

Abstract (in conjunction with Figure 1)

Cables, in particular submarine cables (10), generally have black outer sheaths (11). During laying, in particular in deep water, these can be made out only with difficulty, or in an extreme case not at all, on television pictures taken by underwater television cameras.

The submarine cable (10) according to the invention has on an outer sheath (11) a marking provided by at least one longitudinal strip (13), which stands out with high contrast from the black colour of the outer sheath (11) by a lighter colour, in particular yellow, and, as a result, is more easily visible on television pictures.



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