# Instruction Manual for Optical Connector Cleaner 「CLETOP-S」

### 1. Introduction

Thank you for using our optical fiber connector cleaner **CLETOP-S**. The conventional method of cleaning optical plug ferrule endfaces depends upon worker-skill and generally requires use of alcohol and wiping with tissue or freon gas. However, NTT-AT's connector cleaner **CLETOP-S** provides thorough cleaning of the ferrule endface by using a dry alcohol-free cloth and all operators can consistently achieve high quality cleaning without alcohol or other solvents.

The **CLETOP-S** series has excellent anti-static properties to avoid reattachment of dust to the ferrule after cleaning and is available for static sensitive applications.

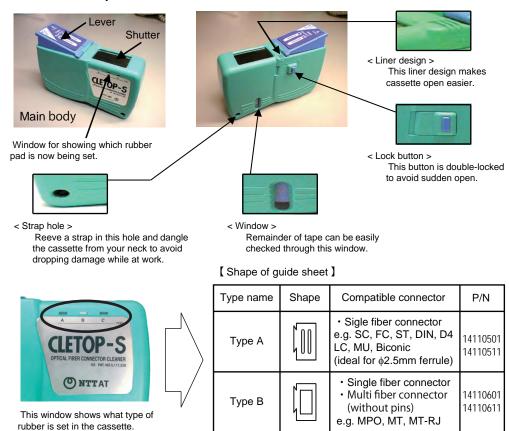
The CLETOP (Stick-type) or the NEOCLEAN (Pen-type) is also available for cleaning the ferrule end-face located in such difficult spots as the inside of the adaptor.

Please use this product in a proper way based upon this instruction manual.

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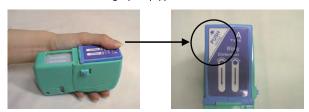
- •Do NOT store in direct sunlight, and avoid hot and/or humid environments as the product may become deformed.
- •Do NOT touch the tape (cleaning tape). The quality will deteriorate.
- •Do NOT disassemble this product.
- •Do NOT use for any purpose which has not been described in this manual. Products may be damaged.
- •Please consign this product to a properly lisensed waste management operator.

## 2. Name of each part



## 3. How to clean the connector

(1) The lever winds the cleaning tape equipped inside the cassette and simultaneously opens the shutter.



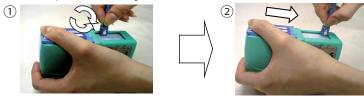
#### NOTE 1:

Please push the white marked part of the lever as shown in a circle. If you strongly push other part than the above, it may cause some troubles.

- (2) While pressing the lever and keeping your thumb depressed on it, press the optical plug ferrule endface against the cleaning tape surface and move it slowly in arrow's direction.
  - NOTE 2: Contamination may leave behind if pressure to the plug is insufficient. Apply sufficient pressure to the plug to the extent that the tape is not twisted.
  - NOTE 3: Press the plug against the tape vertically and move it straight. If the plug is pressed and moved aslant, the tape may be twisted.
  - NOTE 4: Cleaning performance may change depending upon environment and contamination types.

#### [TYPE A ]

- ① Set the plug on the tape surface and rotate it from side to side.
- ② Move the plug while pressing it against the tape surface. Apply sufficient pressure (e.g. approx. 600gf / 0.6N for SC/FC connector and 250gf / 0.25N for LC/MU connector) to ensure ferrule a little deepressed. Do NOT use the same position for cleaning.



## [TYPEB]

① Move the plug while pressing it against the tape surface. Apply sufficient pressure to ensure ferrule a little deepressed. Do NOT use the same position for cleaning.



(3) Release the lever to allow it to return to its initial position.

# 4. When the cleaning tape is running short

One cleaning tape cartridge can be used over 400 wipes. The cartridge is replaceable and you can continue to use the CLETOP-S cassette.

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