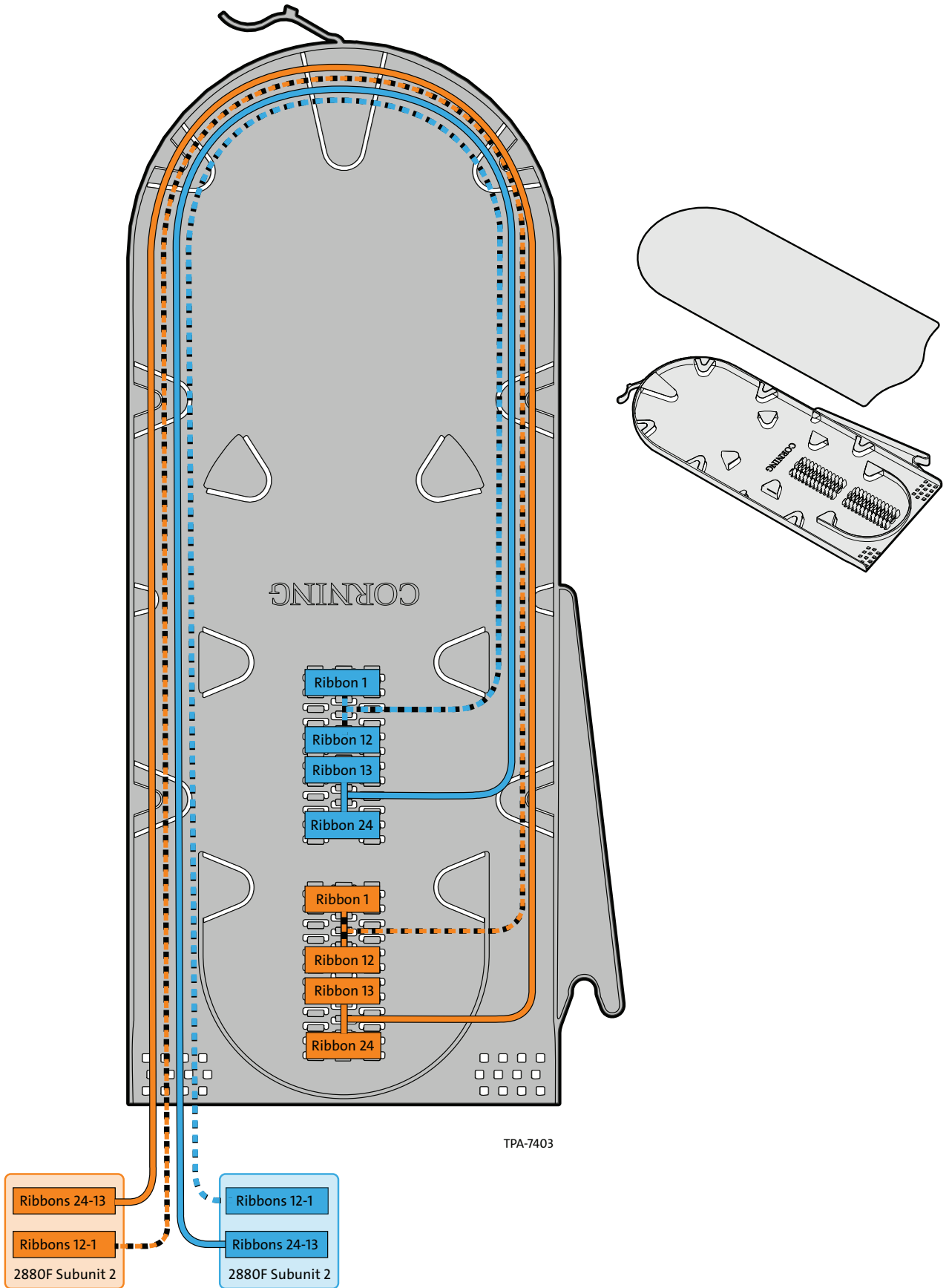
Ribbons 12-1
Ribbons 24-13
2880F Subunit 1

Ribbons 1-12
Ribbons 13-24
288F Subunit 1

Ribbons 13-24
Ribbons 1-12
288F Subunit 2

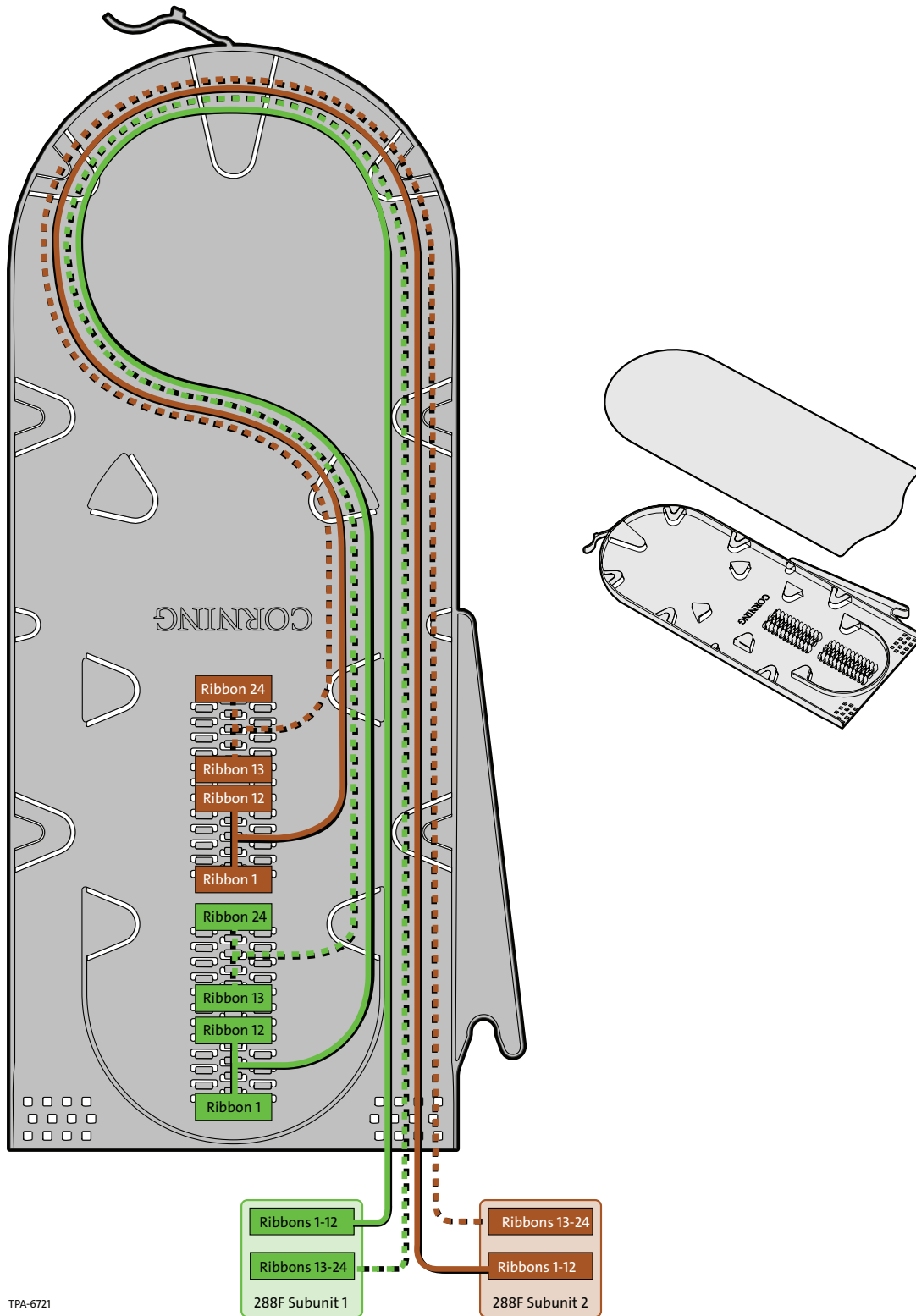
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5.3 576f Splice Tray Routing Diagrams Option 2



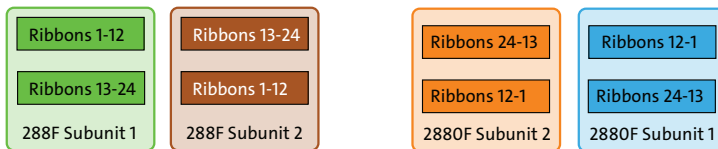
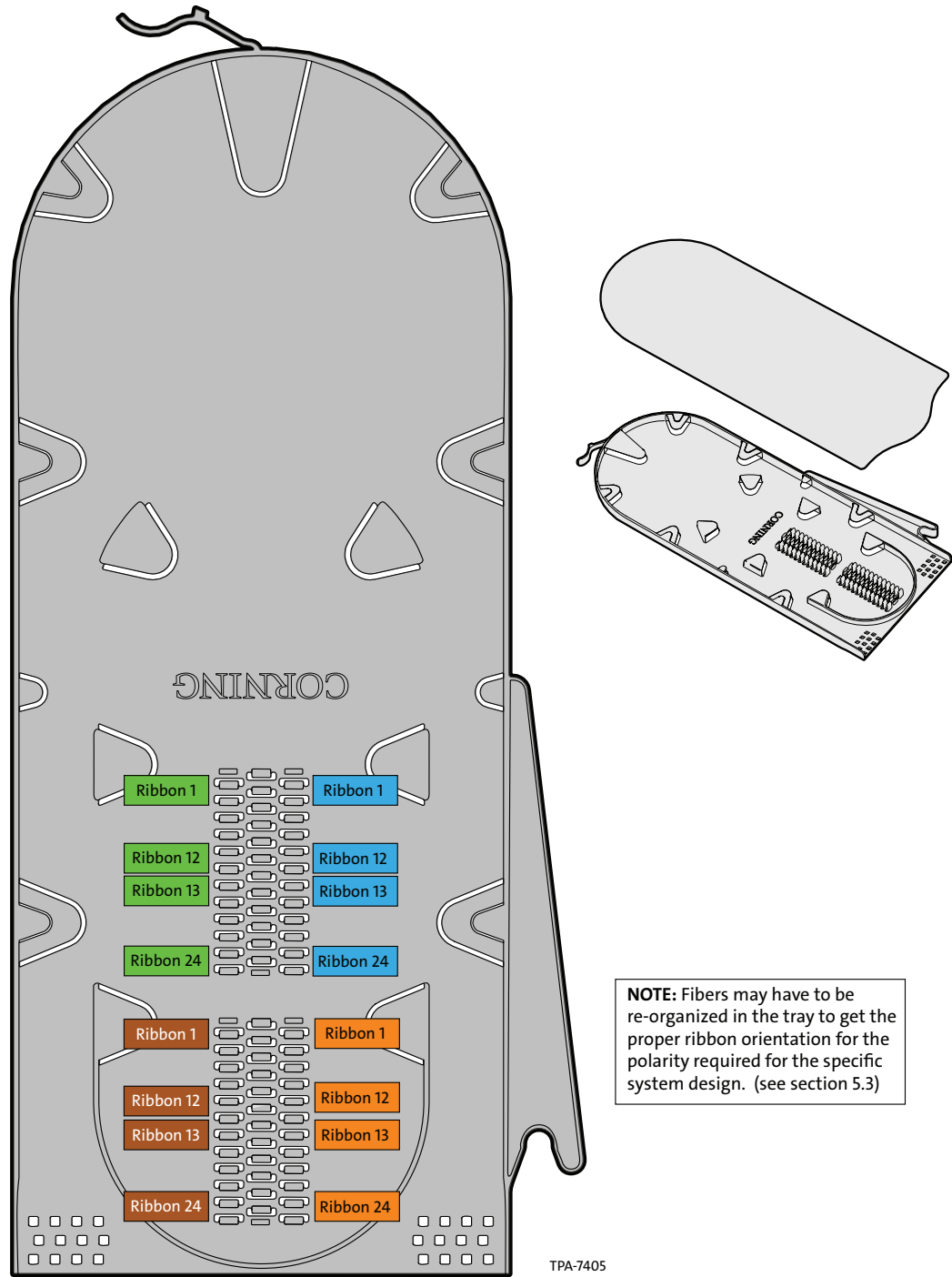
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Output Fiber Routing

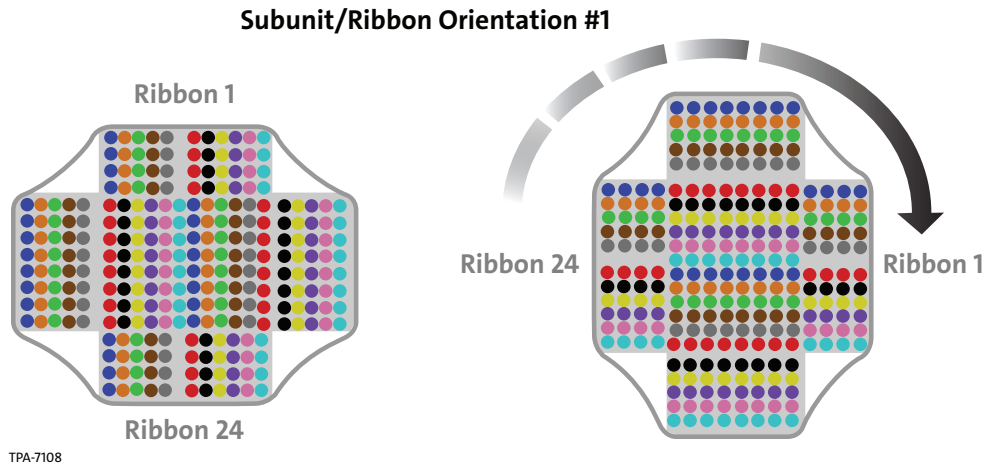


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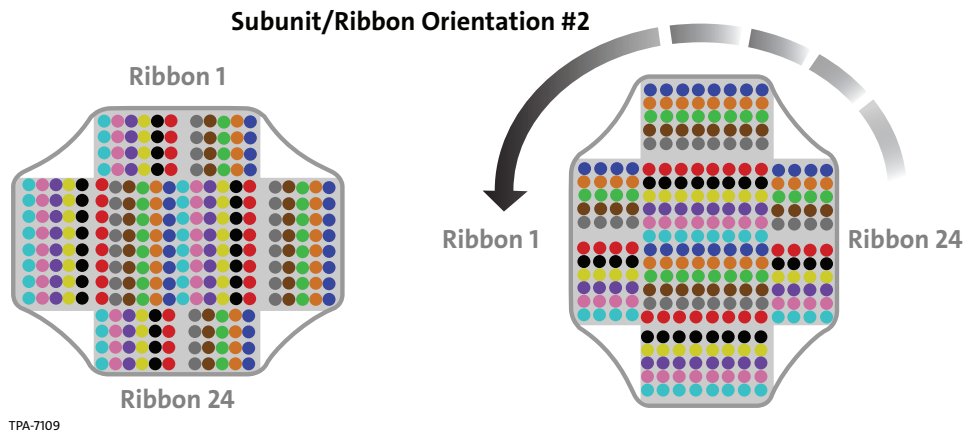
Option 2



5.6 Subunit Orientation Diagrams



Subunit turned to get the blue fiber on top inside of the tray.



NOTE: *When splicing cables with routable subunits, the end of the subunit that you are working with is important as it relates to the organization of the ribbons within that subunit and must be checked prior to splicing. Depending on the orientation of the subunit (**orientation #1 or orientation #2 in the images above**), the ribbons from the routable subunit may have to be re-organized inside of the tray. Notice that the side of the ribbon stack that ribbon 1 is on is different depending on the orientation of the subunit once it is turned on its side so the ribbons are vertical for optimal routing inside of the tray. Re-organize the ribbons as needed inside of the tray to get the ribbons into the correct order for your system's specific design and polarity management.*