A Pre-Configured Industrial Distribution Frame (IDF) reduces deployment time and cost for high density 19” rack mounted network switches.

Use this drawing when:
- Deploying 19” rack mounted switches
- Network has numerous links
- Tying together a large installation

Front View

- Enclosure
  - A wall or column mount UL Type 4/12, IP66 double-hinged enclosure ready for 2 distribution switches, 2 access switches, and UPS. Thermally validated with best practice cable management.

- Fiber
  - Fiber uplink trunk cable is routed to a fiber enclosure and terminated to a Fiber Adapter Panel (FAP). Patch cords connect switch uplink port to FAP connector.

- Distribution Switch

- Access Layer Switch

- Cat 6 Jack

- Uninterruptable Power Supply (UPS) or Power Distribution Unit (PDU)

- Standard Jacket Cat 6 Cable

- Industrial Grade Jacket Cat 6 Cable

- Standard Jacket Cat 6 Cable in Conduit

- Dielectric Conduit Fiber

- Fiber in Conduit

- Keyed Latch

- Fiber Patch Cords

- D-Rings

- Small Diameter Patch Cords

- Patch Panel

- Power Cord Strain Relief
  - Power cords are held securely with a strain relief bar with integral clips.

- Double Hinged

- Fixed Side

- Movable Side

- Door not shown

- Designed Depth
  - Extra depth allows more room for cable management, power management, and switch stack cables accommodating proper bend radius

- Strain Relief Bar

- Power
  - A conduit is connected to a metallic box with 2 receptacles. Each receptacle has its own 110/220V circuit. One for switches the other for the air conditioner.

- Service Loop

- Top View

- Hook & Loop Cable Tie

- Air Conditioner Access Cover

- Conduit with Power

- Front View

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Pre-configured Industrial Distribution Frame Reference Design

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**Bill of Materials**

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<td>ZDF48-RA</td>
<td>Pre-configured IDF wall or column mount, UL type 4/12 and IP66 double-hinged enclosure ready for 2 access switches and 2 distribution switches complete with patch panels, cable management, grounding, and power, room for 3rd access switch with a maximum of 144 copper downlinks, accommodates 24 fiber links, has access cover for air conditioner and space for UPS or PDU</td>
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**Connectivity and Patching**

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<td>Rugged 12-fiber OM2 dielectric conduited multimode armored distribution cable (No grounding required)</td>
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**About this Configuration**

The Panduit pre-configured industrial distribution frame (IDF) is specifically engineered to deploy and protect rack mount Ethernet switches in industrial applications.

**About Panduit Industrial Distribution Frame**

Using rack mount access switches, an IDF is intended for high-density industrial star networks that are connected to numerous HMIs, PLCs, Drives, or I/O blocks in harsh environments to keep traffic local. An IDF can also house distribution switches to efficiently route traffic between access switches that are often DIN-mounted switches in a control panel.

**Horizontal Cable Service Loop**

Since the horizontal cabling is extended when opening the IDF, a cable service loop is needed for both fiber and copper. There needs to be slack to fully open the enclosure but not too much as the extra cabling consumes excess space and can act as a spring when closing. Also, the cable length increases from the first to the last copper port. The IDF stationary section has hook & loop ties in the back to secure cabling. The copper cabling is also secured with hook & loop ties to strain relief bars on the movable side to minimize tugging on the jack when opening the enclosure. Horizontal fiber cable is channeled through a duct and loom tube then into a fiber enclosure for protection.

**Thermal Management**

For this configuration with (2) Cisco 3750X and (2) Cisco 2960S switches, the IDF can operate with an ambient temperature up to 25°C (77°F) without an air conditioner. An optional air conditioner, Pentair AC Unit: N28, will allow the IDF to operate up to 50°C (122°F) ambient air temperature.

**Connectivity and Patching**

Typically, switch uplinks are fiber as it converges switches the fastest after an interrupt to re-establish connection and can handle aggregated switch traffic. Also, an IDF may be more than 100 meters (maximum distance for solid copper) from the main distribution frame (MDF), data center, or core switch. This drawing features multimode OM3 fiber. Single mode can be used for long distances or high bandwidth needs. Different multimode can be used as well (OM1, OM2, OM3, or OM4) to match switch transceiver.

Copper downlinks are impacted by environment and traffic. This drawing shows various unshielded (UTP) copper cabling constructions ranging from standard to industrial. Cabling may need a harsh rating or to be protected in conduit depending on the environment. Also, shielded (STP) cable may need to be considered for high EMI environments.

The IDF is designed with switches and patch panels in close proximity. A short (8") small diameter patch cord is recommended to reduce space with easier handling.

**For More Information**

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