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# Optical Fiber and Optical Communication

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- Natural disaster management using optical communication.
- Network telemetry real-time monitoring.
- Visible Light Communications.

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