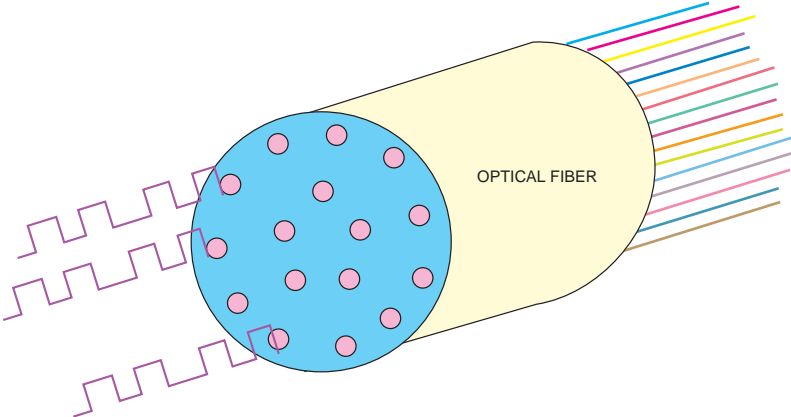


Figure 2



Wavelength-division multiplexing enables multiple wavelengths, or colors, to simultaneously carry independent channels through a single optical-fiber link.