

Viability of 3 Meter Cable Reach Based on 10Gb/s Market Snapshot

100Gb/s Ethernet Electrical Backplane and Twinaxial
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TE Market Distribution of 10Gb/s Cable Assembly Lengths as a Percentage of Total

- Data represents only TE 10Gb/s cable assemblies projected for 2011 based on customer input
- Includes Ethernet, Infiniband, Fibre Channel and Non-Standard applications combined
- Data based from one cable assembly supplier is imperfect, need data from more cable assembly suppliers
- OEM's would be the best source of this data

	0 to 3 meters	3.1 to 5 meters	5.1 to 8 meters	Over 8 meters
SFP+ Passive Cables	84%	13%	3%	0.2%
QSFP Passive Cables	90%	10%	0%	0%
SFP+ and QSFP Totals	85%	12%	2%	0.2%