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For PTFE Equipment Wires see page 23

manufacture a wide range of PVC insulated equipment wires for internal wiring applications. The upper temperature limits given below refer to the maximum continuous conductor temperatures including any temperature rise due to load. It is not possible to give definite minimum operating temperature limits under static conditions owing to the possible vibration of the wire during use. Therefore the lower values quoted are the maximum temperatures for equipment wires which may be subjected to slight flexing during their normal life.



Ref.	Conductor		Radial Thickness	Mean Overall Dimensions			
	Nominal Area	No. & Dia. of wires	Insulation	Max	Min	Current Rating Amps at	Approx. net weigh per 1000r
	mm²	No./mm	mm	mm	mm	50°C.	kg

PVC EQUIPMENT WIRES to Def. Stan. 61-12 Part 6 and BS 4808 Part 2

A range of Type 2 and Type 3 insulated equipment wires.

Uses: All types of internal wiring applications. Conductor: Tinned annealed high conductivity copper wire generally to BS 6360. Insulation: Type 2 wires - PVC hard grade insulation type 2 to BS 6746.

Type 3 wires - PVC general purpose insulation compound type TI1 to BS 6746. Insulation colours: Black, white, blue, brown, green, grey, orange, pink, red, violet, yellow. Bi- and tri-colours to order.

Packing: 100m and 500m reels.

Туре 2				1.00	1.10	1.4	3.5
PVC	0.22	7/0.2	0.30	1.30	1	3.0	7.0
Hard	0.50	16/0.2	0.30	1.65	1.45	4.5	9.5
Grade	0.75	24/0.2	0.45	2.15	1.95	4.5	
Type 3					T	3.0	10.0
PVC	0.50	16/0.2	0.6	2.25	2.00		12.0
	0.75	24/0.2	0.6	2.45	2.20	4.5	
General	1.00	32/0.2	0.6	2.65	2.40	6.0	18.5
Purpose Type TI1	2.00	63/0.2	0.6	3.15	2.90	11.0	24.0

^{*}Current carrying capacities will depend on the installation.

The figures quoted are for single ventilated wires.

Ref.	Conductor		Radial Thickness	Mean Overall Dimensions			
	Nominal Area	No. & Dia. of wires	Insulation	Max		Current Rating Amps at	Approx. net weight per 1000m
	mm²	No./mm	mm	mm	mm	20°C°	kg

70° PVC SWITCHGEAR AND CONTROL GEAR WIRE to BS 6231:1981

Types BU, BR & BK

A range of single core insulated equipment wires for maximum operating temperatures up to 70° C.

Uses: For switchgear, control gear and motor starters.

Conductor: Tinned annealed high conductivity copper wire generally to BS 6360. Insulation: PVC general purpose insulation compound type TI1 to BS 6746.

Insulation colours: Available to order. 500m reels Packing: 0.5mm - 2.5mm 100m reels 4mm - 10mm 50m reels 16mm - 50mm

BU	1.0 1.5 2.5	1/1.13 1/1.38 1/1.78	0.8 0.8 0.8	3.2 3.5 3.9		17 22 33
BR *	1.0 1.5 2.5 4.0 6.0	7/0.4 7/0.5 7/0.67 7/0.85 7/1.04	0.8 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.8	3.3 3.6 4.2 4.8 5.4		17 22 34 50 70
ВК	0.5 0.75 1.0 1.5 2.5 4.0 6.0 10.0 16.0 25.0 35.0 50.0	16/0.2 24/0.2 32/0.2 30/0.25 50/0.25 56/0.3 84/0.3 80/0.4 126/0.4 196/0.4 276/0.4	0.8 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.8 0.8 1.0 1.0 1.2 1.2	3.0 3.2 3.4 3.7 4.2 4.8 6.3 7.6 8.8 11.0 12.5 14.5	and at 85° C and	12 15 17 22 33 50 73 119 184 282 389 550

Also available are types CU, CR and CK. These have a temperature rated at 85°C and have conductors and diameters identical to types BU, BR and BK.

Ref.	Conductor		Radial Thickness	Mean Overall Dimensions			
	110111111	No. & Dia. of wires	Insulation	Max	Min	Current Rating Amps at	Approx. net weight per 1000m
	mm²	No./mm	mm	mm	mm	20°C°	kg

70° C PVC EQUIPMENT WIRES PVC General Purpose Type TI1

For maximum generating temperatures up to 70°C.

Uses: General purpose equipment wires. Conductor: Tinned annealed high conductivity copper wires generally to BS 6360.

Insulation: PVC general purpose insulation compound type TI1 to BS 6746.

Insulation colours: Black, white, blue, brown, green, grey, orange, pink, red, violet, yellow. Bi- and tri-colours to order.

Packing: 500m reels.

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MCW8	0.38	1/0.7	0.45	1.70	1.50	2.5	5.9
MCW11	0.63	1/0.9	0.45	1.90	1.70	4.0	8.5
MCF0	0.08	7/0.12	0.30	1.10	0.90	0.5	1.7
MCF1	0.16	14/0.12	0.30	1.20	1.00	1.0	2.7
		7/0.20	0.45	1.60	1.40	1.5	4.2
MCF4	0.22	13/0.20	0.30	1.50	1.30	2.5	5.3
MCF5	0.40	1		1.80	1.60	2.5	6.5
MCF6	0.40	13/0.20	0.45	l .		4.0	9.4
MCF9	0.65	21/0.20	0.45	2.10	1.90	1	12.6
MCF10	0.65	21/0.20	0.75	2.75	2.45	4.0	12.0

HEAT RESISTING PVC EQUIPMENT WIRES

VX Grade PVC

Uses: Ideal for tail wires on transformers, motors or other components requiring encapsulation or wherever high temperatures and insulating varnishes or oil based or hydraulic fluids exist.

Conductor: Tinned annealed high conductivity copper wire generally to BS 6360. VX grade of PVC Insulation:

compound to BS 6746. Type 4.

Insulation colours:

VX050 to VX650: Black, white, blue, brown, green, grey, orange, pink, red, violet, yellow +

green/yellow. VX750 to VX850: Black, red, green/yellow.

Packing:

VX050-VX355 500m reels VX450-VX500 250m reels

VX550-VX850 100m reels †These equipment wires are regarded as suitable for continuous operation at conductor temperatures not exceeding 85°C. In installations where it is possible to guard against thermoplastic flow and where low values of insulation resistance can be tolerated these compounds are suitable for operation at conductor temperatures up to 105° for periods not exceeding five years.

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VX050	0.08	7/0.12	0.30	1.10	0.90	0.5	1.7
VX150	0.16	14/0.12	0.30	1.20	1.00	1.0	2.7
VX250	0.22	7/0.2	0.45	1.60	1.40	1.4	4.2
VX350	0.50	16/0.2	0.45	1.90	1.70	3.0	7.5
VX355	0.50	16/0.2	0.50	2.30	2.10	3.0	9.5
VX450	0.75	24/0.2	0.75	2.75	2.45	6.0	13.5
VX500	1.00	32/0.2	0.75	3.05	2.75	10.00	16.5
VX550	1.25	40/0.2	0.75	3.15	2.85	13.0	19.6
VX650	2.00	63/0.2	0.75	3.45	3.15	18.0	27.1
VX750	3.00	95/0.2	1.00	4.90	4.50	24.0 ′	42.8
VX850	5.00	159/0.2	1.00	5.70	5.30	31.0	64.2
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